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AGENDA SOCIO-ECONOMIC PANEL

Crowne Plaza
4831 Tanger Outlet Boulevard
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Tuesday, April 28, 2015, 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

1. Approval of Agenda – John Whitehead
2. Approval of April 2014 Minutes of the SEP – John Whitehead
3. Snapper Grouper Regulatory Amendment 16 (black sea bass pot closure; *Attachments 1a/1b*)
 - A. Overview – Brian Chevront
 - B. Discussion and Recommendations – John Whitehead
4. Snapper Grouper Regulatory Amendment 23 (golden tilefish; *Attachment 2*)
 - A. Overview – KariMacLauchlin/ Myra Brouwer
 - B. Discussion and Recommendations – John Whitehead
5. System Management Plan (MPA monitoring and evaluation; *Attachment 3*)
 - A. Overview –Kari MacLauchlin
 - B. Discussion and Recommendations – John Whitehead
6. Snapper Grouper Vision Blueprint (Long-term plan for snapper grouper management; *Attachments 4a/4b*)
 - A. Overview – Amber Von Harten
 - B. Discussion and Recommendations – John Whitehead
7. Recent and Developing Council Actions (*Attachment 5*)
 - A. Overview – Kari MacLauchlin
 - B. Discussion and Recommendations – John Whitehead

8. Administrative Business
 - A. Term Limits for SEP Members – Kari MacLauchlin
 - B. Discussion on Upcoming SEP Meetings – John Whitehead
9. Other Business – John Whitehead
10. Adjourn – John Whitehead

Attachments

Attachment 1a. Snapper Grouper Regulatory Amendment 16 SSC Document

Attachment 1b. Draft Snapper Grouper Regulatory Amendment 16

Attachment 2. SEP Discussion Document for Snapper Grouper Regulatory Amendment 23

Attachment 3. Draft South Atlantic Council System Management Plan

Attachment 4a: Strategic Goals for Draft Vision Blueprints

Attachment 4b: Growth Potential for the Snapper Grouper Fishery/ Summary Stats

Attachment 5: Recent and Developing Amendments

Socio-Economic Panel Members

John Whitehead (Chair)

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