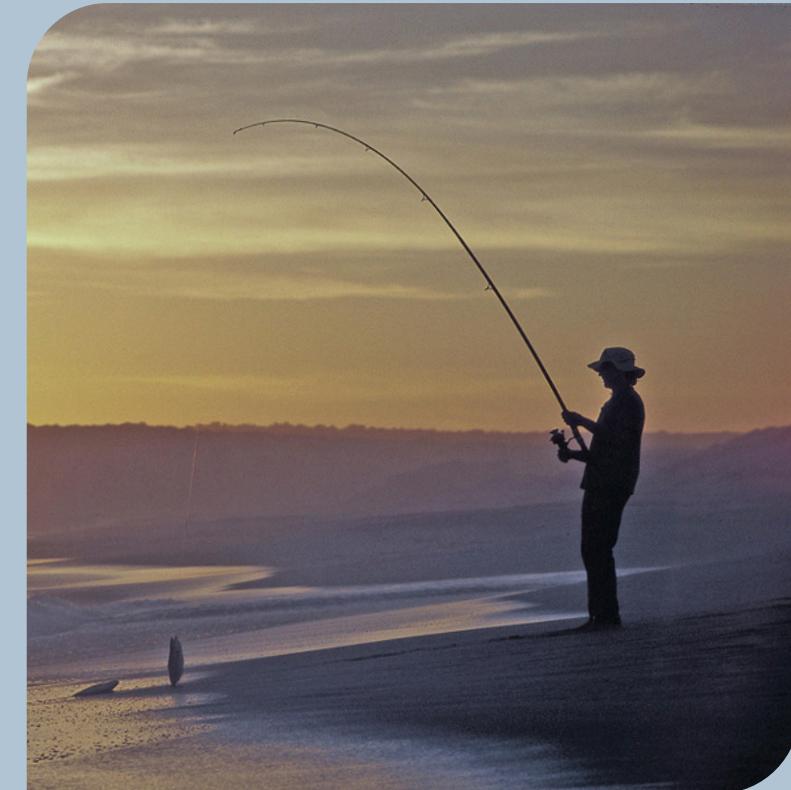
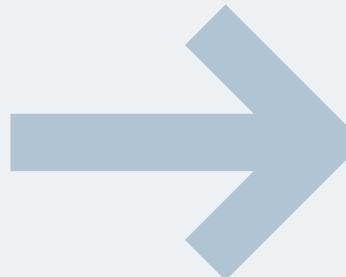


# SAFMC Process Review



Project Overview, Data Collection strategy, and Timeline  
December 9, 2025



# Team Expertise



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Our team brings over **50 years of combined experience** in fisheries management.

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Aaron Kornbluth, Principal Investigator, with deep fisheries management, science, and process background.

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Co-Principal Investigators Purcie Bennett-Nickerson and Steve Poland bring deep experience in resource management, environmental law, and stakeholder engagement.

# Comprehensive Review Objectives



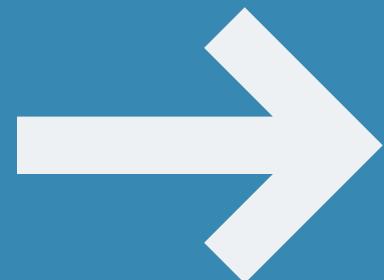
- Identifying and resolving regulatory bottlenecks
- Optimizing the Council's committee structure and coordination with other regional councils
- Development of a more robust risk policy framework

# Data Collection Strategy

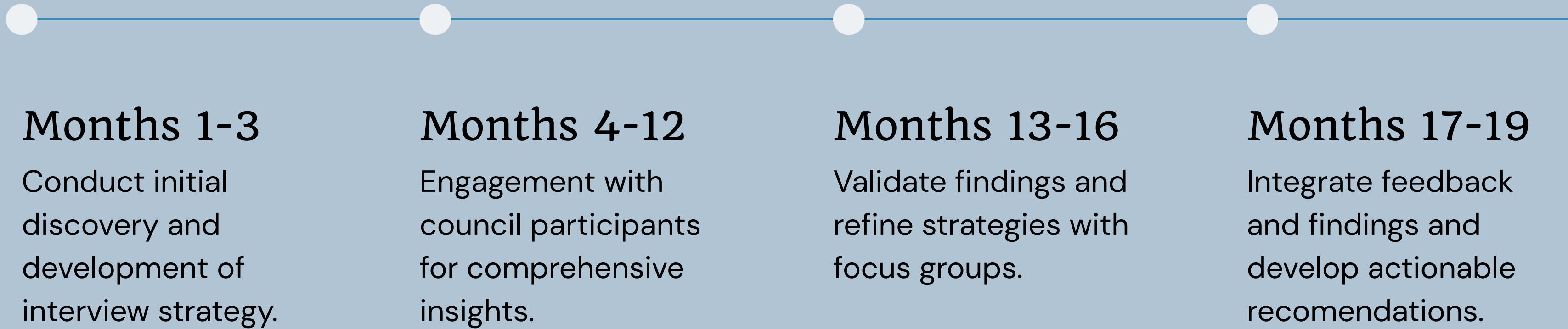
Comprehensive approach to gather insights from diverse council participants effectively

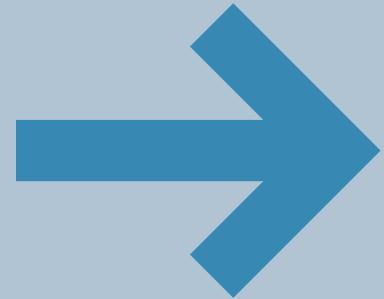
Our strategy includes

- Audience-specific **semi-structured interviews** and **focus groups**
- Comprehensive review of current council process and products to identify bottlenecks
- Exploration of other regional council's processes and timelines



# Project Timeline and Phases





## Thank You!

We appreciate your support and look forward  
to delivering meaningful results for the SAFMC  
Questions or feedback welcome  
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