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AGENDA SNAPPER GROUPER ADVISORY PANEL

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Tuesday, October 21, 9:00 a.m. - Wednesday, October 22, 5:00 p.m.

- 1. Status of Amendments under Development and Recently Implemented (*Attachments 1a & 1b*)
 - A. Overview Myra Brouwer
 - B. Discussion and Recommendations Jim Atack
- 2. Regulatory Amendment 16 (Removal of Black Sea Bass Pot Closure; *Attachment 2*)
 - A. Overview Myra Brouwer
 - B. Discussion and Recommendations Jim Atack
- 3. Regulatory Amendment 22 (Gag & Wreckfish; *Attachment 3*)
 - A. Overview Myra Brouwer
 - B. Discussion and Recommendations Jim Atack
- 4. Joint SA/GM Amendment on South Florida Issues (*Attachment 4*)
 - A. Overview Gregg Waugh
 - B. Discussion and Recommendations Jim Atack
- 5. Amendment 36 (spawning SMZs; *Attachment 5*)
 - A. Overview Gregg Waugh
 - B. Discussion and Recommendations Jim Atack
- Amendment 35 (removal of species and golden tilefish endorsements; *Attachments 6a & 6b*)
 - A. Overview Myra Brouwer
 - B. Discussion and Recommendations Jim Atack
- 7. Update on Amendment 22 (recreational harvest tag program; Attachment 7)
 - A. Overview Myra Brouwer
 - B. Discussion Jim Atack

- 8. Updates on hogfish and mutton snapper assessments Council staff
- 9. Update on SEDAR 41 (red snapper & gray triggerfish) Julia Byrd
- 10. Update on Logbook Electronic Reporting (Attachment 8a) Gregg Waugh
- Update on Joint SA/GM Joint Charterboat Electronic Reporting Amendment (Attachment 8b) – Mike Errigo

12. Update on Vision Blueprint (Attachment 9)

- A. Overview Amber Vonharten
- B. Discussion and Recommendations Jim Atack
- 13. Other Business Jim Atack
- 14. Adjourn Jim Atack

Attachments:

Attachment 1a. Status of Active Amendments to the Snapper Grouper FMP

Attachment 1b. Final Report from the September 2014 Snapper Grouper Committee Meeting

- Attachment 2. Draft Regulatory Amendment 16 & appendices
- Attachment 3. Draft Regulatory Amendment 22 & appendices
- Attachment 4. Draft Joint SA/GM Amendment on South Florida Issues
- Attachment 5. Amendment 36 Decision Document
- Attachment 6a. Amendment 35 Decision Document
- Attachment 6b. Options Paper on golden tilefish longline endorsement issue
- Attachment 7. Presentation on recreational tag program (Amendment 22)
- Attachment 8a. Data Collection Committee Final Report September 2014
- Attachment 8b. Draft Report from the Technical Subcommittee on Charterboat Electronic Reporting
- Attachment 9. Port Meetings Sector Summaries

Advisory Panel Members:

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