

PROPOSED AGENDA

Highly Migratory Species Advisory Subpanel  
Highly Migratory Species Management Team  
Webinar

Pacific Fishery Management Council

**Wednesday, February 26, 2020, 1:30 p.m.**

Public comment will be taken, time permitting, at the end of the webinar. Times on this agenda are subject to change once the meeting begins. Agenda items listed under the Advisory Body Administrative Matters are in numerical order; other agenda items reflect their Council Meeting Agenda numbering.

The primary purpose of this webinar is for the HMSAS and HMSMT to hear about relevant topics on the Council's March 2020 meeting agenda and plan reports to be submitted at the meeting.

**HMS Administrative Matters**

1. Webinar logistics and roll call

Kit Dahl

**I. Highly Migratory Species Kit Dahl (1:45 p.m.)**

2. Review of Essential Fish Habitat – Scoping

**Council Action:** Approve the Scope, Objectives, and Schedule for the Review of Essential Fish Habitat

- 3 International Management Activities

**Council Action:** Provide Recommendations on U.S. Positions at Upcoming Meetings Regarding the U.S./Canada Albacore Tuna Treaty and Other Forums, as Appropriate

4. Drift Gillnet Fishery Hard Caps Update

**Council Action:** Review the Final Rule, Revisit Previous Council Recommendations, and Provide Guidance on Future Council Considerations

**G. Ecosystem (3:00 p.m.)**

1. California Current Ecosystem and Integrated Ecosystem Assessment (IEA) Report and Science Review Topics

**Council Action:** Review the California Current Ecosystem Report and Consider Ecosystem Science Review Topics for 2020

2. Fishery Ecosystem Plan (FEP) Five-Year Review

**Council Action:** Adopt Final Updates to FEP Chapters 1 and 2, Including a Vision Statement, and a Revised Set of Goals and Objectives; Review Proposed Changes to Remaining Chapters

3. Climate and Communities Initiative Workshop Report

**Council Action:** Review the Workshop Report and Provide Guidance on the Scenario Planning Exercise and Completion of the Initiative

The HMSAS and HMSMT will not be able to complete reports on these items, should they so desire, at their March meetings in time for the related Council agenda items. However, report contents could be discussed on this webinar with the intention of finalizing reports in advance of the Council meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

4:00 p.m.

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