

PROPOSED AGENDA
Highly Migratory Species Advisory Subpanel

Capitol Salon D Room
Doubletree Hotel Sacramento
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This meeting is open to the public and public comments will be accepted at the discretion of the Highly Migratory Species Advisory Subpanel (HMSAS) Chair. Agenda times are approximate and are subject to change.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 29 – 8:00 AM

A. Call to Order (1/2 hour, 8:00 – 8:30 am)

Doug Fricke

1. Introductions
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Election of Officers

B. Future Management Recommendations for West Coast Swordfish Fishery (2 hours, 8:30 – 10:30 am)

BREAK

C. International Highly Migratory Species Management Issues (3 hours with lunch break, 10:30 am – 2:30 pm)

1. North Pacific albacore tuna management framework
2. U.S.-Canada Albacore Treaty status
3. Western and Central Pacific Fisheries Commission and Inter-American Tropical Tuna Commission Meetings

BREAK

Joint Meeting between the HMS Management Team and HMSAS in Capitol Salon D Room

D. Discuss HMSMT Reports, Question and Answer (2 hours, 3:00 – 5:00 pm)

THURSDAY, MARCH 1 – 8:00 AM

E. Finalize Albacore Management Report (1 1/2 hours, 8:00 – 9:30 am)

BREAK

F. Preview HMSMT Presentation on West Coast Swordfish Fishery Management (1½ hours, 10:00-11:30 am)

G. Report on Swordfish Buoy Gear Research and Testing (½ hour, 11:30 am-12:00 pm)
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H. Finalize Reports (4 hours, 1:00-5:00 pm)

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