

Shrimp Committee: Action Guide and Next Steps for Tab D

Agenda Item IV: Review of Brown, Pink, and White Shrimp Stock Assessments

Timeline Status: Information

Council Input and Next Steps: The Committee will be presented with the stock assessments for brown, white, and pink shrimp for 2016. None of the stocks are overfished nor undergoing overfishing. The Committee will also be presented with the shrimp SSC summary. This information does not require any formal Committee action.

Agenda Item V: Biological Review of the Texas Closure

Timeline Status: Information/Action

Council Input and Next Steps: The Committee will be presented with the analysis of the Texas Closure. The Shrimp AP recommendation will be presented to the Committee, and the Committee is requested to take action and determine if the Texas Closure should continue in 2018. The Committee may decide to wait until the Shrimp AP meeting summary is complete before making a recommendation.

Agenda Item VI: Summary of the Shrimp Advisory Panel Meeting

Timeline Status: Meeting Report

Council Input and Next Steps: The Committee will be presented with the Shrimp AP summary. The Committee may request additional input/clarification from the Shrimp AP chair. The Committee may wish to take action on recommendations from the Shrimp AP.
