SOUTH ATLANTIC FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL



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September 9, 2015 *Meeting Via Webinar*

AGENDA

Other than the starting and ending times of the meeting, times indicated on the agenda are approximate, and the order of business may be adjusted as necessary to accommodate the completion of agenda items. Interested parties should be aware that discussions may start earlier or later than indicated.

Wednesday, September 9, 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

1. INTRODUCTION

Introductions Approval of Agenda Approval of Minutes

- 2. PUBLIC COMMENT
- 3. BLUELINE TILEFISH STOCK PROJECTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Action: Review updated stock projections and provide fishing level recommendations

- 4. OTHER BUSINESS
- 5. PUBLIC COMMENT
- 6. REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS REVIEW
- 7. ADJOURN

WEBINAR ACCESS

This meeting will be conducted via a webinar which is open to the public. Those desiring to participate in the webinar must register at the link below. Upon registration you will receive a unique access code and access instructions.

REGISTRATION LINK:

https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5009119157959079938

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