

Shrimp Committee Action Guide and Next Steps for Tab D

Agenda Item IV: Biological Review of the Texas Closure

Timeline Status: Information and 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 2019.

Agenda Item V: Gulf Shrimp Fishery Effort and Landings

Timeline Status: Information

Council input and next steps: The Committee will be presented with the 2019 Gulf shrimp fishery effort and landings. 2019 information will also be presented on the percent effort reduction of the Gulf shrimp fishery in the area monitored for juvenile red snapper. The Committee should consider the presentation and ask questions. This information does not require any formal Committee action.

Agenda Item VI: 2019 Royal Red Shrimp Index

Timeline Status: Information

Council input and next steps: The Committee will be presented with the 2019 Royal Red index, relating landings to the ACL. The Committee should consider the presentation and ask questions. This information does not require any formal Committee action.

Agenda Item VII: Update on Effort Data Collection

Timeline Status: Information, discussion, and feedback

Council input and next steps: The Committee will be briefed on the status of 3G cELBs before receiving two presentations related to shrimp effort data collection in the Gulf. Dr. Gallaway will present an update on a pilot project to collect effort data using P-Sea Windplot. Dr. Gloeckner will then present alternative options for collecting shrimp effort data and associated costs. The Committee should consider the presentation and ask questions. The Committee has a previous motion for a white paper on the associated costs of using expanding the P-Sea WindPlot pilot program; Council staff requests guidance on whether to include alternative options to P-Sea WindPlot within the white paper. The Committee will receive Shrimp AP recommendations

related to effort data collection and should provide guidance to Council staff on actions to be taken.

Agenda Item VIII: Shrimp AP Summaries from March 2021

Timeline Status: Meeting Report

Council input and next steps: The Committee will be presented with any remaining Shrimp AP recommendations that were not covered under other agenda items and determine if they wish to take any action.
