

MOTION: April 9, 2014
North Pacific Fishery Management Council

DRAFT EM Workgroup agenda for May meeting:

1. Review a draft planning document with timelines, milestones and decision points (NMFS to present draft).
2. Refine the data review protocols for 2014 EM cooperative research.
3. Review study designs for all 4 Tracks in the EM cooperative research.
4. Review draft RFP for Tracks 2 & 3.
5. Discuss process for incorporating independently funded fixed gear EM pilot projects into the cooperative research, including pot gear.
6. Discuss process for incorporating independently funded trawl gear EM pilot projects into the Council's EM initiatives.