

PERMIT STACKING COST RECOVERY REPORT

The Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act ([MSA](#)) Section 303A(e) requires that fees be charged to recover identified costs of “management, data collection and analysis, and enforcement activities” for limited access privilege programs such as this Council’s limited entry fixed gear permit stacking program. At this meeting, the National Marine Fisheries Services will provide a report on its preliminary assessments of the need for cost recovery in relation to the permit stacking program (Agenda Item D.2.a, NMFS Report).

Council Action:

Consider any necessary action based on the cost recovery report.

Reference Materials:

1. Agenda Item D.2.a, NMFS Report: Recovery of Incremental Costs Associated with the Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery Sablefish Permit Stacking Program.

Agenda Order:

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| D.2. Permit Stacking Cost Recovery Report | Jim Seger |
| a. NMFS Cost Recovery Report | Frank Lockhart |
| b. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities | |
| c. Public Comment | |
| d. Council Action: Consider any Necessary Action Based on the Cost Recovery Report | |