



**Hawai‘i’s Pelagic Fisheries**  
**Tuesday, March 10, 2020, 6 to 9 p.m.**  
**Aloha Tower Marketplace Ballroom (2nd floor)**  
**AGENDA**

**6:00 p.m. REGISTRATION, REFRESHMENTS, INFORMATIONAL TABLES**

**EMCEE** – Devon Nekoba, 94.7 KUMU, Pacific Media Group

**WELCOME** – Ed Watamura, Council vice chair (Hawai‘i)

- ↷ Handline Fishing (ika shibi and palu ahi)
- ↷ *Hawaii Fishing News*
- ↷ Community Fish Aggregating Devices (FADs)
- ↷ NOAA Fisheries
- ↷ Pacific Islands Fisheries Group
- ↷ POP Fishing & Marine
- ↷ Poseidon Fisheries Research
- ↷ SudoKrew Solutions (bottomfish data app developer)
- ↷ US Coast Guard
- ↷ Western Pacific Regional Fishery Management Council

**7:00 p.m. INTRODUCTION** – McGrew Rice, Council member

**PRESENTATIONS**

- ↷ Mark Mitsuyasu and Mark Fitchett, Council Staff  
*Kahoot! game - Pelagic Fisheries Management & Annual Report*
- ↷ Ed Watamura, Council Member  
*Hawai‘i Pelagic Fishing Gear and Methods*
- ↷ Justin Hospital, NOAA Pacific Islands Fishery Science Center  
*Socioeconomic Aspects of Hawai‘i Pelagic Fisheries*
- ↷ David Sakoda, Hawai‘i Department of Aquatic Resources (DAR)  
*DAR Fishery-dependent Data Collection Programs*
- ↷ Joshua DeMello, Council Staff  
*Hawai‘i Pelagic Small-Boat Fisheries Public Meetings*

**PUBLIC QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS**

**9:00 p.m. PAU**

Mahalo to our door prize contributors:

*Hawaii Fishing News, Nico’s Pier 38, Pacific Islands Fisheries Group and POP Fishing & Marine*

*The Fishers Forum is part of the 181st meeting of the Western Pacific Fishery Management Council, March 10 to 12, 2020, at the Laniakea YWCA, Fuller Hall, 1040 Richards St., Honolulu.*

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