



# NORTH PACIFIC FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

SSC April 2025  
March 31-1, 2025

**Scientific and Statistical Committee, March 31-April 1, 2025, Virtual Meeting;**  
8am-4pm

**Zoom Link:** <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81528057277>

**Meeting ID: 815 2805 7277**

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The SSC meeting will be broadcast on zoom. If you intend to give oral testimony remotely, you must be connected to the meeting, either through zoom on your device or through the call-in phone number. **All information provided through the eAgenda or during testimony is part of the public record.** We are recording the meeting and recordings are available on the Council's [YouTube](#) channel.

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## **SSC Admin Issues**

### **Schedule**

**Attachments:** [Schedule \(link\)](#)  
[Pre-Meeting Review Documents \(link\)](#)  
[Virtual Meeting Protocols](#)

### **NPFMC Announcements**

**Attachments:** [2025 SSC Handbook TRACK CHANGES](#)  
[PPT SSC admin issues](#)  
[SSC Report April 2025\\_FINAL](#)

### **National SSC meeting**

**Attachments:** [PPT SCS Overview](#)  
[PPT SCS EXPANDED](#)  
[SCS9 Draft Potential Themes](#)  
[SCS8 proceedings](#)

## **D4 Survey modernization / B4 AFSC report**

### **AFSC survey topics**

**Attachments:** [D4 Action Memo](#)

### **Presentation on FY25 survey planning**

**Attachments:** [D4 Groundfish and Crab Surveys and Assessments revised](#)  
[PPT D4 Staff Intro](#)

[PPT D4 AFSC survey prioritization](#)

[D4 AFSC survey prioritization extra slides](#)

Review and provide recommendations on AFSC survey modernization

**Attachments:** [PPT D4 Bottom Trawl Survey](#)

[PPT D4 Long Line Survey](#)

### C3 MRA Adjustments

Initial Review of MRA Adjustments Analysis

**Attachments:** [C3 MRA Adjustments](#)

[PPT C3 MRA Modifications](#)