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# Freshwater Trout Aquaculture Dialogue Steering Committee



# Steering Committee manages the FTAD

- Makes all final decisions regarding the Dialogue process, road map, outreach and standards document
- Uses input from Dialogue meetings, technical working groups, advisory committees and the general public (during public comment periods)
- This is your Steering Committee and your Dialogue – together you create results



# Committee members commit time and (potentially) money

- Time

- Approx. 2 in-person meetings/year
- Approx. 6 phone meetings/year
- Respond to e-mail messages in a timely fashion
- Help implement outreach strategy

- Money

- Cost of hiring consultants to conduct research on behalf of the FTAD, if it is determined such research/consultancy is needed



# Diverse representation on committee

- Partial list of stakeholder groups to consider:  
NGOs, producers, retailers, scientists and feed manufacturers...
- Partial list of geographic regions to consider:  
Europe, Turkey, Iran, USA...



# Committee composition

- FEAP
- World Wildlife Fund
- BioMar
- Marine Conservation Society



# Nominees and composition of steering committee?

## *Current structure*

- NGOs (3) 2
- Producers (3) 1
- Feed manufacturer (1) 1
- Retailer (1)
- World Aquaculture Society, governing board member (1)

## *Other categories and candidates?*

- Researchers
- Processors
- Traders
- Consultants



# How will SC members be chosen?

- Nominations for the SC will be accepted at full Dialogue meetings and up to two weeks afterwards.
- SC will select additional SC members based on the criteria (listed before) to ensure a balanced representation.
- The SC can chose to add committee members in between full Dialogue meetings – based on same criteria.