

**NPFMC Groundfish Plan Team Meeting, Draft Schedule
September 17-19, 2024**

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*All times are in **ALASKA** Daylight Time (1hr behind of Pacific DT)*

	Joint Groundfish Plan Teams	BSAI Plan Team	GOA Plan Team
Tues Sept 17	0900 Introductions, agenda adoption 0930 Report writing, Council updates 1000 Data Limited Methods WG (Tribuzio) (15) 1015 NMFS Inseason Mgmt (Whitney, Jahn) (15) 1045 ESR climate update (Ortiz) (60) 1145 AI trawl survey (McDermott) (15) 1300 ESP & socioecon sablefish indicators update (Shotwell/Dame) (45) 1400 Age and Growth update (Chamberlin) (15) 1415 Halibut DMRs (Fey) (15) 1500 EBS trawl survey (Stevenson)(15) 1515 Ecosystem surveys (Yasumiishi) (15) 1530 REMA Diagnostics (Sullivan) (15) 1545 Assessment Guidelines (Lunsford/Haltuch) (15) 1600 Adjourn	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: auto;"> Breaks ~1030 and 1430 daily Lunch ~ 1200 Planning to end by 1600 AK time each day </div>	
Wed Sept 18		0900 Bogoslof winter acoustic (Lauffenburger) (15) 0915 EBS acoustic (McCarthy) AVO (Stienessen) (25) 0940 EBS pollock (Ianelli) (45) 1100 AK Plaice (Cronin-Fine) (45) 1300 Northern rock sole (McGilliard) (45) 1345 Greenland turbot (Bryan) (45)	0900 Winter acoustic survey (Levine) (30) 0930 Harvest Projections (Lunsford) (30) 1000 Rockfish spatial mgmt (Cleaver) (30) 1100 GOA pollock (Monnahan) (45) 1145 FY25 Acoustic Survey Planning (Britt) (15) 1300 ATF CEATTLE bridging (Shotwell) (40) 1345 GOA DSR CIE response/ model (Joy) (30) 1430 GOA DSR update (Rumble) (20)
Thurs Sept 19		0900 Harvest Projections (Haltuch) (15-30) 0930 AI cod (Spies) (60) 1045 EBS cod (Barbeaux) (45) 1300 POP (Spencer) (45) 1345 BS/RE rockfish (Spencer) (45) 1445 Proposed Harvest Specifications (Whitney) Report writing	0900 Dusky & Northern rockfish (Omori/Williams)(90) 1030 Thornyhead rockfish (Siwicke) (20) 1100 Pcod (Hulson) (45) 1300 Proposed Harvest Specifications (Jahn) Report writing
Fri Sept 20		Report writing (no meeting)	Report writing (no meeting)

NOTE: The above agenda items may be taken out of order and are subject to change. All meetings are public.

COMMONLY USED ACRONYMS

ABC	Acceptable Biological Catch	G(F)PT	Groundfish Plan Team(s)
ABL	Auke Bay Lab (AFSC - Juneau)	IFQ	Individual Fishing Quota
ACL	Annual Catch Limit	HAPC	Habitat Areas of Particular Concern
ADFG	Alaska Dept. of Fish and Game	IPHC	International Pacific Halibut Commission
ADP	Annual Deployment Plan (Observers & EM)	IRFA	Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis
AFSC	Alaska Fisheries Science Center	LLP	License Limitation Program
AI	Aleutian Islands	MMPA	Marine Mammal Protection Act
AP	Advisory Panel	MRA	Maximum Retainable Amount
ASA	Age structured assessment	MSA	Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act
ATF	Arrowtooth Flounder	MSY	Maximum Sustainable Yield
AVO	Acoustic Vehicle of Opportunity	mt, t	Metric tons
BS	Bering Sea	NBS	Northern Bering Sea
BSAI	Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands	NMFS	National Marine Fisheries Service
BS/RE	Blackspotted/Rougheye (rockfish)	NMML	National Marine Mammal Laboratory
BTS	Bottom Trawl Survey	NOAA	National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration
CEATTLE	Climate Enhanced Age-based model with Temperature-specific Trophic linkages and Energetics	NPFMC	North Pacific Fishery Management Council
CFI	Climate Fisheries Initiative	NS	Northern and Southern (rock soles)
CIE	Center for Independent Experts	OFL	Overfishing Level
(A)CLIM	(Alaska) Climate Integrated Modeling Project	OSA	One-step-ahead
DMR	Discard mortality rate	OY	Optimum Yield
EA/RIR	Environ. Assessment/Regulatory Impact Review	POP	Pacific Ocean Perch
EBS	Eastern Bering Sea	PSC	Prohibited Species Catch
EEZ	Exclusive Economic Zone	PSR	Pelagic Shelf Rockfish
EFH	Essential Fish Habitat	PT	Plan Team(s)
EFP	Exempted Fishing Permit	RE	Random Effects (model)
EIS	Environmental Impact Statement	RE/BS	Rougheye/Blackspotted (rockfish)
EM	Electronic monitoring	ROV	Remote Operating Vehicle
ESP	Ecosystem & Socioeconomic Profile	SAFE	Stock Assessment and Fishery Evaluation
ESR	Ecosystem Status Report	SR/RE	Shortraker/Rougheye Rockfishes
ESSRP	Economic and Social Sciences Research Program	SSC	Scientific and Statistical Committee
FOCI	Fisheries Oceanography Coordinated Investigations	SSMA	Status of Stocks and Multispecies Assessment
FMP	Fishery Management Plan	TAC	Total Allowable Catch
GHL	Guideline Harvest Level	VAST	Vector Autoregressive Spatio-Temporal
GOA	Gulf of Alaska	WG	Working Group
GOACLIM	Gulf of Alaska Climate Integrated Modeling Project	YFS	Yellowfin Sole