

PROPOSED PACIFIC COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA, MARCH 5-11, 2025 VANCOUVER, WASHINGTON

Acronyms	Thur, March 6	Fri, March 7	Sat, March 8	Sun, March 9	Mon, March 10	Tue, March 11
<p><i>EAS/EWG: Ecosystem Advisory Subpanel/Work Group</i></p> <p><i>EC: Enforcement Consultants</i></p> <p><i>ED: Executive Director</i></p> <p><i>FPA: Final Preferred Alternative</i></p> <p><i>GAP/GMT: Groundfish Advisory Subpanel /Mgmt. Team</i></p> <p><i>HC: Habitat Committee</i></p> <p><i>HMS: Highly Migratory Species</i></p> <p><i>HMSAS/MT: HMS Advisory Subpanel/Mgmt. Team</i></p> <p><i>IPHC: International Pacific Halibut Committee</i></p> <p><i>LC: Legislative</i></p> <p><i>NMFS: National Marine Fisheries Service</i></p> <p><i>NSG: National Standard Guidelines</i></p> <p><i>PPA: Preliminary Preferred Alternative</i></p> <p><i>SAS/STT: Salmon Advisory Subpanel /Technical Team</i></p> <p><i>SSC: Scientific and Statistical Committee</i></p> <p><i>USCG: United States Coast Guard</i></p>	<p>CLOSED SESSION 8 AM Discuss Litigation & Personnel Matters (1 hr)</p> <hr/> <p>A. CALL TO ORDER 9 AM 1-4. Opening Remarks, Roll Call, Approve Agenda, ED Report (30 min)</p> <hr/> <p>B. OPEN COMMENT 1. Comments on Non-Agenda Items (30 min)</p> <hr/> <p>C. CROSS FMP 1. Proposed Rule: Modifications to NSG 4, 8, & 9 – <i>part 1, continues on Mon</i> (30 min)</p> <hr/> <p>D. PACIFIC HALIBUT 1. IPHC Report (1 hr) 2. Incidental Limits: Salmon Troll Options & Fixed Gear Sablefish Final Action (30 min)</p> <hr/> <p>E. HABITAT 1. Habitat Issues (1 hr)</p> <hr/> <p>F. SALMON 1. NMFS Rpt. (1 hr) 2. Review of 2024 Fisheries & 2025 Stock Forecasts (1 hr 30 min)</p>	<p>F. SALMON 3. Identify Management Objectives & Preliminary Definition of 2025 Management Alternatives (2 hr 30 min)</p> <hr/> <p>G. ECOSYSTEM 1. California Current Annual Ecosystem Status Report (2 hr)</p> <hr/> <p>C. CROSS FMP 2. USCG Annual Report (1 hr) 3. Marine Planning (2 hr)</p>	<p>H. GROUND FISH 1. NMFS Rpt. (30 min) 2. Biological Opinion – Humpback Whales and Leatherback Sea Turtles (1 hr 30 min)</p> <hr/> <p>F. SALMON 4. 2025 Mgt. Alternative Analysis Recommendations (1 hr)</p> <hr/> <p>H. GROUND FISH 3. 2025 Pacific Whiting Fishery (2 hr) 4. Stock Assessment Accepted Practices Guidelines (1 hr) 5. Cordell Bank Conservation Area Revisions - FPA (1 hr 30 min)</p>	<p>H. GROUND FISH 6. Phase 2 – Stock Definitions, PPA (2 hour)</p> <hr/> <p>F. SALMON 5. Further Direction for 2025 Mgmt. Alternatives (30 min)</p> <hr/> <p>H. GROUND FISH 7. Limited Entry Fixed Gear Follow On Actions – PPA (2 hr) 8. Workload and New Management Measure Priorities (2 hr) 9. Inseason Adjustments (1 hr)</p>	<p>C. CROSS FMP 1. Proposed Rule: Modifications to NSG 4, 8, & 9 – <i>part 2, continued from Thur</i> (1 hr 30 min)</p> <hr/> <p>I. HIGHLY MIGRATORY SPECIES 1. NMFS Report (30 min) 2. International Management Activities (1 hr) 3. 2025-26 Biennial Harvest Spec & Management Measures – Final (1 hr 30 min)</p> <hr/> <p>F. SALMON 6. Further Direction for 2025 Mgmt. Alternatives (30 min)</p> <hr/> <p>J. ADMINISTRATIVE 1. Legislative Matters (30 min) 2. Approve Mtg. Record (15 min)</p>	<p>F. SALMON 7. Adopt 2025 Mgt. Alternatives for Public Review (1 hr 30 min) 8. Appoint Salmon Hearings Officers (15 min)</p> <hr/> <p>J. ADMINISTRATIVE 3. Membership Appointments & Council Operating Procedures (30 min) 4. Future Council Meeting Agenda & Workload Planning (2 hr)</p> <div style="border: 2px solid green; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Time estimates are approximate & agenda items may be cancelled or rescheduled. Council and Advisory Body schedules are tentative and are not reliable for planning at this stage. AB listed in bold are proposed as in-person sessions. See the Council website for more details.</p> </div>
Meetings in Advance						
<i>HMAS/MT, HC, MPC</i>						
Wed, March 5	7.5 hr	7.5 hr	7.5 hr	7.5 hr	5.8 hr	4.3 hr
<p>7 am Secretariat</p> <p>8 am GAP & GMT</p> <p>8 am SAS & STT</p> <p>8 am SSC</p> <p>1 pm LC</p> <p>2 pm EC</p>	<p>7 am State Delegations</p> <p>8 am Secretariat</p> <p>8 am GAP & GMT</p> <p>8 am SAS & STT</p> <p>8 am SSC</p> <p>8 am EAS & EWG</p> <p>As needed EC</p> <p>6 pm Chair's Reception</p>	<p>7 am State Delegations</p> <p>8 am Secretariat</p> <p>8 am GAP & GMT</p> <p>8 am SAS & STT</p> <p>8 am EAS & EWG</p> <p>As needed EC</p>	<p>7 am State Delegations</p> <p>8 am Secretariat</p> <p>8 am GAP & GMT</p> <p>8 am SAS & STT</p> <p>As needed EC (online)</p>	<p>7 am State Delegations</p> <p>8 am Secretariat</p> <p>8 am GAP & GMT</p> <p>8 am SAS & STT</p> <p>As needed EC (online)</p>	<p>7 am State Delegations</p> <p>8 am Secretariat</p> <p>8 am SAS & STT</p> <p>As needed EC (online)</p>	<p>7 am State Delegations</p> <p>8 am Secretariat</p> <p>8 am STT</p>