**Silver Spray Log**

3/19/2023

It was a beautiful first day hauling pots (F39 to F20), calm seas, light winds and temperature above freezing. It took us above 5 hours to haul the pots (4.5 hours to set the previous day). There were male and female red king crab in every pot from only a few to a small table full, but never enough to require subsampling. It was a mixture of males, females, both mature and immature. Primiparous females (new shell and clutch) and males in the ~90-120 mm size range were the most dominant. Multiparous females all appeared to still have an old shell and eyed eggs. We tagged two mature males.