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AGENDA

Snapper Grouper Advisory Panel

Charleston Marriott Hotel
70 Lockwood Boulevard
Charleston, SC 29403

October 5 & 6, 2011

Wednesday, October 5th 9:00 A.M. to 5:30 P.M. and Thursday, October 6th, 9:00 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.

1. Approval of agenda – Don DeMaria
2. Approval of April 2011 Snapper Grouper AP minutes – Don DeMaria
3. Update on Comprehensive ACL Amendment (*Attachment 1*) and Regulatory Amendment 11 (Removal of 40 fathom closure) – Myra Brouwer
4. Update on Black Sea Bass & Golden Tilefish Assessments – Mike Errigo
5. Amendment 18A (Black Sea Bass) – *Attachment 2*
 - a. Update on amendment – Brian Chevront
 - b. Discussion and Recommendations – Don DeMaria
6. Amendment 18B (Golden Tilefish) – *Attachment 3*
 - a. Update on amendment – Myra Brouwer
 - b. Discussion and Recommendations – Don DeMaria
7. Amendment 20A (Wreckfish) – *Attachment 4*
 - a. Update on amendment – Kari MacLauchlin
 - b. Discussion and recommendations – Don DeMaria
8. Amendment 24 (Red grouper) – *Attachment 5*

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- a. Update on amendment – Myra Brouwer
 - b. Discussion and Recommendations – Don DeMaria
9. Items to include in Comprehensive Ecosystem-Based Amendment 3 – Anna Martin
- a. Update on amendment – Anna Martin
 - b. Discussion and Recommendations – Don DeMaria
10. Marine Recreational Information Program (MRIP) – *Attachment 6*
- a. Update on changes to methodology to estimate recreational catches – Mike Errigo
 - b. Discussion – Don DeMaria
11. Other Business – Don DeMaria
- a. AP input on red porgy and vermilion snapper stocks
 - b. Update on new SA fishery-independent monitoring program
 - c. Discussion on how Council/AP communication can be improved
12. Adjourn

Attachments

- Attachment 1.** Comprehensive ACL Amendment Summary
- Attachment 2.** Amendment 18A Decision Document
- Attachment 3.** Amendment 18B Decision Document
- Attachment 4.** Amendment 20A Decision Document
- Attachment 5.** Amendment 24 Decision Document
- Attachment 6.** Informational brochure on the Marine Recreational Information Program

Snapper Grouper AP Members

Don DeMaria, Chairman	Robert Johnson
Zack Bowen, Vice-Chairman	Mark Marhefka
Steve Amick	Scott Osborne
Jim Atack	Rodney Smith
Bobby Cardin	Richard Stiglitz
Bill Cole	Robert Thompson
Phil Conklin	Paul Reiss
Blaine Dickenson	Greg DeBrango
Kenny Fex	Micah LaRoche
Terrell Gould	Sam Ray
Rob Harris	Elizabeth Fetherston