

NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE REPORT AND
ELECTRONIC MONITORING UPDATE

The National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) West Coast Region will provide updates to the Pacific Fishery Management Council (Council) regarding rulemakings and notices posted in the *Federal Register* as well as updating the Council on its current workload and future rulemaking plans (Agenda Item F.1.a, NMFS Report 1, March 2024).

NMFS will also provide an update on the implementation of the West Coast electronic monitoring (EM) regulatory program (Agenda Item F.1.a, NMFS Report 1, March 2024). At the Council meeting, the Pacific States Marine Fisheries Commission will present information regarding the reimbursement program provided by Congressional appropriations.

The NMFS Northwest Fisheries Science Center is expected to discuss current groundfish-related science and research activities with the Council.

Council Action:

Council Discussion and Guidance, as Appropriate.

Reference Materials:

1. Agenda Item F.1.a, NMFS Report 1: National Marine Fisheries Service Report On Recently Published Groundfish Rulemakings & Workload.
2. If received, Public Comments are Electronic-Only ([see e-portal](#)).

Agenda Order:

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| F.1 | National Marine Fisheries Service Report | Todd Phillips |
| a. | Regulatory Activities | Keeley Kent |
| b. | Pacific States Marine Fisheries Commission | Caren Braby |
| c. | Fisheries Science Center Activities | Craig Russell |
| d. | Reports and Comments of Management Entities and Advisory Bodies | |
| e. | Public Comment | |
| f. | Council Discussion and Guidance, as Appropriate | |