

Overview

Shrimp Committee

June 8, 2015
Doubletree Grand Key Resort
3990 S. Roosevelt Boulevard
Key West, FL

The Shrimp Committee will meet to discuss items brought forward from the Shrimp and Deepwater Advisory Panel meeting. Mike Merrifield will report on (1) Shrimp and Deepwater Shrimp Advisory Panel Meeting from April 2015. The Committee will discuss potential action for each item, provide guidance to staff, and address issues under Other Business as needed.

1. Shrimp and Deepwater Shrimp AP Meeting (Attachment 1)

Mike Merrifield, Chair of the Deepwater Shrimp AP, will give an update on the last joint meeting of the Shrimp and Deepwater Shrimp Advisory Panels. The APs discussed the recent Biological Opinion for the Southeastern Shrimp Fishery, the results from the SEDAR Procedural Workshop for Shrimp, the Gulf and South Atlantic Fisheries Foundation TED Workshop, and the *Eubalaena-Oculina* Marine Sanctuary proposal. The AP made a motion to not support any *Eubalaena-Oculina* Marine Sanctuary.

The committee will address issues under Other Business as needed.