

	DRAFT NPFMC THREE-MEETING OUTLOOK – 10/2/2026					
	October 5-13, 2026 <i>Egan Center, Anchorage, AK</i>	Council staff contact	November 30-December 9, 2026 <i>Egan Center, Anchorage, AK</i>	Council staff contact	February 22-March 2, 2027 <i>Marriott Hotel, Anchorage, AK</i>	Council staff contact
Topics						
EVENTS/ REPORTS*	Election of officers, new member oath	DE	NMFS report: Final ADP	AH	ED report: IFQ report, bycatch report	DE
	NMFS report	AH	NOAA Enforcement	AH	NMFS report	AH
	AFSC report	DE	IPHC halibut assessment presentation (T)	SM	AFSC report	DE
			Executive Session	DE	NPRB report	AH
			PSMFC Report	AH	IPHC report (T)	AH
GROUNDFISH	BSAI Groundfish: <i>Proposed specs, PT reports</i>	DS	Contextual info for TACs (ESRs, inseason mgmt): <i>Review</i>	AH		
HARVEST SPECS	GOA Groundfish: <i>Proposed specs, PT reports</i>	SC	BSAI Groundfish: <i>PT report, Final Specifications</i>	DS		
	BSAI/GOA Groundfish: <i>ABC/OFLs (SSC only)</i>	DS/SC	GOA Groundfish: <i>PT report, Final Specifications</i>	SC		
OTHER SPECS:						
CRAB, SALMON, SCALLOP	BSAI Crab: <i>ABC/OFL, Crab PT report</i>	AK	NSRKC: <i>ABC/OFL specs, Crab PT report</i>	AK		
			Cook Inlet salmon: <i>Proposed specs (Council only)</i>	DS	Cook Inlet salmon: <i>Final specifications</i>	DS
REPORTING/ MONITORING	2027 Observer ADP: <i>Review, PCFMAC report</i>	SC			Lead level 2 endorsement criteria: <i>Initial Review (T)</i>	SC
			A80 replacement vessel: <i>Initial Review</i>	AH		
			PSC disposition: <i>Discussion paper (T)</i>	TH		
BSAI/GOA GFISH MGMT						
BSAI CRAB MGMT						
BYCATCH					BS Herring PSC limit adjustment: <i>Initial Review (T)</i>	KH
					GOA Tanner crab protection measures: <i>Initial Review (T)</i>	AK
HALIBUT: IFQ/CHARTER	Charter Halibut Permits data request: <i>Discussion paper</i>	SM	2027 Charter halibut annual measures: <i>Final action</i>	SM		
	CQE/IFQ adjustments: <i>Expanded discussion paper</i>	SM				
OTHER			Omnibus FMP record. & reporting: <i>Initial Review (T)</i>	TH	EFH 5-year review: <i>Progress updates (T)</i>	AK
			Groundfish FMP policy modernization: <i>Ecosystem Report</i>	KL		

ITEMS NOT YET SCHEDULED:

Charter Halibut Mgmt Meas. Timing: *Discussion paper*
Eliminate bled sablefish IFQ deduction: *Initial Review*
Pot gear regulation consistency: *Discussion paper*
Sablefish motion scales: *Discussion paper*
AFA catch accounting: *Discussion paper*
Inseason auth. to prevent ACL overages: *Initial Review (May (T))*

Cook Inlet Salmon tribal fishery feasibility: *Discussion paper*
NSRKC participation recency: *Expanded discussion paper*
Pelagic Trawl Gear Perf Std: *Discussion paper (May (T))*
Harvest control rule adjustments: *Progress update*
IFQ cost recovery program improvements: *Final action (May (T))*

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*Reports in addition to the standard agency B reports (Executive Director, NMFS Management, NOAA General Counsel, ADFG, USCG, USFWS.)

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