

**BERING SEA CRAB SCIENCE SYMPOSIUM:
BRISTOL BAY RED KING CRAB**
Sponsored by the Alaska Bering Sea Crabbers



Monday, September 16, 2013
Leif Erickson Lodge (Upstairs Hall)
2245 NW 57th Street Seattle, WA 98107
9:00 am – 1:30 pm

9:00 – 9:10 Welcome and introductions

9:10 – 9:45 Dr. Bob Foy (NMFS – Kodiak)

- Overview and preliminary results from the NMFS summer trawl survey

9:45 – 10:20 Scott Goodman & Steve Hughes (Natural Resources Consultants)

- Overview and preliminary results from the Bering Sea Fisheries Research Foundation side-by-side trawl selectivity and pre-recruitment survey

10:20 – 10:55 Karla Bush (Alaska Department of Fish & Game)

- The interaction of State and Federal management for BBRKC

10:55 – 11:30 Dr. Bob Foy

- Biological studies conducted through the Alaska King Crab Research, Rehabilitation, and Biology (AKCRRAB) program

11:30 – 12:05 Katherine Swiney (NMFS – Kodiak)

- Size-fecundity relationship and larval quality data and implications for future stock assessments

12:05 – 12:45 Leah Sloan (MESAS Program Graduate Fellow – UAF)

- Development of a survey to gather local knowledge from skippers in Bering Sea crab fisheries

**Lunch will be provided for all participants upon conclusion of the symposium.*