



NORTH PACIFIC FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

NPFMC February 2022 - 258th

January 31-11, 2022

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Related meeting: Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC), January 31st - February 4th, 2022; [AGENDA](#)

A. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

A1 Approval of Agenda

Attachments:

[Schedule \(link\)](#)

[Documents for review with release dates](#)

[Guidelines for Discussion](#)

[Short Summary of Agenda Items](#)

[Audio Recordings](#)

[February 2022 Newsletter \(LINK\)](#)[February Time Log](#)[February Council Summary](#)**B. REPORTS****B1 Executive Director's Report (including BREP project update)****Attachments:**[B1 ED report February 2022](#)[B1 Dickson BS FEP Nomination](#)[B1 NPFMC draft comments on development of the Atlas](#)[B1 St. George Unangan Heritage NMS Letter](#)[B1 BREP Update to NPFMC](#)[B1 North Pacific Right Whale Flyer](#)[PPT BREP Update - Pot Gear Design](#)[PPT B1 Report](#)**B2 NMFS Management Report (including cost recovery report) and NMFS AFSC report****Attachments:**[B2 NMFS Report Feb 2022](#)[B2 Cost Recovery Reports 2021](#)[B2 Crab Cost Recovery Report](#)[B2 Halibut Bycatch Listening Session Summary](#)[B2 Salmon Bycatch Listening Session Summary](#)[B2 Salmon Bycatch Emergency Petition](#)[B2 RKCSA Expansion Emergency Petition](#)[B2 AFSC Strategic Science Plan](#)[PPT B2 AFSC State of the Science Center](#)**B3 NOAA General Counsel Report****Attachments:**[B3 NOAA GC Report](#)[B3 Designated Official Memorandum](#)[B3 Recusal Determinations](#)**B4 ADF&G Report****Attachments:**[B4 ADFG Report to NPFMC](#)**B5 USCG Report (including briefing on IUU and foreign activity)****Attachments:**[B5 USCG Enforcement Report](#)[PPT B5 USCG - Operation NPG](#)[PPT B5 USCG - Arctic Activity](#)**B6 USFWS Report****Attachments:**[B6 USFWS Report February 2022](#)**B7 IPHC Report****Attachments:**[B7 IPHC Media Release 2022](#)[B7 IPHC Media Release 2022-003](#)[PPT B7 IPHC Presentation](#)**B8 Public Comment on B1 through B7 agenda items****B9 SSC Report****Attachments:**[B9 SSC Report C1 CSP and D1 EDR](#)[PPT - C1 CSP and D1 EDR Report](#)[B9 SSC Report Feb 2022 DRAFT](#)[PPT B9 Balance of SSC Report](#)

[SSC Report Feb 2022_FINAL](#)**B10 AP Report**

Attachments: [PPT AP admin issues Feb 2022](#)
[PPT AP Report](#)
[AP Minutes February 2022](#)

C. MAJOR ISSUES / FINAL ACTION ITEMS**C1 C1 Economic Data Report (EDR) amendments – Final Action**

Attachments: [C1 Action Memo](#)
[C1 EDR Analysis](#)
[C1 EDR Analysis Errata](#)
[C1 EDR Analysis Appendix A](#)
[PPT C1 Economic Data Reporting](#)
[C1 AP Motion](#)
[C1 Council Motion](#)

C2 C2 BSAI Crab – Harvest specifications/SAFE report for NSRKC, Crab Plan Team report, (SSC only) Crab modeling workshop report

Attachments: [C2 Action Memo](#)
[LINK BSAI Crab Plan Team January meeting page](#)
[C2 Crab Plan Team Report January 2022](#)
[C2 Norton Sound Red King Crab SAFE Report Intro](#)
[PPT C2 BSAI crab](#)
[C2 AP Motion](#)
[C2 Motion - NSRKC](#)

C3 C3 Snow crab rebuilding plan – progress report

Attachments: [C3 Action Memo](#)
[C3 Feb 2022 Snow Crab Rebuilding Progress Report](#)
[PPT AP C3 Snow Crab Rebuilding Progress Report](#)
[PPT Council C3 Snow Crab Rebuilding Progress Report Final](#)

D. OTHER ISSUES**D1 D1 Allocation Review of Halibut Catch Share Plan for Areas 2C/3A - Review**

Attachments: [D1 Action Memo](#)
[D1 CSP Allocation Review](#)
[PPT AP D1 CSP Allocation](#)
[D1 AP Motion](#)
[PPT Council D1 CSP Allocation](#)
[D1 Council Motion 1](#)
[D1 Council Motion 2 - Halibut CSP Allocation](#)

D2 D2 Greenland turbot with longline pots – Discussion Paper

Attachments: [D2 Action Memo](#)
[D2 Bering Sea Greenland Turbot Longline Pots Discussion Paper](#)
[PPT AP D2 BS GTurbot](#)
[D2 AP Motion](#)
[PPT Council D2 BS Greenland Turbot](#)
[D2 Motion Bering Sea Greenland Turbot](#)

D3 D3 Groundfish management policy – Review

Attachments:[D3 Action Memo](#)[D3 Groundfish Management Policy Review](#)[PPT D3 Groundfish Management](#)**D4 D4 Trawl EM – review of sampling issues (SSC only)****Attachments:**[D4 Action memo](#)[LINK SSC eAgenda](#)**D5 D5 EFH distribution, fishing effects models - Review (SSC only)****Attachments:**[D5 Action Memo](#)[LINK SSC eAgenda](#)**D6 D6 Marine mammal status update – Review (SSC only)****Attachments:**[D6 Action Memo](#)[LINK SSC eAgenda](#)**D7 D7 Economic SAFE report – Review (SSC only)****Attachments:**[D7 Action Memo](#)[LINK SSC eAgenda](#)**E. STAFF TASKING / COMMITTEES****E1 E Committees, New Business, and Tasking (including Ecosystem Committee report, Council process ideas)****Attachments:**[E Action Memo](#)[E Three Meeting Outlook PRE MEETING](#)[E Draft April 2022 agenda - IN PERSON](#)[E NPFMC Committees](#)[E Council staff one page - Feb 2022](#)[E Council process reflections and ideas Feb 2022](#)[LINK to Ecosystem Committee meeting Jan 2022](#)[E Ecosystem Committee Report Jan 2022](#)[E Emergency Rule Policy Guidelines](#)[PPT AP E Staff tasking](#)[E AP Motion](#)[E 3 Meeting Outlook - DURING MEETING](#)[PPT E Staff tasking - Council Feb 2022](#)[E Motion - EDR](#)[E Motion - GOA Rockfish](#)[E Motion - Pot Gear Discussion Paper](#)[E Motion - EFH](#)[E Motion - EC recommendations](#)[E Motion - IFQ permit transfer](#)[E Motion - IFQ vessel cap](#)