

**NPFMC Groundfish Plan Team Meeting  
Alaska Fishery Science Center, Building 4  
Seattle, Washington**

November 14–18, 2016  
**Draft Agenda**

	Joint Groundfish Plan Teams Traynor Room 2076	BSAI Groundfish Plan Team Traynor Room 2076	GOA Groundfish Plan Team MML 2039
<b>Monday Nov 14<sup>th</sup></b>	0900 Introductions, adoption of agenda, assignments and procedures, dates for 2017 meetings including draft agenda stock prioritization mtg Jan 2017 0930 NMFS Visiting scientist exchange overview 0945 Halibut DMRs for 2017-18 1030 Draft plans for halibut report card (T) 1100 Grenadiers 1130 Economic SAFE  1300 Sablefish		
		1500 Review summary assignments, Format, Timing 1515 Atka mackerel 1615 Ecosystem Considerations	1500 Review summary assignments, Format, Timing 1515 Ecosystem considerations 1615 Flathead, Rex, DW flats
<b>Tuesday Nov 15<sup>th</sup></b>		0900 Pollock: EBS (including CEATTLE) Bogoslof Aleutian Islands  1300 Pacific cod: EBS Aleutian Islands 1600 Skates	0900 Sharks Sculpins Arrowtooth Octopus 1100 Squid  1300 Skates Forage Fish 1430 Northern POP Dusky RE/BS Other rockfish
<b>Wed. Nov 16<sup>th</sup></b>		0900 Yellowfin sole Kamchatka flounder Northern rock sole 1100 Alaska plaice Other flatfish  1300 Greenland turbot 1400 Arrowtooth flounder Flathead sole 1500 Pacific ocean perch Northern rockfish Blackspotted and Rougheye Shortraker rockfish Other rockfish	0900 Pacific cod 1145 Atka mackerel  1300 N-S rock sole SW flats 1400 Shortraker rockfish Thornyheads Demersal shelf rockfish 1600 Stock Structure Template
<b>Thursday Nov 17<sup>th</sup></b>		0900 Sharks Sculpins Squid Octopus  1300 Table preparation Report writing	0900 Pollock  1300 Table preparation, Report writing
<b>Friday Nov 18<sup>th</sup></b>		0900 Report writing 1500 Adjourn	0900 Report Writing 1500 Adjourn

**NOTE: The above agenda items may not be taken in the order in which they appear and are subject to change as necessary. All meetings are open to the public.**



**COMMONLY USED ACRONYMS**

<b>ABC</b>	Acceptable Biological Catch	<b>IPHC</b>	International Pacific Halibut Commission
<b>AI</b>	Aleutian Islands	<b>IRFA</b>	Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis
<b>AP</b>	Advisory Panel	<b>LLP</b>	License Limitation Program
<b>ADFG</b>	Alaska Dept. of Fish and Game	<b>MSFCMA</b>	Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act
<b>BS</b>	Bering Sea	<b>MMPA</b>	Marine Mammal Protection Act
<b>BSAI</b>	Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands	<b>MRA</b>	Maximum Retainable Amount
<b>CDQ</b>	Community Development Quota	<b>MSY</b>	Maximum Sustainable Yield
<b>EA/RI</b>	Environmental Assessment/Regulatory Impact Review	<b>mt</b>	Metric tons
<b>R</b>		<b>NMFS</b>	National Marine Fisheries Service
<b>EEZ</b>	Exclusive Economic Zone	<b>NOAA</b>	National Oceanic & Atmospheric Adm.
<b>EFH</b>	Essential Fish Habitat	<b>NPFMC</b>	North Pacific Fishery Management Council
<b>EFP</b>	Exempted Fishing Permit	<b>OY</b>	Optimum Yield
<b>ESA</b>	Endangered Species Act	<b>PSC</b>	Prohibited Species Catch
<b>FEP</b>	Fishery Ecosystem Plan	<b>SAFE</b>	Stock Assessment and Fishery Evaluation
<b>FMP</b>	Fishery Management Plan	<b>SSC</b>	Scientific and Statistical Committee
<b>GHL</b>	Guideline Harvest Level	<b>SSL</b>	Steller Sea Lion
<b>GOA</b>	Gulf of Alaska	<b>TAC</b>	Total Allowable Catch
<b>HAPC</b>	Habitat Areas of Particular Concern	<b>USFWS</b>	United States Fish & Wildlife Service
<b>IFQ</b>	Individual Fishing Quota		