

From: riverranch
Sent: Tuesday, February 17, 2015 8:35 PM
To: zSMP
Subject: SMP Comments

The impacts that fin fish farms and shellfish Aquaculture will do to our areas cannot be allowed. The impact on wildlife and sea health by bringing polluting aquaculture to our bays is wrong for the people of Clallam Co and wrong for the wildlife and shorelines. The Shoreline Master Program needs to:

1. Establish a moratorium on new aquaculture until the current pending court cases are resolved, to avoid the duplication of costly litigation for Clallam County.
2. Change wording when considering new or expanded aquaculture from “best management practices” to “best available current science.”
3. Fin fish project shall be sited upland. Disallow fin fish fin pens from the SMP plan area and in water. Penned farms in open waters pollute bottom lands and wildlife.
4. No Geoduck aquaculture farming in 3 Crabs to Dungeness bays. No AQUACULTURE!

Robert Amaral
790 3 Crabs Road
Sequim, WA 98382