

# **NPFMC Crab Plan Team meeting**

**May 16-18, 2005**

**Observer Training Room (Room 1055), AFSC, Seattle, WA**

## **Agenda**

### **May 16**

9am-12pm:

#### **Membership issues:**

- Election of vice-chair
- Membership needs: Discussion of need for additional CPT members (replacement of vacancies, need for additional expertise)

#### **Review of 2005/06 Fisheries:**

- Review of 2005/06 fisheries (incl. Norton Sound) – ADF&G (Bowers)
- Review 2005/06 Bristol Bay red king crab bycatch data – ADF&G (Barnard)

#### **Trawl Survey overview**

- Trawl survey overview from 2005

12:00 – 1:00 lunch

1pm-5pm:

#### **Review of snow crab assessment**

- CPT discussion of consideration for adoption
- Industry comments/review of snow crab assessment

### **May 17**

9am-12pm:

#### **Crab Overfishing Analysis (time certain)**

- Review of preliminary analysis of crab overfishing definitions revision (including report from Crab Workshop)
- CIE review of crab overfishing analysis
- Discussion of analytical needs, timing, SSC presentation in June and Initial Review by Council (Dec 2006)

**12:00 – 1:00 lunch**

1pm-5pm:

- Continue crab overfishing analysis.

## **May 18**

9am-12pm:

**Economic review of crab fisheries data from Crab Rationalization program**

**Review of stock assessment models** (incl. Norton Sound)

**Projection of the status of stocks** which will be updated and modified for the Fall CPT meeting – ADF&G/NOAA

**12:00 – 1:00 lunch**

1pm-5pm:

**Bering Sea Crab EFH Measures considered by Council** – St. Matthew blue king crab and EBS snow crab discussion paper for June Council meeting.

- CPT comments on adequacy of existing measures.

**Summer research issues/schedule** – NOAA/ADF&G (Pengilly)

**State/Federal action plan and timeline for fall TAC setting**

**Review of recent ABOF actions on Bering Sea Tanner TAC and CDQ fishery management plan** – ADF&G (Donaldson)

**Discussion of SAFE and other reporting issues**

**Other issues/new business**

**Adjourn (5pm)**