

Pacific Council Workload Planning: Preliminary Year-at-a-Glance Summary

All shaded items are candidates for rescheduling, (advanced or postponed) and may be used as placeholders to acknowledge intent to address issues at in the future. There is no implied priority among shaded agenda items based on which meeting they appear. An acronym list is on the next page.

Lighter shaded items are dependent on receipt of special project funding.

	September 12-18, 2017 (Boise)	November 14-20, 2017 (Costa Mesa)	March 8-14, 2018 (Rohnert Park)	April 4-11, 2018 (Portland)	June 6-14, 2018 (Spokane)
CPS	Acoustic Trawl Survey Methodology Review Terms of Reference	NMFS Rpt EFP Notice of Intent for 2017 Method Rev.-- Identify Topics		NMFS Report ATS Methodology Rev. Final Approval Sardine Assessment & Management Measures Final Anchovy Abundance and Reference Point Update	
Groundfish	NMFS Report Inseason Mgmt EM Halibut DMR & 3rd Party Rev, Prelim. Approve Stock assessments Stock Assessment Methodology Rev. Off-Year Science Improvements Initial Actions for 2019-2020 Spex. Salmon/Seabird Bycatch BiOp ITS EFH-RCA Amendment FPA Mid-Biennium Harvest Specifications Adjustments FPA 5-Yr. Catch Share Rev. Init. ROA and Intersector Allocation Coastwide MWT Non-whiting EFP, Final and Gear Modification EFP Rev./Renew Flexibility in ACL Management Response Scoping, P&N Lingcod/Sablefish IFQ Discard Survival Credits: ROA (incl. w/ Spex?)	NMFS Report Inseason Mgmt EM Halibut DMR & 3rd Party Rev, Final Stock Assessment Clean-up & Rebuilding Analyses Fisheries in 2019-2020 Biennial Spex PPA Mgmt Measures ROA Preliminary EFP Approval 5-Yr. Catch Share Rev. Final and Follow On Issues ROA Cost Recovery Update Lingcod/Sablefish IFQ Discard Survival Credits: FPA (incl. w/ Spex?)	NMFS Report Inseason Mgmt Initial Stk Assmnt Plan & TORs Fisheries in 2019-2020 Check-In Whiting Update & Set-aside 5-Yr. Catch Share Follow On PPA Flexibility in ACL Management Response ROA	NMFS Report Inseason Mgmt Fisheries in 2019-2020 Biennial Spex Adopt FPA Mgmt Measures PPA 5-Yr. Catch Share Follow On FPA	NMFS Report Inseason Mgmt Final Stk Assmnt Plan & TORs Fisheries in 2019-2020 Mgmt Measures FPA Omnibus Workload Considerations Flexibility in ACL Management Response FPA
HMS	NMFS Report International Issues EFP Initial Review/Final Approval FMP Amend/SDC Final Action Swordfish Mgt. Project Planning DSBG Authorization-ROA	NMFS Report International Issues Amendment Authorizing SS-Longline Fishery Outside EEZ : ROA DSBG Authorization-Revise ROA/PPA	NMFS Report International Issues EFP Initial Review/Final Approval Amendment Authorizing SS-Longline Fishery Outside EEZ : PPA DSBG Authorization-Permit: FPA		NMFS Report International Issues EFP Initial Review/Final Approval Amendment Authorizing SS-Longline Fishery Outside EEZ : FPA Scope Biennial Mgmt Measure Changes, SDC, & Ref. Pts.
Salmon	Method Rev: Adopt Priorities SRWC Control Rule Prelim. Recomm.	NMFS Rpt Method Rev: Final Approval SRWC Control Rule Final Recomm. 2018 Preseason Mgmt Schd	NMFS Rpt Approve Salmon Review (SAFE), Forecasts, SDC, & ACLs 2018 Season Setting (5)	2018 Method Rev.--Identify Topics 2018 Season Setting (4)	
Ecosystem	FEP Initiatives Update Sablefish Ecosystem Indicators Climate Vulnerability Assessment Report		FEP 5-Year Review FEP Initiatives Update CA Current Ecosystem Rpt Incl. IEA Rpt		
Other	Routine Admin (11) Habitat Issues P. Halibut: CSP Change-Preliminary	Routine Admin (11) Habitat Issues Tri-State Enforcement Report P. Halibut: CSP Change Final	Routine Admin (9) Habitat Issues CCC Meeting Update NMS Coordination Report MP Update P. Halibut: Prelim Incidental Regs P. Halibut: IPHC Meeting	Routine Admin (9) Habitat Issues Annual USCG Fishery Enf. Rpt P. Halibut: Final Troll Incidental Regs	Routine Admin (11) Habitat Issues CCC Meeting Update P. Halibut CSP Change Scoping/Alts Research and Data Needs, Prelim.
Approximate Floor Time	7.1 days	6.5 days	6.8 days	5.1 days	5 days

ACRONYMS

ACL	Annual Catch Limits
ATS	Acoustic Trawl Survey
BSIA	Best Scientific Info. Available
BiOp	Biological Opinion
CCC	Council Coordination Committee
CSNA	Central Subpopulation of Northern Anchovy
COP	Council Operating Procedure
CPS	Coastal Pelagic Species
CSP	Catch Sharing Plan
DGN	Drift Gillnet
DMR	Discard Mortality Rate
DSBG	Deep Set Buoy Gear
EBFM	Ecosystem Based Fishery Mgt.
EEZ	Exclusive Economic Zone
EFH	Essential Fish Habitat
EFP	Exempted Fishing Permit
ESA	Endangered Species Act
FEP	Fishery Ecosystem Plan
FMP	Fishery Management Plan
FPA	Final Preferred Alternative
GF	Groundfish
GSI	Genetic Stock Identification
HMS	Highly Migratory Species
IEA	Integrated Ecosystem Assessment
IFQ	Individual Fishing Quota
ITS	Incidental Take Statement
IPHC	International Pacific Halibut Commission
LE	Limited Entry
MP	Marine Planning (formerly CMSP)
MSE	Management Strategy Evaluation
MSST	Minimum Stock Size Threshold
MWT	Midwater Trawl
NMS	National Marine Sanctuaries
NS1G	National Standard 1 Guidelines
OFL	Overfishing Level
PPA	Preliminary Preferred Alternative
RCA	Rockfish Conservation Area
ROA	Range of Alternatives
SAFE	Stock Assessment and Fishery Evaluation
SDC	Status Determination Criteria
SPEX	Harvest Specifications
SS	Shallow Set (Longline)
SRWC	Sacramento R. winter Chinook
TOR	Terms of Reference