

2010 YRDFA Resolutions

Resolution 2010-01: Gratefully thanking the people of Nulato for their generosity and hospitality. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the YRDFA Board Members, delegates and staff of YRDFA gratefully thank the Andrew K. Demoski School, the City and Tribal Council, and the people of Nulato for their generosity and hospitality.

Resolution 2010-02: Salmon Bycatch. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that YRDFA requests that the Secretary of Commerce rejects the Council's approved management action, and use his emergency regulation authority to implement a hard cap of 32,500 effective immediately.

Resolution 2010-03: Chinook Salmon Escapement Data Gathering. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that YRDFA recommends that the Yukon River Panel address the quality of escapement by gathering data and creating a method to utilize this data in assessing acceptable border passage.

Resolution 2010-04: Area M Wanton Waste. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that YRDFA asks the State of Alaska to review fish ticket information submitted by Virgil Umphenour on chum harvests to the Alaska State Board of Fisheries in addition to historical fish ticket information to review chum harvests and potential under-reporting of chum harvests in Area M.

Resolution 2010-05: THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that YRDFA strongly recommends that the Governor of the State of Alaska take the utmost consideration of potential BOF members to ensure they are suitable candidates to make decisions on salmon fisheries in the AYK region of Alaska.

Resolution 2010-06: Net Replacement. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that YRDFA will work river-wide to determine the number and size of new nets needed and the amount it will cost to purchase these nets and asks to be involved in determining a process for affordable, efficient and fair distribution.

Resolution 2010-07: Subsistence Harvest Data. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that ADF&G carry out analysis of post-season harvest surveys in a timely manner to deliver it to the public for use in post-season review and planning for the following season.

Resolution 2010-08: Water Temperature Monitoring. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that YRDFA supports increased water temperature monitoring at the near-marine estuary of the Yukon River Delta, which includes the four main mouths, especially at low tides and that this information be used to learn about the relationship between water temperature and in-river migration and be made available to the public on an annual basis.