

Ice Seal Recovery Planning



Develop: Recovery plans for Arctic ringed seals and Beringia distinct population segment bearded seals

Who: NOAA Fisheries will work closely with the Ice Seal Committee and other partners (e.g, subsistence hunters and resource users, State of Alaska) **Why:** Recovery plans are required for species listed under the Endangered Species Act (ESA) to guide recovery actions and efforts

How: A multi-day recovery workshop with NOAA Fisheries, Ice Seal Committee, and other interested parties

When: January 22-24, 2025 Wednesday- Friday

For more information on recovery planning, go to: <u>https://www.fisheries.noaa.gov/national/endangered-species-conservation/recovery-species-under-endangered-species-act</u> Or email questions to: akr.ce.seal.recovery@noaa.gov

