



SOUTH ATLANTIC FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

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AGENDA

Habitat Protection and Ecosystem-Based Management Committee

**Westin Jekyll Island
110 Ocean Way
Jekyll Island, GA**

Monday, March 6, 2017 – 2:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Approval of Agenda – Doug Haymans and Dr. Wilson Laney

Approval of December 5, 2016 Committee Minutes – Doug Haymans and Dr. Wilson Laney

1. Overview Fishery Ecosystem Plan II Section Working Drafts – Brett Boston, Group Solutions Inc. and Roger Pugliese, SAFMC (**Attachments 1-7**)
 - A. Overview of FEP II Section Working Drafts – Brett Boston and Roger Pugliese
 - B. Committee Action: Discussion and Recommendations – Doug Haymans
2. Habitat and Ecosystem Tools /Model Development (**Attachments 8 and 9**)– Roger Pugliese, SAFMC
3. NOAA Fisheries Climate Science Strategy - South Atlantic Regional Action Plan (**Attachments 10 and 11**) – NMFS SEFSC
 - A. Presentation on NOAA Fisheries Climate Science Strategy – South Atlantic Regional Action Plan –NMFS SEFSC
 - B. Committee Action: Discussion and Recommendations – Doug Haymans
4. Council Actions on Habitat & Other Issues As Necessary – Doug Haymans
5. Other Business
6. Adjourn

Habitat Protection and Ecosystem-Based Management Committee Members:

Doug Haymans, Co-Chair

Wilson Laney, Co-Chair

Mel Bell

Chester Brewer

Tim Griner

Jessica McCawley

LT Tara Pray

Robert Beal, ASMFC Representative

Attachments:

Attachment 1. Working Draft FEP II South Atlantic Food Web and Connectivity Section

Attachment 2. Working Draft FEP II South Atlantic Climate Variability and Fisheries Section

Attachment 3. Working Draft FEP II Managed Species Summaries Section

Attachment 4. Working Draft FEP II Artificial Reef Habitat Section

Attachment 5. Working Draft FEP II Habitat Sections

Attachment 6. Working Draft FEP II EFH Section/ EFH User Guide

Attachment 7. Working Draft FEP II EFH Policies Section

Attachment 8. Draft 2016-2020 SEAMAP Management Plan: Collection, Management, and Dissemination of Fishery Independent Data from the Waters of the Southeastern United States

Attachment 9. SAFMC Fishery Ecosystem Plan II Development, Ecosystem Modelling and Ecosystem Science Needs: Ecosystem Science Coordination Meeting

Attachment 10. NOAA Fisheries Climate Science Strategy - South Atlantic Regional Action Plan

Attachment 11. NOAA Fisheries Climate Science Strategy – Gulf of Mexico Regional Action Plan