REVISED COMMITTEE SCHEDULE ¹
GULF OF MEXICO FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL
CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL
SALONS A-D
6121 NORTH IH-35
AUSTIN, TEXAS 78752
AUGUST 15-17, 2011

Monday August 15, 2011

9:00 am - 12:00 noon

New Council Member Orientation (Tab L)

1:30 pm – 2:00 pm

Outreach and Education Committee (Tab K)

• Outreach and Education Advisory Panel Recommendations

2:00 pm -5:00 pm

Sustainable Fisheries/Ecosystem Committee - Continued (Tab G)

- Ecosystem Scientific & Statistical Committee Report
- Presentation on Allocation by Buzz Thompson
- Final Action on the Generic Annual Catch Limits/Accountability Measures Amendment

5:00 pm - 5:15 pm

FULL COUNCIL - CLOSED SESSION

- Litigation Briefing
- Recess -

Tuesday August 16, 2011

8:30 am – 12:00 noon & 1:30 pm – 5:00 pm

Reef Fish Management Committee (Tab B)

- Final Action on Regulatory Amendment for Red Grouper Total Allowable Catch & Bag Limit
- Final Action on Amendment 32 Gag Rebuilding & Gag Annual Catch Limit
- Draft Regulatory Amendment for Fall Red Snapper Season
- Presentation on Red Snapper Economics by Wade Griffin
- Draft of Amendment 35 Greater Amberjack
- Ad Hoc Red Snapper Individual Fishing Quota 5-Year Review Panel Report
- Ad Hoc Commercial Reef Fish Individual Fishing Quota Advisory Panel Report

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¹ The established times for addressing items on the Council and committee agendas, except for those setting times for public testimony or open public comment, may be adjusted as necessary to accommodate the timely completion of discussion relevant to the agenda items. Such adjustments may result in the meeting being extended from, or completed prior to the date established by these agendas.

Wednesday August 17, 2011

8:30 am - 9:30 am

Advisory Panel Selection Committee (Tab N) - FULL COUNCIL - CLOSED SESSION

- Appointments to the Ad Hoc Headboat Advisory Panel
- Appointment of Retiring Council Members to Advisory Panels
- Report on Fishery Violations of Advisory Panel Members

9:30 am - 10:00 am

Budget/Personnel Committee (Tab E)

• Six-Month Budget Review

10:00 am – 11:00 am

Mackerel Management Committee (Tab C)

• Final Action on Mackerel Amendment 18

11:00 am – 11:30 am

Joint Mackerel/Reef Fish/Red Drum Management Committees (Tab I)

• Updates on the Proposed Rule Implementing the Aquaculture Amendment

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Artificial Reef Committee (Tab J)

- Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation and Enforcement (BOEMRE) Presentation
- Discussion of Oil Rig Removals
- Status of Artificial Reefs in Fishery Management

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Data Collection Committee (Tab F)

- Presentation on the I-Snapper Program
- Discussion on Creating an Ad Hoc Advisory Panel to Collect Private Recreational Angler Data

3:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Administrative Policy Committee (Tab O)

- Council Strategic Planning
- SEDAR Guidelines
- Ad Hoc Advisory Panel Membership
- Recess -

Immediately Following Committee Recess will be the Informal Question & Answer Session on Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Issues.