

Agenda
Reef Fish Management Committee
Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council

Hilton Riverwalk
San Antonio, TX

Tuesday, August 24th, 2021
8:30 AM – 5:30 PM CDT / 9:30 AM – 6:30 PM EDT

- I. Adoption of Agenda (**Tab B, No. 1**) – Ms. Guyas
- II. Approval of June 2021 Minutes (**Tab B, No. 2**) – Ms. Guyas
- III. Action Guide and Next Steps (**Tab B, No. 3**) – Mr. Rindone
- IV. Review of Reef Fish Landings – Ms. O'Donnell
 - a. Reef Fish Figures (**Tab B, No. 4a**)
 - b. Reef Fish ACL Updates (**Tab B, No. 4b**)
- V. Draft Framework Action: Modification of Gulf of Mexico Red Grouper Catch Limits – Dr. Freeman
 - a. Red Grouper Interim Analysis Presentation (**Tab B, No. 5e-ii**) and SSC Recommendations (**Tab B, No. 5e-i**) – Dr. Nance
 - b. Proposed Management Alternatives Presentation (**Tab B, No. 5b**) – Dr. Freeman
 - c. Document (**Tab B, No. 5c**)
 - d. Background: SEFSC Red Grouper Catch Analysis Report (**Tab B, No. 5d-i**) and Presentation (**Tab B, No. 5d-ii**)
 - e. Background: SSC Meeting Summary Report (**Tab B, No. 5e-i**)

----- Break 9:45 AM – 10:00 AM CDT / 10:45 AM – 11:00 AM EDT -----

- ~~VI. Presentation on Greater Amberjack Calibrated Landings and Catch Limits, and Proposed Management Alternatives
 - a. Calibrated Catch Presentation and SSC Recommendations (**Tab B, No. 6a**) – Dr. Nance
 - b. Background: SSC Meeting Summary Report (**Tab B, No. 5e**)
 - c. Proposed Management Alternatives Presentation (**Tab B, No. 6c**) – Dr. Froeschke~~
- VII. Discussion of Implementation of the DESCEND Act of 2020 (**Tab B, No. 7**) – Mr. Strelcheck/Ms. Levy

----- Lunch Break 11:30 AM – 12:00 PM CDT / 12:30 PM – 1:00 PM EDT -----

- VIII. Updates of 2021 Red Snapper State Management Programs – State Directors

- IX. Discussion of Final Document – Framework Action: Gulf of Mexico Red Snapper Recreational Data Calibration and Recreational Catch Limits – Mr. Rindone
 - a. Document **(Tab B, No. 9a)**
 - b. Background: Memos **(Tab B, No. 9b)**

----- **Break 2:30 PM – 2:45 PM CDT / 3:30 PM – 3:45 PM EDT** -----

- X. Reef Fish Amendments 36B and 36C: Modifications to Individual Fishing Quota (IFQ) Programs – Dr. Lasseter
 - a. Presentation **(Tab B, No. 10a)**
 - b. Public Hearing Draft Amendment 36B **(Tab B, No. 10b)**
 - c. Draft Amendment 36C **(Tab B, No. 10c)**
 - d. Ad Hoc Reef Fish IFQ AP Recommendations **(Tab B, No. 10d)**

- XI. Discussion: Draft Snapper Grouper Amendment 44 and Reef Fish Amendment 55: Modifications to Southeastern U.S. Yellowtail Snapper Jurisdictional Allocations, Catch Limits, and South Atlantic Sector Annual Catch Limits – Mr. Rindone

- XII. Presentation on Sector Separation for Four Reef Fish Species – Dr. Diagne
 - a. Presentation **(Tab B, No. 12a)**
 - b. Discussion Paper **(Tab B, No. 12b)**

- XIII. Other Business – Ms. Guyas

----- **Adjourn by 5:30 PM CDT / 6:30 PM EDT** -----

Members

McCawley/Guyas, Chair	Gill
Banks/Schieble, Vice Chair	Frazer
Bannon/Anson	Riechers/Geeslin
Boggs	Shipp
Bosarge	Spraggins/Burris
Broussard	Strelcheck/Hood
Diaz	Stunz
Dugas	Williamson
Dyskow	

Staff: Ryan Rindone/John Froeschke