NORTH PACIFIC FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL
NPFMC December 2021 - 257th
December 2-16, 2021

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Related meeting: Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC), December 2-3rd, and December 6-9th, 2021; AGENDA

A. CALL MEETING TO ORDER
A1 Approval of Agenda

B. REPORTS
B1 Executive Director's Report
B2 NMFS Management Report

B3 NOAA General Counsel Report
B4 NOAA Enforcement Report
B5 ADF&G Report
B6 USCG Report
B7 USFWS Report
B8 Public Comment on B1 through B8 agenda items
B9 SSC Report
B10 AP Report

C. MAJOR ISSUES / FINAL ACTION ITEMS

C1 C1 Charter halibut - 2022 annual management measures, Committee report
C2 C2 BSAI Halibut abundance-based management (ABM) - Final action
C3 C3 BSAI Groundfish - Final harvest specifications, Joint and BSAI Plan Team reports, Ecosystem Status Reports
C4 C4 GOA Groundfish - Final harvest specifications, GOA Plan Team report, Ecosystem Status Report

D. OTHER ISSUES

D1 D1 Red King Crab Savings Area Extension - Consideration of emergency action request (COUNCIL ONLY)

E. STAFF TASKING / COMMITTEES

E1 E Committees, New Business, and Tasking