Dave Bitts Biography

My name is Dave Bitts; I have been a commercial salmon and crab fisherman based in Eureka for the past 40 years and owner of F/V Elmarue since 1985. I also served as the California troll representative on the Klamath Fisheries Management Council from 1992-2006 and the Klamath River Task Force from 1998-2006. I have been President of the Pacific Coast Federation of Fishermen's Associations since 2008. I'm currently the California troll salmon advisor to the Pacific Fisheries Management Council.