

OMNIBUS PLANNING—EXISTING COMMITMENTS AND NMFS WORKLOAD

The Groundfish Management Team report under this agenda item ([Agenda Item G.4.a, GMT Report 1](#)) provides a table of new management measure that might potentially be taken up in the coming year. When the Council sets its omnibus groundfish priorities, it usually does so in the context of its existing Council commitments and NMFS workload. While the Council is not scheduled to set its omnibus priorities at this meeting, in September the Council discussed possibly identifying one or two items on which some progress might be made over the winter. To provide context for the Council’s November deliberations, the following table lists existing Council commitments (as reflected on the Year at a Glance planner) and NMFS workload (as reflected in Agenda Item G.1. NMFS Report 2). Note that workload related to some other NMFS/NOAA GC tasks is not reflected in this table (e.g. response to law suits).

Council	NMFS (Including Support for Council Process)
<i>Agenda I.5 Year at a Glance</i>	<i>Agenda G.1.a NMFS Report 2</i>
Inseason Management (Groundfish and Halibut)	<i>Inseason Management (Groundfish and Halibut)</i>
2021-2022 Harvest Spex and Management Measures (Including Meth Rev)	2021-2022 Harvest Spex and Management Measures
2019 Halibut Spex and Catch Sharing Plan P. Halibut: Final Troll Incidental Regs	2019 Halibut Spex and Catch Sharing Plan IPHC Process Admin
Pacific Whiting Treaty (2019)	Whiting Specifications and Tribal Allocation Whiting Treaty Admin
	<i>2019-20 Harvest Specifications and Management Measures</i>
	<i>2019-20 EFPs</i>
	2017-2018 EFP - Emely/Platt
	Trawl Gear EFP (2018)
	EFP Monitoring (2019) Non-Trawl
	EFP Monitoring (2019) Trawl
	<i>Trawl Gear Revisions rulemaking</i>
	<i>Electronic Monitoring-Whiting and Fixed Gear Rul</i>
	<i>Electronic Monitoring-Bottom Trawl and Non-Whiting Midwater Trawl Rule</i>
	<i>Vessel Movement Monitoring Rule</i>
Cost Recovery Report	Trawl Cost Recovery (publish rates and report)
	Scientific Research Permitting and Authorizing Letters
ESA Seabird Mitigation Measures	Seabird Streamer Requirement <small>Consultation complete</small>
ESA Salmon Mitigation	Salmon Bycatch Mitigation <small>Consultation complete</small>
Salmon Caps for 2019 MWT EFP (If Gear Rule is Partially Disapproved)	2019 MWT EFP
MWT EFP for 2020	2020 MWT EFP
Trawl Rationalization Follow-on Actions	Trawl Rationalization Follow-on Actions
Gear Switching and Sablefish Area Management	
Amendment 28 EFH/RCA Final Implementation	Amendment 28 - EFH/RCA Action
Flexibility in ACL Management	
Out of Cycle EFPs (EM)	
Amendment 26: Blackgill Rockfish (Revisit With Updated Analysis)	Amendment 26: Blackgill Rockfish
Endangered Species Workgroup Report	ESA Workgroup
	Humpback Whale ESA Consultation
	GMT Participation