assignments relating to groundfish management. No management actions will be decided by the GMT. A detailed agenda for the webinar will be available on the Pacific Council’s website prior to the meeting.

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kit Dahl, Staff Officer, Pacific Council; telephone: (503) 820–2422.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of this meeting is to (1) provide information to Council advisory bodies and the public on ecosystem-related items on the Pacific Council’s September 2022 meeting agenda, and (2) discuss draft EWC reports for the Pacific Council’s September 2022 meeting. The informational briefings will be held beginning at 10 a.m. Pacific Time on Friday, August 26, 2022. The topics to be covered are the Draft Western Regional Action Plan to Implement the NOAA Fisheries Climate Science Strategy in 2022–24, which the Pacific Council has been invited to submit comments on, and the draft Fishery Ecosystem Plan Initiatives Appendix to be adopted by the Council at its September meeting. Once these briefings are complete, and for the remainder of the meeting, the EWC will discuss the contents of reports it may draft for the September Pacific Council meeting and other business related to the work of the EWC. In addition to the two ecosystem agenda items described above, the EWC may consider and draft reports on other items of interest on the Pacific Council’s September meeting agenda.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: The Pacific Fishery Management Council’s (Pacific Council) Ad Hoc Ecosystem Workgroup (EWG) will hold an online meeting.

DATES: The online meeting will be held Friday, August 26, 2022, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.; Monday, August 29, 2022, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.; and Tuesday, August 30, 2022, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. All times are Pacific Daylight Time. If necessary, meetings may continue past the noticed end time on each day in order to complete the business of the EWG.

ADDRESSES: This meeting will be held online. Specific meeting information, including directions on how to join the meeting and system requirements will be provided in the meeting announcement on the Pacific Council’s website (see www.pcouncil.org). You may send an email to Mr. Kris Kleinschmidt (kris.kleinschmidt@noaa.gov) or contact him at (503) 820–2412 for technical assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice; determination on a tribal resource management plan.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that NMFS has made a final determination on the Hoopa Valley Tribe’s Tribal Resource Management Plan (TRMP). The determination is pursuant to the limitation on take prohibitions for actions conducted under Tribal Resource Management Plans promulgated under the 4(d) Rule of the Endangered Species Act (ESA) (Tribal 4(d) Rule). The TRMP specifies harvest, research, and monitoring activities for tribal fisheries affecting ESA-listed Southern Oregon/Northern California Coast Coho Salmon in the portion of the Trinity River within the Hoopa Valley Reservation. As required by the Tribal 4(d) Rule, NMFS sought public comment on its pending determination prior to making a final determination.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Anthony Siniscal at 971–322–8407, or via email: Anthony.siniscal@noaa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

ESA Listed Species Covered in This Notice

Southern Oregon/Northern California Coast Coho salmon (Oncorhynchus kisutch)

Evolutionarily Significant Unit: threatened, naturally produced, and artificially propagated.

Background

The Hoopa Valley Tribe submitted a TRMP for review under the ESA Tribal 4(d) Rule. Under section 4 of the ESA, the Secretary of Commerce (Secretary) is required to adopt such regulations as deemed necessary and advisable for the conservation of species listed as threatened. The ESA salmon and
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Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery Rationalization Social Study Social Study

AGENCY: National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of information collection; request for comment.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce, in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on proposed, and continuing information collections, which helps us assess the impact of our information collection requirements and minimize the public’s reporting burden. The purpose of this notice is to allow for 60 days of public comment preceding submission of the collection to OMB.

DATES: To ensure consideration, comments regarding this proposed information collection must be received on or before October 3, 2022.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit written comments to Adrienne Thomas, NOAA PRA Officer, at NOAA.PRA@noaa.gov. Please reference OMB Control Number 0648–0606 in the subject line of your comments. Do not submit Confidential Business Information or otherwise sensitive or protected information.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or specific questions related to collection activities should be directed to Suzanne Russell, Human Dimensions Team, Northwest Fisheries Science Center, NOAA Fisheries, 2725 Montlake Boulevard East, Seattle, WA 98112, (206) 860–3274, Suzanne.russell@noaa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

This is a request for extension of an approved information collection.

The Human Dimensions Team of the Conservation Biology Division at the Northwest Fisheries Science Center (NWFSC), Seattle, WA, is requesting a renewal of its currently approved voluntary information collection 0648–0606. The data collected under this authorization supports the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), the current Magnuson Stevens Fishery Conservation Act (MSA), contributes information to the Endangered Species Act requirements, and the Regulatory Flexibility Act. Information from this data collection has supported National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) and Pacific Fisheries Management Council (PFMC) fisheries management actions. Data from this study has been included in broad resources to include the MSA mandated 5-year review of the West Coast Groundfish Trawl Catch Shares Program, in peer-reviewed documents, websites, and white papers. The collection of this data not only informs legal requirements for existing management actions, but provides information for future management actions requiring equivalent information.

Literature indicates fisheries rationalization programs have an impact on those individuals participating in the affected fishery. The PFMC implemented a rationalization program for the West Coast Groundfish limited entry trawl fishery in January 2011. This research aims to continue to study the individuals in the affected fishery over the long term. It aims to collect data on a five-year cycle, post initial data collection efforts. Prior data collection was related to program design elements. A baseline data collection occurred in 2010, followed by a second post-implementation collection in 2012, and a post quota-share trading collection in 2015/2016. The data collected has contributed to the five-year review of the program and highlighted several areas for continued research. Efforts have also identified the need for long term data collection as species recover and external factors affect fishermen in this fishery. Such challenges include underutilization, high costs of participation, difficulty finding qualified crew, COVID challenges, and other challenges. The study has been able to highlight several issues such as ‘grazing of the fleet’ in smaller communities, changing women’s roles in commercial fishing, and fisherman’s adaptations under the new regulations. Continued research is needed to