

Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council Proposed Actions for 2018-2019. Rev. 3/15/19

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Gulf Meeting Dates:						2018					2019					
Action	Start	Rank	Council	Gulf/ NMFS Lead	IPT	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June
1 Status Determination Criteria Reef Fish Amendment 48 and Red Drum Amendment 5	08/14	A	Gulf	JF/PH	Yes										SSC Discuss	Revised PH Draft
2 Generic Amendment that establishes a carry-over provision to harvest uncaught quota	06/16	A	Gulf	RR/RM	Yes			Draft			PH Draft		SSC	Final		
3 Reef Fish Amendment 50: State management programs for recreational red snapper	04/17	A	Gulf	AL/LW	Yes	Revised Drafts		PH Drafts		PHs	PHs/ Revised Draft			Final		
4 Framework Action to modify red grouper ACLs	10/18	A	Gulf	RR/PH	Yes						Draft Options			Final		
5 Reef Fish Amendment 52: Evaluate Red Snapper Allocations	01/18	A	Gulf	MF/PH	Yes	Review NMFS Allocation Policy /Scoping Doc		Review FMP Objectives			Draft Options			Revised Draft Options		
6 Shrimp Amendment 18 for Reduction of Effort Threshold in the RS monitoring area	08/18	A	Gulf	MF/FH	Yes			Draft Options			Draft			Final		
7 Allocation Review Triggers	08/18	A	Gulf	AD		Overview		Discussion			Draft Letter			Revised Draft Letter		
8 Reef Fish Amendment 36B Commercial IFQ Modifications	01/16	B	Gulf	AL/PH	Yes	Draft			AP		AP Report/Draft			Draft		
9 Reef Fish Amendment 51: Modify gray snapper status determination criteria and catch levels	06/18	B	Gulf	JF/PH	No			Draft Options			PH Draft		SSC			Revised PH Draft
10 Framework Action to modify greater amberjack commercial trip limits	08/17	B	Gulf	LH/KO	Yes									Draft		
11 Abbreviated Framework Action: Modifications to the historical captain endorsement to reef fish and CMP permits	01/18	B	Gulf	AD/RM	Yes	Draft		Draft			Draft			Final		
12 Ecosystem Fishery Management Plan	10/18	C	Gulf	LH	No											
13 Revisions to the ABC Control Rule	03/12	C	Gulf	/RM	No											
14 Framework Action to modify greater amberjack recreational vessel limits and split seasons.	08/17	C	Gulf	LH/KO	Yes											
15 Amendment to require electronic reporting for commercial logbooks	02/13	C	Gulf/SA	JF/RM	No											
16 Amendment to consolidate ABC/ACL, sector allocations, and AMs for yellowtail snapper	10/15	C	Gulf/SA	RR/KO	No											

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<b>POSTPONED ACTIONS:</b>																
17	Reef Fish Amendment 41 for Federal Charter For-Hire Red Snapper Management (Jan 2019)	01/15		Gulf	MF/SG					AP	AP Report/Draft					
18	Reef Fish Amendment 42 for Federal Reef Fish Headboat Management (Jan 2019)	04/15		Gulf	AD/SG					AP	AP Report/Draft					
19	Action to consider requiring descending devices or venting tools onboard vessels possessing reef fish	04/17		Gulf	/PH											
20	CMP (Mackerel) Amend 29: King mackerel Allocation Sharing and Recreational AMs (Jan 2017)	04/16		Gulf/SA	RR/SG/RM											
21	Allocation sharing mechanism between the commercial and recreational sectors when ACL is not being met	10/16		Gulf	RR/AD											
22	Reef Fish Amend 39 Regional Management of Recreational Red Snapper (Jan 2016)	06/12		Gulf	AL/CM											
23	Reef Fish Amend 33 (LAPP Program) (no action Jan 2016)	08/12		Gulf	AD/SG											
24	CMP (Mackerel potentially Amend 28) Permit Split (Oct 2015)	01/15		Gulf/SA	RR/SG											
25	Red Drum Recreational Management	04/14		Gulf	RR/PH											
<b>COMPLETED ACTIONS:</b>																
26	Framework Action 7 to modify Gulf migratory group cobia minimum size and possession limits	04/18		Gulf	RR/KO	Yes	Draft		Final			Transmit				
27	Framework action to modify red snapper ACLs and ACTs and Gulf hogfish ACLs	06/18		Gulf	RR/LW		Final		Transmit							
28	Framework Action: Modification to the Recreational Red Snapper Annual Catch Target Buffers	04/17		Gulf	RR/PH		Final		Transmit							
29	Spiny Lobster Amendment 13: Modifications to gear requirements and cooperative management procedures	06/17		Gulf/SA	MK/KO		Final		Transmit							
30	Coral Amendment 9 to evaluate recommended coral areas as HAPCs or deep-sea areas	06/16		Gulf	MK/LW				Transmit							
31	Reef Fish Amendment 49: Modify sea turtle release gear and framework procedure	06/17		Gulf	CS/KO		Transmit									

There are Hidden Columns for 2009-2017 and Hidden Rows for Completed/Postponed Actions

**NOTE:**

PH = Public Hearing  
 AP = Advisory Panel  
 SA = South Atlantic

**KEY:**

OP - Options Paper  
 PH Draft - Draft for Public Hearings  
 IPT - Interdisciplinary Planning Team

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