

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 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.

	March 4-10, 2023 Seattle, WA	April 1-7, 2023 Foster City, CA	June 21-27, 2023 Vancouver, WA	September 7-14, 2023 Spokane, WA	November 1-8, 2023 Garden Grove, CA
CPS		NMFS Report EFP Final Approval for 2023 Sardine Assessment & Management Measures Final FMP - Housekeeping Essential Fish Habitat - ROA/PPA	NMFS Report Mackerel Assessment & Biennial Management Measures Final Essential Fish Habitat - FPA		NMFS Report EFP Preliminary Review Stock Assessment Prioritization
Groundfish	NMFS Report Inseason Management Workload & New Mgt. Meas. Priorities Whiting Treaty Implementation Pot Gear Marking Feasibility Report AM 31: Stock Definitions - ROA/PPA for All Stocks Electronic Monitoring FPA Non-Trawl Area Mgt. - FPA Final Assessment Methodologies	NMFS Report Inseason Management Trawl Cost Recovery Annual Rpt. Trawl Catch Share Cost Project - Update Sablefish Gear Switching Check In	NMFS Report Inseason Management Workload & New Mgt. Meas. Update Adopt Stock Assessments 2025-2026 Harvest Specifications & Management Measures Planning AM 31: Stock Definitions - FPA Endangered Species Workgroup Rpt. Trawl Catch Program & Inter-Sector Alloc. Rev. - Scoping Sablefish Gear Switching PPA	NMFS Report Inseason Management Workload & New Mgt. Meas. Update Adopt Stock Assessments Initial Actions for 2025-2026 Mgmt. Biennial Spex OFL/ABC - ROA Stock Assessment Methodology Rev. Preliminary Topic Selection Trawl Catch Program & Inter-Sector Alloc. Rev. - Scoping Trawl Catch Share Cost Project - Final Report	NMFS Report Inseason Mgt. & Whiting Set Asides Fisheries in 2025-26 Biennial Spex OFL/ABC, ACL-FPA Mgmt Measures ROA Preliminary EFP Approval Sablefish Gear Switching FPA
HMS	NMFS Report International Issues Biennial Mgt Measures and Harvest Spex - SDC Recomm. - Final EFPs - Criteria		NMFS Report International Issues EFPs: Preliminary Recommendations DGN Bycatch Performance Report SMMP Workshop Planning DGN Hard Caps - FPA	NMFS Report International Issues EFPs - Final Recommendations Opah Stock Considerations Essential Fish Habitat - ROA/PPA	NMFS Report International Issues Biennial Mgt Measures and Harvest Spex - SDC Recomm. - Prelim. Essential Fish Habitat - FPA
Salmon	NMFS Rpt Approve Salmon Review (SAFE), Forecasts, SDC, & ACLs 2023 Season Setting (5)	NMFS Rpt 2023 Method Rev.--Identify Topics 2023 Season Setting (4) FMP Clarifications SRKW	SRFC and KRFC Cons. Obj. Review SRFC Age-Structured Assess.	Method Rev: Final Topic Priorities	NMFS Rpt Method Rev: Final 2024 Preseason Mgmt Schd
Ecosystem	CA Current Ecosystem Rpt Incl. IEA Rpt & Science Rev. Topics FEP Initiative Progress Review			FEP Initiative Progress Review	
Pacific Halibut	IPHC Meeting Report Prelim Salmon Troll/Final Sablefish Incidental Regs	Final Salmon Troll Incidental Regs	Catch Sharing Plan Changes & Comm. Fishery Reg. Changes Scoping	Catch Sharing Plan Changes & 2024 Reg. Directed Comm. Regs Prelim. Recomm. Catch Sharing & Comm Fishery Reg. Changes ROA, PPA	Catch Sharing Plan Changes & 2024 Reg. Directed Comm. Regs Final Recomm. Catch Sharing & Comm Fishery Reg. Changes FPA
Other	Routine Admin (9) Habitat Issues Report of the ONMS USCG Annual Report Marine Planning Update	Routine Admin (9) Habitat Issues Council Efficiencies EEJ Regional Implementation	Routine Admin (11) Habitat Issues Council Efficiencies CCC Meeting Update Regional Recusal Determination Procedure Handbook Marine Planning Update	Routine Admin (11) Habitat Issues Research & Data Needs Priorities - Prelim. Marine Planning Update	Routine Admin (10) Habitat Issues CCC Meeting Update Research & Data Needs Priorities - Final Tri-State Enforcement Report Marine Planning Update
Approximate Floor Time	5.4 days	4.5 days	6.1 days	4.3 days	5.4 days

ACRONYMS

AB	Advisory Body
ACL	Annual Catch Limits
BSIA	Best Scientific Info. Available
BiOp	Biological Opinion
CCA	Cowcod Conservation Area
CCC	Council Coordination Committee
CCE	California Current Ecosystem
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
EIS	Environmental Impact Statemet
EM	Electronic Monitoring
ET	Electronic Technology
ESA	Endangered Species Act
FEP	Fishery Ecosystem Plan
FG	Fixed Gear
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
MRIP	Marine Recreational Information Program
MWT	Midwater Trawl
NMS	National Marine Sanctuaries
NS1G	National Standard 1 Guidelines
OFL	Overfishing Level
ONMS	Office of National Marine Sanctuaries
P&N	Purpose and Need
PPA	Preliminary Preferred Alternative
RCA	Rockfish Conservation Area
ROA	Range of Alternatives
SAFE	Stock Assessment and Fishery Evaluation
SDC	Status Determination Criteria
SMMP	Swordfish Management and Monitoring Plan
SONCC	Southern OR/Northern CA Coastal
SPEX	Harvest Specifications
SS	Shallow Set (Longline)
TBD	To Be Determined
TOR	Terms of Reference