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## YUKON RIVER DRAINAGE FISHERIES ASSOCIATION

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### 2018 YRDFA Yukon River Fisheries Pre-Season Planning Meeting

Sheraton Inn & Spa: Anchorage, Alaska

May 2, 2018, 8:00 a.m-5:00 p.m.

**Meeting goal: “The goals, objectives, and deliverables should be education and a consensus on how to meet Treaty obligations and escapement objectives related to Canadian origin salmon.”**

*From Yukon River Panel Restoration & Enhancement Fund*

8:00 am 45min	Opening prayer Goals of the day: Why we are here? Wayne Jenkins (YRDFA Director) Welcome to Young Fishers Introduction of Co-chairs Introduction of meeting facilitator Introduction of all participants, table by table
8:45 am 30min	General comments from Elders and participants regarding concerns from the previous season and hopes for the coming season-Jana Pierce, <i>Information Insights</i>
9:15 am 30min	“The Value of Salmon” & “King Salmon on the Lower Yukon River”-Catherine Moncrieff, <i>YRDFA</i>
9:45 am 35min	“Customary Trade on the Yukon River”-Alida Trainor, <i>ADFG Subsistence Div.</i> Questions/Discussion
<b>10:15</b>	<b>15-minute break</b>
10:30 am 25min	2017/18 Fall chum and Coho salmon outlook and discussion-Jeff Estensen, <i>ADFG YR Fall season manager</i>
10:55 am 65min	2017/18 Chinook and summer chum salmon: Summary of 2017, escapements, harvests, enforcement, etc.-Questions/Discussion-Holly Carroll, <i>ADFG YR Summer season manager</i>
<b>12:00</b>	<b>Lunch – provided on site (1 hour)</b>
1:00 pm 60min	2018 outlook, Board of Fish changes and potential management strategy, Questions/ Discussion from fishermen-Holly Carroll, <i>ADFG</i>

2:00 pm            Presentation of 2019 BOF AYK cycle, Advisory Committees by Yukon area and how to  
30min              get involved-*ADFG*

**2:30 pm            15 minute break**

2:45 pm            Juvenile Chinook research and the future drainage wide run sizes-Dr. Katie Howard,  
35min              *ADFG*

3:20 pm            Yukon River Intertribal Fish Commission update-Stephanie Quinn-Davidson, *YRITFC*  
30min              *Director*

3:55 pm            Transboundary negotiations and Canadian mining in SE Alaska and on the Yukon River  
40 min              -Lieutenant Governor Byron Mallot, unconfirmed

4:30 pm            Closing remarks-Bill Alstrom & Victor Lord, *YRDFA Co-chairs*  
30min

5:00 pm            Adjourn