

Committees Agenda¹
Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council

Grand Hotel Marriott
Azalea Ballroom
Point Clear, Alabama
January 26-28, 2015

Monday, January 26, 2015

8:30 am – 10:30 am: Administrative Policy Committee (Tab G) – Doug Boyd, Chair

- Update on AP and SSC Appointment Process and Structure
- Review of NMFS/NOAA Comments on 2012 SOPPs

10:30 am – 12:00 pm: Data Collection Committee (Tab E) – Harlon Pearce, Chair

- Discussion of Technical Subcommittee for Electronic Charter Boat Reporting Recommendations
- Review and Discussion of MRIP Calibration
- Review and Discussion of MRIP Red Snapper Workshop
- Electronic Monitoring/Electronic Reporting Implementation Plan

– Recess –

1:30 pm – 5:30 pm: Reef Fish Management Committee (Tab B) – John Greene, Chair

- Review of Red Snapper Update Assessment
- Reevaluation of Gag OFL and ABC for 2015-16
- Review of Mutton Snapper Update Assessment
- Review of Draft Amendment 39 – Red Snapper Recreational Regional Management
- Review of Revised Public Hearing Draft Amendment 28 – Red Snapper Allocation
- Review of Greater Amberjack Draft Framework Action
- Report of the Ad Hoc For-hire Red Snapper AP
- Final Action - Framework Action to Adjust Recreational For-Hire Red Snapper Management Measures
- Review of Options Paper to Update Minimum Stock Size Threshold for Reef Fish Stocks with Low Natural Mortality
- Discussion of Red Snapper Poaching by Mexican Lanchas

– Recess –

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Tuesday, January 27, 2015

8:30 am – 11:30 am & 1:00 pm – 5:30 pm: Reef Fish Management Committee (continued)

– Recess –

Immediately following committee recess Dr. Crabtree will hold a Red Snapper Update and Q&A Session.

Wednesday, January 28, 2015

8:30 am – 11:30 am: Mackerel Management Committee (Tab C) – Pam Dana, Chair

- Discussion of Coastal Migratory Pelagics Amendment Renumbering
- Review of SEDAR 38 – Gulf of Mexico and South Atlantic King Mackerel Stock Assessment Report
- Review of Coastal Migratory Pelagics Amendment 24 Scoping Document – South Atlantic Spanish Mackerel Allocations
- Review of Coastal Migratory Pelagics Amendment 26 Scoping Document – Gulf of Mexico and South Atlantic King Mackerel Allocations and Mixing Zone Delineation
- Review of Coastal Migratory Pelagics Amendment 28 Scoping Document – Gulf of Mexico and South Atlantic King and Spanish Mackerel Permit Split
- Discussion of Gulf of Mexico King Mackerel Gill Net Fishery Issues

11:30 am – 12:00 pm: Gulf SEDAR Committee (Tab F) – Kevin Anson, Chair

- Review of SEDAR Schedule

– Recess –