NORTH PACIFIC FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL
NPFMC Council/AP October 2022 - 261st
October 3-11, 2022

Council, October 6-11, 2022; Aleutian Room, Hilton Hotel, Anchorage, Alaska; 8am-5pm

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Advisory Panel, October 4-7, 2022, Denali Room, Hilton Hotel, Anchorage, Alaska; 8am-5pm

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Related meetings: Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC), October 3-5, 2022; AGENDA

Ecosystem Committee, October 3, 2022 10am-5pm; AGENDA

A. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

A1 Swear in new members, election of officers

Attachments: Oath of Office
Guidelines for Discussion
Land Acknowledgment for Anchorage

A2 Approval of Agenda

Attachments: LINK SCHEDULE

LINK Review Document Schedule
NPFMC COVID Policy_October
Short summary of Agenda Items
LINK YouTube
LINK October Newsletter
October Time Log
October Council Summary 2022_Final

B. REPORTS

B1 Executive Director's Report (oral)

Attachments:
B1 ED Report October 2022
B1 ODFW Designee Letter
B1 O'Leary GOA GPT Nomination
B1 Williams GOA GPT Nomination
B1 Joint Protocol Tentative Agenda
B1 SCS7 Key Findings
B1 SSC Workshop Feb 2023 Flyer
B1 Council process ideas update Sep 2022
B1 Notice of Availability GOA Navy Training SEIS
B1 MREP announcement
PPT B1 SCS7 Overview
PPT B1 Council process update Oct 2022
B1 PNCIAC Report

B2 NMFS Management Report (including National Saltwater Recreational Fisheries Policy, EDR adjustments updates, Cook Inlet salmon status) (oral)

Attachments:
B2 NMFS Report
National Saltwater Recreational Fisheries Policy (LINK)
B2 REC Policy Handout 2022
PPT B2 National Policy Update
B2 ABSC Oct 2022 Emergency petition
B2 NMFS Status of Reg Amendments
B2 TEC Minimum Age Interim Policy
B2 Halibut Vessel Use Caps Temporary Rule Update
B2 National Final Rule on Observer Provider Insurance
B2 Cook Inlet Salmon AM 14 Status
B2 Inseason Management Report October 2022
B2 NMFS SF Staffing Update
PPT B2_EDR_Update

B3 NOAA General Counsel Report (oral)

Attachments:
B3 Designated Officials Memorandum
B3 Recusal Determination
B3 Wild Fish Conservancy v Rumsey - Litigation Documents
B3 UCIDA v NMFS - NMFS Remedy Response Brief
B3 UCIDA v NMFS - State Remedy Response Brief
B3 UCIDA v NMFS - UCIDA Remedy Brief
B3 UCIDA v NMFS - District Ct Summary Judgment Order

B4 AFSC Report (will also include IPCC update from D6; oral)

Attachments: PPT B4 AFSC

PPT B4 IPCC

B5 ADF&G Report

Attachments: B5 ADFG Report

B6 USCG Report (oral)

Attachments: B6 USCG Enforcement Report

B6 PPT USCG

B7 USFWS Report

Attachments: B7 USFWS Report October 2022

B8 Public Comment on B1 through B6 agenda items

Attachments: B Council Motion_ER for RKSCA

B9 SSC Report

Attachments: C1 SSC Report DRAFT_BSAI Crab

PPT C1 SSC Report

PPT Balance of SSC Report

SSC Report Oct 2022_DRAFT

SSC Report Oct 2022_Final

B10 AP Report

Attachments: PPT AP admin issues Oct 2022

PPT AP Motions

AP Minutes October 2022

C. MAJOR ISSUES / FINAL ACTION ITEMS

C1 BSAI Crab specifications – review SAFE report; adopt ABC/OFLs for BBRKC, Tanner crab, snow crab, PIRKC, SMBKC; Crab Plan Team report; (SSC only) Ecosystem Status Report preview; (SSC only) snow crab rebuilding projections

Attachments: C1 Action Memo

Crab Plan Team September 2022 eAgenda (LINK)

Pacific Northwest Crab Industry Advisory Committee eAgenda (LINK)

BSAI Crab Introduction (LINK)

Tanner crab SAFE (LINK)

SMBKC SAFE (LINK)

BBRKC SAFE (LINK)

PIRKC SAFE (LINK)

EBS Snow SAFE (LINK)

C1 Crab Plan Team Report September 2022

BBRKC and EBSSC Request for Information (LINK)

C1 Snow Crab Rebuilding Projections

PPT AP C1 BSAI Crab

PPT C1 BSAI Crab

C1 AP Motion

C1 Council Motion

C2 C2 Pacific cod small boat access – Final Action

Attachments: C2 Action Memo

C2 Pacific Cod Small Boat Analysis

PPT AP C2 Pacific Cod Small Boat Access

PPT Council C2 Pacific Cod Small Boat Access

C2 AP Motion

C2 Council Motion

C3 C3 Trawl EM analysis – Final Action

Attachments:

C3 Action Memo

C3 Trawl EM Analysis

PPT AP C3 Trawl EM

C3 AP Motion

PPT Council C3 Trawl EM

C3 Council Motion

C4 C4 Greenland turbot in longline pots – Initial Review

Attachments:

C4 Action Memo

C4 Greenland Turbot LL Pots Analysis

PPT AP C4 Greenland Turbot

C4 AP Motion

PPT Council C4 Greenland Turbot

C4 Motion

C5 C5 BSAI/GOA Groundfish – Proposed specifications, Plan Team reports, spatial management discussion papers (GOA DSR, BSAI blackspotted/rougheye)

Attachments:

C5 Action Memo

Groundfish Plan Team September 2022 eAgenda (LINK)

C5 Joint Groundfish Plan Team Minutes

C5 BSAI Groundfish Plan Team Minutes

C5 GOA Groundfish Plan Team Minutes

C5 Spatial Management policy staff paper

C5 ERRATA Table 1 BSRE catch and MSSC

C5 ADFG 2022 Chinook index letter to NMFS

C5 BSAI 2023 Plan Team Proposed ABC-OFLs Table 1

C5 BSAI 2023 Plan Team Proposed Tables

C5 GOA 2023 Plan Team Proposed ABC-OFLs Table 1

C5 GOA 2023 Plan Team Proposed Tables

C5 DSR Spatial Management Report

PPT AP C5 Groundfish Proposed Specs

C5 AP Motion

PPT Council C5 Groundfish Specs

C5 BSAI Groundfish Specs Motion

C5 Council Motion - GOA Groundfish Specs

C5 Council Motion - Spatial Mgmt Process

D. OTHER ISSUES

D1 D1 Stock prioritization – review NMFS recommendations

Attachments:

D1 Action memo

PPT D1 Stock prioritization

D1 Council Motion

D2 D2 BBRKC expanded discussion paper - review paper, update on public response to request for information

Attachments:

D2 BBRKC Action Memo

BBRKC and EBSSC Request for Information (LINK)
D2 BBRKC Discussion Paper
D2 Memo - RFI Responses
PPT AP D2 BBRKC
D2 AP Motion
PPT D2 BBRKC
D2 Council Motion BBRKC

D3 D3 Universal data collection components discussion paper - review

Attachments:
D3 Action Memo
D3 Universal Data Collection Components Discussion Paper
PPT D3 UDCC
D3 Council Motion

D4 D4 Workplan for Amendment 80 program and allocation review

Attachments:
D4 Action Memo
D4 Amendment 80 Program Review Workplan
PPT D4 AM80 Program Review Workplan Presentation

D5 D5 PCFMAC report – review

Attachments:
D5 Action Memo
Partial Coverage Fishery Monitoring Advisory Committee September 2022 eAgenda (LINK)
Background info - cost efficiencies presentation PCFMAC 9-22
D5 PCFMAC September 2022 Report
D5 Observer Analytical Tasklist
PPT AP D5 PCFMAC Report
PPT Council D5 PCFMAC Report
D5 Council Motion
D5 Withdrawn Motion
E Motion - D5 PCFMAC Substitute Motion

D6 D6 BS FEP Climate Change Taskforce a) ACLIM and IPCC update (presented under B4), b) Climate Readiness Synthesis Report - Review, c) CCTF Report

Attachments:
D6 Action Memo
BS FEP Climate Change Taskforce September 2022 eAgenda (LINK)
D6b Climate Readiness Synthesis Report
D6c CCTF Report September 2022
PPT D6 IPCC and ACLIM
PPT AP D6 CCTF
PPT Council D6 CCTF
D6 Council Motion

D7 D7 Ecosystem Committee report - review

Attachments:
D7 Action Memo
Ecosystem Committee October 2022 eAgenda (LINK)
D7 Ecosystem Committee October 2022 Report
PPT D7 Ecosystem Committee
E Motion on PSEIS

D8 D8 Essential Fish Habitat – review fishing effects (SSC only)

Attachments:
D8 Action Memo
D8 EFH Fishing Effects Evaluation Discussion Paper
D8 EFH Maps Supp Analysis Sept 2022
FOLDER Gulf of Alaska Fishing Effects Species (LINK)
FOLDER Eastern Bering Sea Fishing Effects Species (LINK)
FOLDER Aleutian Islands Fishing Effects Species (LINK)
D8 EFH Maps Disc Paper Feb 2022 revised March 2022
D8 Bering Sea EFH Descriptions (LINK)
D8 Aleutian Islands EFH Descriptions (LINK)
D8 GOA EFH Descriptions (LINK)
D8 Plan Team Minutes EFH Excerpt

E. STAFF TASKING / COMMITTEES

E1 E Committees, New Business, and Tasking (incl PSEIS SIR update) - Review

Attachments:
E action memo - October 2022
E Emergency Rule Procedures.
E Council staff one page - Oct 2022
E Groundfish Workplan Oct 2022
E NPFMC_Committees
E 3 Meeting Outlook PRE-MEETING DRAFT
E AP Motions
E Assessment of projects Oct 2022
E 3 Meeting Outlook - DURING MEETING
E Motion Trawl EM Committee
E Motion - D5 PCFMAC Substitute Motion
E Motion - Salmon FMP Amendment
E Motion - Vessel Use Cap
E Motion - Crab Program Facility Use Cap
E Motion - Alaska Native Tribal AP Seat
E Motion - PSEIS