

AGENDA¹
GULF OF MEXICO FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL
STANDING, SPECIAL RED DRUM, AND SPECIAL SHRIMP
SCIENTIFIC AND STATISTICAL COMMITTEE
ASTOR BALLROOM
ASTOR CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA

Wednesday, March 19, 2014: 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm
Thursday, March 20, 2014: 8:30 am – 5:00 pm

Wednesday, 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm CST
Thursday, 8:30 am – as needed
Standing and Special Shrimp SSC meeting

- I. Introductions and Adoption of Agenda – Patterson
- II. Approval of October 9, 2012 Shrimp SSC summary minutes – Patterson
- III. Review of new stock assessments for penaeid shrimp- Hart
 - a. Brown shrimp
 - b. White shrimp
 - c. Pink shrimp
- IV. Biological review of the Texas closure – Nance
- V. Review draft options for shrimp amendment 15 status determination criteria for penaeid shrimp and adjustments to the shrimp FMP framework procedure– Kilgour
- VI. Discussion of ACL adjustment and accountability measures for royal red shrimp – Kilgour
- VII. Other Business - Patterson

Thursday, conclusion of Shrimp SSC – 5:00 pm CST
Standing and Special Red Drum SSC meeting

- VIII. Introductions and adoption of agenda – Patterson
- IX. Approval of May 19, 2010 Red Drum SSC summary minutes – Patterson
 - a. Approval of May 19, 2010 red drum portion of SSC summary minutes
 - b. Review of January 23-24, 2014 red drum portion of Standing and Reef Fish SSC summary minutes (approval deferred until next Reef Fish SSC meeting)
- X. Discussion of possible data poor methods to set OFL
 - a. Review of method based on Martell and Froese – Froeschke
 - b. Discussion of other data poor methods and data needs – Froeschke/Patterson

- XI. Formation of a Data Triage Working Group – Patterson
 - a. Charge to the working group
 - b. Selection of working group members

- XII. Plan of action and next steps – Atran/Patterson

Standing SSC meeting

- XIII. Analysis needs for further development of ABC control rule alternatives
- XIV. Review of new National Standard 2 guidelines
- XV. Selection of SSC representative at April 7-11, 2014 Council meeting (Baton Rouge) – Patterson
- XVI. Other Business - Patterson

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