

Agenda
Sustainable Fisheries

Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council

Marriott Plaza
San Antonio, Texas

Monday, August 7, 2017
2:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

- I. Adoption of Agenda (**Tab E, No. 1**) – Capt. Walker
- II. Approval of June 2017 Minutes (**Tab E, No. 2**) – Capt. Walker
- III. Action Guide and Next Steps (**Tab E, No. 3**) – Mr. Atran
- IV. Protocol for Authorizing Sea Turtle Release Gear
 - a. Presentation (**Tab E, No. 4a**) – Mr. Bergmann
 - b. Discussion Paper (**Tab E, No. 4b**) – Dr. Froeschke
- V. Lionfish Research Overview (**Tab E, No. 5**) – Dr. Frazer
- VI. Lionfish Actions by Federal and State Agencies
 - a. NMFS (**Tab E, No. 6a**) – Ms. Gerhart/Mr. Helies
 - b. USFWS (**Tab E, No. 6b**) – Mr. Constant
 - c. Florida (**Tab E, No. 6c**) – Ms. Tillotson
 - d. Alabama (**Tab E, No. 6d**) – Mr. Anson
 - e. Mississippi (**Tab E, No. 6e**) – Dr. Mickle
 - f. Texas (**Tab E, No. 6f**) – Mr. Riechers
 - g. Louisiana (**Tab E, No. 6g**) – Mr. Schieble
- VII. Other Business – Capt. Walker

Members:

David Walker, Chair

Greg Stunz, V. Chair

Patrick Banks/Chris Schieble

Roy Crabtree/Jack McGovern

Dale Diaz

Thomas Frazer

John Sanchez

Ed Swindell

Staff: Steven Atran