

PROPOSED AGENDA

Groundfish Advisory Subpanel

Pacific Fishery Management Council
DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Spokane City Center
Suite C/ D
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Spokane, WA 99201
Phone: 509-455-9600
September 18-21, 2024

This Groundfish Advisory Subpanel (GAP) meeting will be held in person and is open to the public. Pertinent information will be posted on the Council's [meeting webpage](#) prior to the meeting. A dedicated public comment agenda item has been scheduled for each day. Additional public comments may be taken at the discretion of the Chair. Dates and times on this agenda are subject to change once the meeting begins. Breaks will be taken as necessary, at the discretion of the Chair. Agenda items listed under the GAP Administrative Matters are in numerical order; other agenda items reflect their Council Meeting Agenda numbering. Times not specified for discussion and/or presentations will be allocated to the Advisory Body's drafting and reviewing of statements, reports, etc.

Wednesday, September 18, 2024 – 8:00 AM

GAP Administrative Matters

1. Roll Call, Introductions, Announcements, etc. Susan Chambers, Chair
2. Opening Remarks and Agenda Overview Jessi Doerpinghaus
3. Approve Agenda GAP

C. Cross Fishery Management Plan

1. Marine Planning Kerry Griffin
(8:15 a.m.; Report to Council Thursday, September 19)

H. Ecosystem Management

1. Fishery Ecosystem Plan Initiative 4: Groundfish and Salmon Risk Tables – Progress Review EWG members
(9:15 a.m., Joint GMT/GAP session in Suite C/D; Report to Council Friday, September 20)

I. Groundfish Management

2. Methodology Review: Preliminary Fishery Impact Model Topics
(10:30 a.m.; continue discussion from webinar; Report to Council Saturday, September 21)
4. 2025 and 2027 Stock Assessment Plan and Schedule
(11:00 a.m.; continue discussion from webinar; Report to Council Saturday, September 21)

GAP Administrative Matters (continued)

- 4. Draft and Review Statements
(1:00 p.m.)

- 5. Vessel Monitoring System Online Declaration System Briefing
(1:30 p.m.) Brian Corrigan
/Christy Pearsall

Public Comment Period

(2:00 p.m. or immediately following the previous agenda item)

F. Pacific Halibut Management

- 1. 2025 Catch Sharing Plan and Annual Regulations – Preliminary Angela Forristall
(2:30 p.m.; Report to Council Friday, September 20)

- 2. Commercial Fishery Regulation Changes: Vessel Monitoring Systems, Seabird Avoidance,
and Catch Reporting - Range of Alternatives, Preliminary
Preferred Alternative Angela Forristall
(3:30 p.m.; Report to Council Friday, September 20)

Thursday, September 19, 2024 – 8:00 AM

I. Groundfish Management (continued)

- 1. National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) Report including
Sablefish Management Strategy Evaluation Update Keeley Kent/Craig Russell
(8:15 a.m.; Joint GMT/GAP session in Suite C/D; Report to Council Saturday, September
21)

C. Cross Fishery Management Plan (continued)

- 2. Equity and Environmental Justice (EEJ)- Gap Analysis Framework and Regional
Implementation Plan Angela Forristall
(9:15 a.m.; Joint GMT/GAP session in Suite C/D; Report to Council Friday, September 20)

GAP Administrative Matters (continued)

- 6. Draft and Review Statements
(10:00 a.m.)

I. Groundfish Management (continued)

- 3. Final Trawl Cost Project Jessi Doeringhaus/Melissa Errand/
Darrell Brannon
(1:00 p.m.; Report to Council Saturday, September 21)

Public Comment Period

(2:30 p.m. or immediately following the previous agenda item)

GAP Administrative Matters (continued)

- 7. Draft and Review Statements
(2:45 p.m.)

Friday, September 20, 2024 – 8:00 AM

I. Groundfish Management (continued)

- 6. Inseason Adjustments for 2024 and Technical Corrections for 2025-2026 —Final Action Todd Phillips
(8:15 a.m.; Joint GMT/GAP session in Suite C/D; Report to Council Sunday, September 22)

C. Cross Fishery Management Plan (continued)

- 3. Inflation Reduction Act Projects- Check In Gilly Lyons
(9:00 a.m., Joint GMT/GAP session in Suite C/D, Report to Council Saturday, September 21)

I. Groundfish Management (continued)

- 5. Stock Definitions for Species Assessed in 2025 and 2027- Preliminary Preferred Alternative
(10:30 a.m.; continue discussion from webinar; Report to Council Sunday, September 22)

Public Comment Period

(11:00 a.m.)

GAP Administrative Matters (continued)

- 8. Draft and Review Statements
(11:15 a.m.)

I. Groundfish Management (continued)

- 7. Trawl Catch Share Program and Intersector Allocation Reviews- Scoping Jessi Doerpinghaus
(1:30 p.m., Report to Council Sunday, September 22)

- 8. Phase 2 Stock Definitions- Scoping Todd Phillips
(3:00 p.m., Continue discussion from webinar; Report to Council Sunday, September 22)

GAP Administrative Matters (continued)

- 9. Draft and Review Statements
(4:00 p.m.)

Saturday, September 21, 2024 – 8:00 AM

GAP Administrative Matters (continued)

10. Draft and Review Statements
(8:00 a.m.)

I. Groundfish Management (continued)

6. Inseason Adjustments for 2024 and Technical Corrections for
2025-2026 —Final Action (continued)
(8:30 a.m.; Report to Council Sunday, September 22)

GAP Administrative Matters (continued)

11. Draft and Review Statements
(9:15 a.m.)

Public Comment Period

(11:40 a.m.)

K. Administrative Matters

3. Membership Appointments and Council Operating Procedures-
Including Final 2025-27 Advisory Body Composition
(1:00 p.m., Report to Council Monday, September 23) Jessi Doerpinghaus

4. Future Council Meeting Agenda and Workload Planning
(1:30 p.m.; Report to Council Monday, September 23) Susan Chambers

GAP Administrative Matters (continued)

12. Draft and Review Statements
(2:00 p.m.)

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