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The U.S. imports over 90% of the seafood it consumes. If 90% of the beef, chicken, wheat, corn or soybeans consumed in the U.S. came from foreign imports - food security would not exist. There is no reason the U.S. and Washington State could not be producing more of their own seafood. We all know that both wild capture and farmed seafood production are compatible and essential in meeting an increasing global demand for healthy and sustainable seafood products.