

Revised Committee Schedule¹
Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council

Courtyard Marriott
Coastal Ballroom
Gulfport, Mississippi
October 29-31, 2012

Monday, October 29, 2012

10:00 am – 10:30 am: *Ad Hoc Restoration Committee (Tab H)* – Larry Simpson, Chair

- Options for potential restoration projects under NRDA and RESTORE Act

10:30 am – 11:30 am: *Data Collection Committee (Tab E)* – Harlon Pearce, Chair

- Scoping Document for Electronic Reporting Requirements by For-Hire Vessels

– Recess –

1:00 pm – 3:00 pm: *Shrimp Management Committee (Tab D)* – Corky Perret, Chair

- Status of ELB Program
- New Shrimp Stock Assessments for Penaeid Shrimp
- SSC Recommendations
- Discussion on Exempted Fishing Permits Related to Shrimp (if any)

3:00 pm – 3:30 pm: *SSC Selection Committee (Tab I)* – Larry Simpson, Chair

- Duties and responsibilities of the SSC

3:30 pm – 4:00 pm: *Advisory Panel (AP) Selection Committee (Tab J) (Full Council – Closed Session)* – Corky Perret, Chair

- Appointments to the Ad Hoc Artificial Substrate Advisory Panel
- Appointment of former Council members to advisory panels

4:00 pm – 5:00 pm: *Full Council – Closed Session*

- Report from NOAA General Counsel

– Recess –

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.

Tuesday, October 30, 2012

8:30 am – 11:30 am & 12:30 pm – 5:30 pm: Reef Fish Management Committee (Tab B) – Bob Shipp, Chair

- Red Snapper Individual Fishing Quota 5-Year Review
- Economic Evaluation of Red Snapper Allocation
- Final Action Amendment 37 – Gray Triggerfish Rebuilding Plan
- Scoping Document Amendment 39 – Regional Management of Red Snapper
- Discussion of 2013 Red Snapper Season Non-Compliance by States
- Draft Regulatory Amendment – Vermilion Snapper Annual Catch Limit and Bag Limits
- Final Action 2013 Gag Recreational Season and Bag Limits Regulatory Amendment
- SEDAR 27 – Yellowtail Snapper Benchmark Assessment
- Additional Scientific and Statistical Committee Comments (if any)
- Additional Socioeconomic Scientific and Statistical Committee Comments (if any)
- Discussion on Exempted Fishing Permits Related to Reef Fish (if any)

– Recess –

Immediately following committee recess will be the Informal Question & Answer Session on Gulf of Mexico fishery management issues.

Wednesday, October 31, 2012

8:30 am – 9:30 am: Reef Fish Management Committee (Tab B) – Bob Shipp, Chair
(See above)

9:30 am – 10:00 am: Joint Reef Fish/Mackerel/Red Drum Committees (Tab F) – Bob Shipp/Myron Fischer/Harlon Pearce, Co-Chairs

- Review of Gulf Aquaculture FMP and proposed rule update

10:00 am – 11:30 am: Law Enforcement Committee (Tab G) – Kay Williams, Chair

- Review of strategic and operations plan

– Recess –