NORTH PACIFIC FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL
NPFMC October 2015 - 225th
October 5-13, 2015

AGENDA - 225th Plenary Session

The North Pacific Fishery Management Council will meet **October 5-13, 2015**, at the Hilton Hotel, 500 W. 3rd Avenue. Meetings to be held during the week are:

Scientific and Statistical Committee: October 5-7, 2015 – Hilton – King Salmon/Iliamna
Advisory Panel: October 6-10, 2015 – Hilton – Dillingham/Katmai
Council: October 7-13, 2015 – Hilton – Aleutian
Enforcement Committee: CANCELLED
Legislative Committee: CANCELLED

All meetings are open to the public, except for executive sessions. Information on submitting comments in writing or in person can be found in the PUBLIC COMMENT INFORMATION attached below. The deadline for written comments is 5:00 pm (AST) on Tuesday, September 29, 2015. Comments should be emailed to npfmc.comments@noaa.gov. The Council meeting will be broadcast at https://npfmc.adobeconnect.com/oct2015. Motions will be posted following the meeting.

A. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

A1 Agenda and Meeting Information

Attachments:
- Agenda
- Council Guidelines for Discussion
- SCHEDULE 1015
- PUBLIC COMMENT INFORMATION
- TRAVEL EXPENSE Anch 1Oct15
- Meeting Audio
- Newsletter
- Time Log October2015

A2 In Meeting Minutes (committee minutes and reports drafted during this meeting)

Attachments:
- C1 SSC Crab Specs_1015
- Draft SSC Minutes
- Draft AP Minutes all Oct2015
- AP Minutes 1015 Final
- SSC Report 1015 Final
- Council Summary 1015 - Final

B. REPORTS

B1 B Reports (Combined)

Attachments:
- B1 Executive Director's Report
- B1-1 Fenske Coggins
- B1-2 McBride Resignation Letter
- B1-3 HR330 Restrictions to designating monuments
- B1-4 Invite to testify on Marine Designations
- B1-5 Oliver Testimony on Marine Designations
- B1-6 Restrictions on monuments article
- B1-7 CCC Agenda and Summary
- B1-8 Recusal infomation and correspondence
- B1-9 Bycatch Reduction and Engineering Awards

B1-10 Draft Guidance for Conducting Reviews of Catch Share Programs
B1-11 Draft EBFM Policy
B1-12 Halibut Management Framework
B1-13 Resilience Adaptive Capacity Mtg Annc 107
B1 Arctic Council Delegation Ltr
HANDOUT B Council Chair Report
PUBLIC TESTIMONY Signup Sheet
PUBLIC COMMENT B FVOA
B2 Action Memo
B2 NMFS Management Report Oct2015
B2 Cost Recovery Fee Pymt Changes RIR-IRFA 0915
B2 Draft EBFM Policy
B2 EBFM Policy Presentation
B2 North Pacific Fisheries Commission Overview
B3 Action Memo
B3 ADFG Report
B3 ADFG Presentation
B3 Council Northern Bering Sea Juvenile Chinook Survey
B4 Action Memo
B4 USCG Enforcement Report 1015
B4 USCG Enforcement Presentation 1015
COMMENT ATA Support for NIOSH Funding
B5 Action Memo
B5 USFW Report
B6 Protected Species
B6-1 Oceana Greenpeace vs NMFS ruling
B6-2 Short-tailed albatross and Steller's eider BA
B6-2 USFWS response STAL_STEI
B6-3 Bowhead whale report
B6-4 MMPA revisions proposed rule
B6-5 List of Fisheries 2016
B6-6 TOR for Protected Species Review_Final 24Oct2015
B6-7 AFSC PR Review Summary_final v8
B6-8 AFSC PR Review Response

C. MAJOR ISSUES / FINAL ACTION ITEMS

C1 C1 Crab Management

Attachments:

C1 Action Memo
C1 Intro to Crab SAFE
C1 CRAB SAFE 0915
C1 Snow Crab Model 0 Results 0915
C1 NSRKC Progress 2016 Final
C1 PIGKC Survey Averaging-Random effects model_0915
C1 CPT Recommendations Tables 3-5
C1 PIRKC Tables
C1 CPT Report

C1 PUBLIC COMMENT
C1 SSC Crab Specs_1015
MOTION C1

C2 C2 Proposed Groundfish Harvest Specifications; Plan Team Reports

Attachments:
C2 Action Memo
C2_1. GFPT September 2015 report
C2_2. BSAI Gfish_specs
C2_3. BSAI PSC limits
C2_3a. CDQ ABC Reserves
C2_4. GOA Gfish Specs
C2_5. GOA Pcod Adjustments 2016
C2_6. GOA Halibut PSC Limits
Sept 2015 Groundfish Plan Team Agenda (LINK)
PUBLIC COMMENT C2
PRESENTATION C2 GOA PT Report
HANDOUT C2 BSAI PSC limits
PRESENTATION C2 Joint and BSAI GF PT Report
MOTIONS C2
PUBLIC TESTIMONY Signup Sheet

C3 C3 Pribilof Canyon Corals

Attachments:
C3 Action Memo
C3 Bering Sea Canyons, Sigler 2013
C3 EBS Canyons, Sigler 2015
C3 Bering Sea Canyons Validation of models
C3 April 2014 BS Canyons Discussion Paper
C3 Coral and Sponge Habitat in Canyons
C3 Canyons Motion April 2014
C3 PUBLIC COMMENT
C3 PUBLIC COMMENT - Petition and Signatures Only
PRESENTATION C3 NMFS - Canyons
MOTION C3 BS Canyons 10-9-15
C3 PUBLIC TESTIMONY Signup Sheet
PUBLIC COMMENT Donna Parker

C4 C4 AI Pacific Cod Allocation - Final Action

Attachments:
C4 Action Memo
C4 AI Cod Allocation-Delivery Requirement PubRev Oct2015
C4 Supplemental Table S1 (rev)
C4 Supplemental Table S2
C4 PUBLIC COMMENT
MOTION C4
C4 PUBLIC TESTIMONY Signup Sheet
PUBLIC COMMENTS DFraser ACDC-City of Adak

C5 C5 Electronic Monitoring Workgroup Recommendation for 2016 EM Pre-implementation

Attachments:
C5 Action Memo
C5 EM 2016 Pre-Implementation Plan 915

C5 EMWG minutes 30-31July2015
C5 EMWG minutes 8Sept2015
C5 Tweit AFS Aug2015
C5 PUBLIC COMMENT
MOTION C5
C5 PUBLIC TESTIMONY Signup Sheet

C6 C6 Observer Program 2016 Annual Deployment Plan - Review

Attachments:
C6 Action Memo
C6 Observer Annual Deployment Plan
C6 OLE update on Observer program violations
C6 OAC Report Sep 2015
C6 PUBLIC COMMENT
PRESENTATION ADP to SSC
UPDATED C6 OAC Report Sep 2015
MOTION C6
C6 PUBLIC TESTIMONY Signup Sheet

C7 C7 Observer Coverage on BSAI Trawl CVs - Initial Review

Attachments:
C7 Action Memo
C7 BSAI Trawl CV Observers Initial Review
HANDOUT C7 Observer data transmission
MOTION C7
C7 PUBLIC TESTIMONY Signup Sheet

C8 C8 GOA Trawl Bycatch Management - Discussion Paper

Attachments:
C8 Action Memo
GOA TBM Catch Tables1015_Excel File (LINK)
C8 GOA Trawl Bycatch Mgmt Discussion Paper_Oct2015
C8 FR NMFS Notice of Intent for EIS.pdf
C8 Public Comment on NMFS Notice of Intent to Prepare EIS
C8 PUBLIC COMMENT
C8 EIS Scoping Report for GOA TBM 1015
HANDOUT C8 Cotten motion with rationale
MOTION C8 GOA Trawl Bycatch Management
C8 PUBLIC TESTIMONY Signup Sheet

C9 C9 100% Observer Coverage on GOA Trawl Vessels

Attachments:
C9 Action Memo
C9 GOA Trawl CV Observer Coverage_Discussion Paper_Oct2015
C9 PUBLIC COMMENT
HANDOUT C9 Table_Vessel-level observer costs
C9 PUBLIC TESTIMONY Signup Sheet

C10 C10 GOA Salmon PSC Reapportionment - Preliminary Review

Attachments:
C10 Action Memo
C10 GOA Chinook PSC Reapportionment
MOTION C10 GOA Chinook PSC Reapportionment
C10 PUBLIC TESTIMONY Signup Sheet

C11 C11 Western Aleutian Islands golden king crab offload requirement - Final Review

Attachments:
C11 Action Memo
C11 WAG Full Delivery PubRev 0915
C11 Recusal Exam WAG Delivery Exemption
MOTION C11 WAG Partial Offload
C11 PUBLIC TESTIMONY Signup Sheet

D. OTHER ISSUES

D1 D1 Ecosystem Committee Report

Attachments:
D1 Action Memo
D1 Ecosystem Committeee Minutes August 2015

E. STAFF TASKING

E1 E1 Committees and Staff Tasking

Attachments:
E1 Action Memo
E1 Observer Projects 1015
E1 NPFMC Committees
E1 Tasking status Oct 2015
E1 Three meeting October 2015
E1 Groundfish Workplan Status 1015
E1 Rural Outreach Summary 1015
HANDOUT Three meeting outlook December 2015
MOTION E1 AI Groundfish Limited Access for Offshore Sectors
MOTION E1 Halibut Management Framework
MOTION E1 LL2 Observers
MOTION E1 Squid Management
MOTION E1 Yellowfin TLAs Offshore Participation Evaluation
E1 PUBLIC TESTIMONY Signup Sheet