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The public comment period for lease applications received during the 2005 application period concluded Friday, 3 March 2006. Each of the applicants will now be required to develop a Shore Fishery Diagram depicting their proposed lease. Once completed, this diagram will provide a legal reference, and be the official legal description of the shore fishery leases.

Each of the applicants has been sent a packet containing instructions and source references which can be employed to produce a Shore Fishery Diagram. The applicants will have 90 days to submit a preliminary diagram for its initial review. These diagrams will be reviewed as we receive them, and upon their successful completion, a lease will be issued.

For those wishing to apply for a Shore Fishery Lease this season, the application period runs from 1 June to 15 October, 2006. Please visit the Shore Fishery Home Page for additional information or to print an application.

If you have any questions, please visit our web site, <http://www.dnr.state.ak.us/mlw/shore/index.htm>, or contact one of the Shore Fishery representatives listed [here](#).

Sincerely,

The Shore Fish Leasing Team.