



SOUTH ATLANTIC FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

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Agenda

Protected Resources Committee

Westin Jekyll Island
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Monday March 7, 2016 1:30 P.M. to 2:30 P.M.

1. Approval of Agenda – Dr. Wilson Laney
2. Approval of December 2015 Minutes – Dr. Wilson Laney
3. Update on Protected Resources (*Attachment 1*) – NMFS SERO
4. Right Whale Critical Habitat Final Rule
 - A. Overview of Right Whale Critical Habitat (*Attachment 2*) – SERO Protected Resources Division Staff
 - B. Committee discussion and action as necessary – Wilson Laney
5. ESA/MSA Integration Agreement
 - A. Overview of the Integration Agreement (*Attachment 3*) – Chip Collier
 - B. Committee discussion and action as necessary – Wilson Laney
6. Update on ASMFC/USFWS Protected Resources Issues – Bob Beal/Wilson Laney
 - A. Atlantic Sturgeon Stock Assessment Update
 - B. Red Knot Update
7. Other Business – Dr. Wilson Laney
8. Adjourn – Dr. Wilson Laney

Protected Resources Committee

Wilson Laney, Chair
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Zack Bowen

Jack Cox
Michelle Duval
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Robert Beal

Attachments:

- Attachment 1.** Protected Resources Updates for the South Atlantic (2nd Briefing Book)
- Attachment 2.** Right Whale Critical Habitat Final Rule
- Attachment 3.** Draft ESA/MSA Integration Agreement for SAFMC/SERO PRD (2nd Briefing Book)