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To all Oregon commercial squid fishers, processors and other interested parties:

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW) is holding a public meeting to evaluate the commercial fishery for market squid, in accordance with Harvest Guideline requirements (OAR 635-005-0925). **This meeting will be held online and by teleconference only.** We will have a brief presentation and an electronic copy can be provided in advance by request for phone-only participants.

What: Market Squid Fishery Public Meeting

When: Friday, June 3 at 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm

To join online from your computer, tablet or smartphone:

<https://tinyurl.com/ybkkt9e>

The meeting will be held using Microsoft Teams. Depending on your web browser, you may need to download the free Teams app to your device to join the meeting.

To join by teleconference using your phone:

Phone Number: +1 503-446-4951

Access Code: 772 577 057 #

We will discuss the current fishery, results of our monitoring activities, and management measures adopted by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission at their February 2022 meeting. The Commission also directed ODFW to develop a proposal to prohibit use of independent light boats prior to the start of the 2023 fishery. We would like industry and public input on these and any other topics of interest such as gear conflicts, bycatch of other species, and squid harvest sustainability.

General information about Oregon's commercial fishery for market squid is on our website at: https://www.dfw.state.or.us/MRP/regulations/commercial_fishing/index.asp. If you have any questions or comments, please contact me by email (troy.v.buell@odfw.oregon.gov) or phone: (541) 961-8135.

Sincerely,

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