

FISHERY ECOSYSTEM PLAN FIVE-YEAR REVIEW

In September 2018, the Pacific Fishery Management Council (Council) initiated a review of the Council's Pacific Coast Fishery Ecosystem Plan (FEP). In March 2020, the Council adopted revised Chapters 1 and 2 for public review, which include a vision statement, goals and objectives, and other reorganized elements in these chapters from the current FEP. The Council directed the ad hoc Ecosystem Workgroup (EWG) to continue reviewing and revising FEP Chapter 3 and provide a draft for review at the September 2020 Council meeting (Agenda Item F.1.a, EWG Report 1). At this meeting, the Council will also solicit public comment on proposed revisions to Chapters 4 and 5.

In March, the Ecosystem Workgroup (EWG) submitted an annotated outline for the revision of the FEP Chapters 3-6 (Appendix 2, [Agenda Item G.2.a, Supplemental EWG Report 1](#)); the outline of Chapters 4 and 5 is excerpted in Attachment 1. The EWG may make additional refinements to this outline in a supplemental report.

Council Action:

Review Draft Chapter 3 and Proposed Revisions to Chapters 4 and 5 and Provide Guidance.

Reference Materials:

1. Agenda Item F.2, Attachment 1: Proposed Outline of Fishery Ecosystem Plan Chapters 4 and 5 (Excerpted from Agenda Item G.2.a, Supplemental EWG Report 1, March 2020).
2. Agenda Item F.2.a, EWG Report 1: Draft Revised Fishery Ecosystem Plan Chapter 3.
3. If received, Public Comments are electronic only ([see e-portal](#)).

Agenda Order:

- F.2 Fishery Ecosystem Plan Five-Year Review Kit Dahl
- a. Reports and Comments of Management Entities and Advisory Bodies
 - b. Public Comment
 - c. **Council Action:** Review Draft Chapter 3 and Proposed Revisions to Chapters 4 and 5 and Provide Guidance