

PROPOSED AGENDA

Groundfish Subcommittee of the Scientific and Statistical Committee

Pacific Fishery Management Council
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June 11, 2025

The Groundfish Subcommittee (GFSC) of the Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC) is conducting a meeting which is open to the public and a dedicated public comment period has been scheduled. Additional public comments may be taken at the discretion of the Chair. Pertinent information will be posted to the Council's [June 2025 meeting webpage](#) prior to the meeting. This meeting is being conducted in person with a web broadcast that provides the opportunity for remote public comment.

Times on this agenda are subject to change once the meeting begins. Agenda items listed under SSC GFSC Administrative Matters are in numerical order; other agenda items reflect their Council Meeting Agenda numbering.

Committee member work assignments are noted in parentheses at the end of each agenda item. The first name listed is the discussion leader and the second, the rapporteur.

The SSC GFSC will review two update stock assessments and prepare their recommendations for the SSC and Pacific Council consideration at their June 2025 meetings. Assessment recommendations may include endorsing these new stock assessments for management use or requesting further analyses to be reviewed at the late September review panel (as outlined in the [Terms of Reference for the Groundfish Stock Assessment Review Process for 2025-2026](#)). Recommendations from the SSC GFSC are not considered final until reviewed by the full SSC.

Wednesday, June 11, 2025 – 10 AM

SSC GFSC Administrative Matters

- a. Roll Call, Introductions, Announcements, etc.
- b. Review Rapporteur Assignments and Approve Agenda
- c. Open Discussion

John Field/Cheryl Barnes

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD
10:15 a.m. (or immediately following SSC GFSC c. Open Discussion)
Public comments, including comments on issues not on the agenda, are accepted at this time.

E. Groundfish Management

4. Adopt Stock Assessments

a. Yelloweye Rockfish Update Assessment

Stock Assessment Team (STAT) presentation

Morgan Johnston/Claire Rosemond

b. SSC GFSC Discussion and Recommendations

(10:30 a.m.; **Schaffler; Barnes**)

LUNCH (12:30 – 1:30 p.m.)

E. Groundfish Management (*continued*)

4. Adopt Stock Assessments

c. Widow Rockfish Update Assessment

STAT presentation

Mico Kinneen/Maurice Goodman

d. SSC GFSC Discussion and Recommendations

(1:30 p.m.; **Budrick; Field**)

BREAK (3:30 – 3:45 p.m.)

E. Groundfish Management

8. 2027-2028 Harvest Specifications and Management Measures Planning

a. Review of Process Plan

b. Review of default Harvest Control Rules and OFL/ABC specifications

(3:45 p.m.; **Tsou ; Hamel**)

SSC GFSC Administrative Matters

d. Report and Recommendation Review

(4:30 p.m.)

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