

GROUND FISH ADVISORY SUBPANEL REPORT ON
FUTURE COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA AND WORKLOAD PLANNING

The Groundfish Advisory Subpanel (GAP) discussed future Council meeting agenda and workload planning and offers the following comments and recommendations.

The GAP recommends that the widow quota share reallocation issue discussed under Agenda Item F.2 earlier this week be a priority item on the Council's future workload planning and scoping for this issue be placed on the Council's April agenda to initiate the three-meeting process needed to pursue this regulatory amendment. Part of the noticed action for resolving this issue should be suspension of widow quota share (QS) trading until final regulations for reallocating widow QS are implemented.

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