Final

SUMMARY REPORT

FROM THE ADVISORY PANEL SELECTION COMMITTEE

Ponte Vedra Beach, FL June 10. 2014

Members

Doug Haymans, Chair Chris Conklin Jack Cox Ben Hartig John Jolley

The Advisory Panel Selection Committee met June 10, 2014. The Committee met in open session to discuss the structure of the Snapper Grouper AP. The discussion included a review of the current membership, options for designating state and/or sector specific seats, and the current Wreckfish subpanel. The Committee developed recommendations relative to the Wreckfish subpanel and a liaison from NOAA Fisheries, and agreed to continue discussion of the structure of the Snapper Grouper AP during the September 2014 Council meeting.

During closed session, the Committee reviewed applications for seats on the following advisory panels: Golden Crab; Habitat and Environmental Protection, King and Spanish Mackerel; Snapper Grouper; and the SEDAR Pool.

The Committee approved the following motions as recommendations to the Council:

MOTION 1: MOVE DESIGNATED SEATS FOR THE WRECKFISH SUBPANEL TO OPEN COMMERCIAL SEATS ON THE SNAPPER GROUPER ADVISORY PANEL. APPROVED BY COUNCIL

MOTION 2: REAPPOINT RANDY MANCHESTER TO THE GOLDEN CRAB ADVISORY PANEL. APPROVED BY COUNCIL

MOTION 3: APPOINT EMILY HELMICK TO THE HABITAT ADVISORY PANEL. APPROVED BY COUNCIL

MOTION 4: APPOINT SONNY DAVIS, JAMES GEIGER, BARBARA MUHLING AND MITCHELL ROFFER TO THE SEDAR POOL ADVISORY PANEL. APPROVED BY COUNCIL

MOTION 5: REAPPOINT KENNY FEX AND ROBERT THOMPSON TO THE SNAPPER GROUPER ADVISORY PANEL. APPROVED BY COUNCIL

MOTION 6: APPOINT KERRY MARHEFKA TO THE SNAPPER GROUPER ADVISORY PANEL. APPROVED BY COUNCIL

The Committee provided the following direction to Staff:

WRITE A LETTER TO NMFS SCIENCE CENTER TO REQUEST A SCIENCE CENTER LIAISON (NON-VOTING) TO THE SNAPPER GROUPER ADVISORY PANEL.

READVERTISE THE SC SEAT ON THE MACKEREL ADVISORY PANEL.