

2018 NOMINATIONS TO THE
WESTERN PACIFIC FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

Effective January 12, 2018 an at-large seat became vacant on the Western Pacific Fishery Management Council. When an at-large Council member seat becomes vacant before the expiration of its term, the Magnuson-Stevens Act requires the governors of each of the states or territories represented by that Council to submit the names of at least three qualified individuals to fill the Council seat. Listed below are the nominations for the seat in alphabetical order.

Send endorsements of nominees to:

Chris Oliver, Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, 1315
East-West Highway, Silver Spring, MD 20910.

You may also email endorsements to Council.Appointment@noaa.gov. NMFS will only officially record endorsements if they are received in writing; letters and emails will be accepted. Please submit endorsements as early as possible to ensure the information is considered throughout the decision-making process.

WESTERN PACIFIC FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

VACANT SEAT

At-Large

INCUMBENT

Vacant

STATE

AT-LARGE NOMINEES

American Samoa

Peter B. Crispin
Fuega Lua Moliga
William A. Sword

Hawaii

Michael K. Goto
Julie A.K. Leialoha
Trisha K. Watson-Sproat
Roy A. Vitousek, III

Guam

James C. Borja
Manuel P. Duenas, II
Felixberto S. Reyes

Commonwealth of
the Northern Mariana Islands

No Submission