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Supplemental HMSMT Report 1
April 2026

HIGHLY MIGRATORY SPECIES MANAGEMENT TEAM REPORT ON FUTURE MEETING AGENDA AND WORKLOAD PLANNING

The Highly Migratory Species Management Team (HMSMT) reviewed the Year-at-a-Glance (YAG) (I.2, Attachment 1) summary and the proposed June Quick Reference agenda (I.2, Attachment 2).

While the HMS Advisory Subpanel (HMSAS) has requested to meet in person at the June meeting to discuss multiple International agenda items for which industry has substantial input, the HMSMT does not think it is necessary for the team to meet in person. The HMSMT can conserve Pacific Fishery Management Council resources and provide their input with the HMSAS meeting in person and the HMSMT meeting virtually, with a hybrid option available for joint session discussions. This approach supports the needs of the HMSAS while still allowing the HMSMT to provide timely insight and guidance as needed.

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