

Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council Proposed Actions for 2015-2016

Revised 2/28/15

| Gulf Meeting Dates: | | | | | | 2015 | | | | | | | | | | | | 2016 | |
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| Action | Start | Rank | Council | Gulf/ NMFS Lead | IPT | Jan | Feb | Mar | April | May | June | July | Aug | Sept | Oct | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb |
| 1 Reef Fish Amend 39 Regional Management of Recreational Red Snapper | 06/12 | A | Gulf | AL/PH | Yes | Updated draft | | | Updated draft | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 Red Snapper Amend 28 Allocation | 06/12 | A | Gulf | AD/PH | Yes | Updated draft | | | Updated draft | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 Reef Fish Amendment 36 Red Snapper IFQ Modifications | 02/14 | A | Gulf | AL/PH | Yes | | | Scoping Workshops | Scoping summaries | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 Framework Action to modify greater amberjack catch limits, minimum size limits, and seasons | 06/14 | A | Gulf | JF/RM | Yes | Revised Draft | | | Final Draft | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 Framework for setting 2015-2017 Red Snapper Quotas | 2/15 | A | Gulf | SA/CM | Yes | | SSC meeting | Final | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 Amendment 41 for Federal Charter For-Hire Red Snapper Management | 1/15 | A | Gulf | AD/PH | No | | | AP meeting | Meeting summary | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 Amendment 42 for Federal Reef Fish Headboat Management | 4/15 | A | Gulf | AD | No | | | | AP Selection | AP meeting | | | | | | | | | |
| 8 Joint amendment to require electronic reporting for charter vessels | 02/14 | A | Gulf/SA | JF/RM | Yes | Review Subcom Report | | | Scoping document | | | | | | | | | | |
| 9 Shrimp Amend 15 Revise overfished definitions for penaeid shrimp | 10/13 | B | Gulf | MK/SG | Yes | | | SSC meeting | Draft Amendment | | | | | | | | | | |
| 11 Framework Action to modify commercial king mackerel Gillnet trip limits and other measures | 1/15 | B | Gulf/SA | RR/SG | Yes | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 12 CMP (Mackerel) Amend 26 Reallocation of King Mackerel | 06/12 | B | Gulf/SA | RR/SG | Yes | Discuss | | Scoping meetings | Scoping meetings | | Options paper | | | | | | | | |
| 13 Amendment to update MSST for red snapper and stocks with low natural mortality | 08/14 | B | Gulf | SA/PH | Yes | Options Paper | | | | | Draft framework | | Final | | | | | | |
| 14 Shrimp 17 Permit Moratorium | 04/14 | B | Gulf | MK/SG | Yes | | AP Meeting | SSC meeting | Revised Scoping | | Options Paper | | | | | | | | |
| 15 Framework Action to modify gag catch limits | 04/12 | B | Gulf | SA/RM | Yes | | | | Options Paper | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16 5-year EFH review | 06/14 | C | Gulf | JF/DD | No | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 17 South Florida Management Issues Document | 08/14 | C | Gulf/SA | RR/CS/RM | Yes | Summary Report | | | Options paper | Draft | | | | | Final draft | | | | |
| 18 Amendment to require electronic reporting for commercial logbooks | 02/13 | C | Gulf/SA | JF/RM | No | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 19 Amendment to set F _{SPR} for Red Snapper | | B | Gulf | SA/PH | Yes | | | | | | Options paper | | | | | | | | |
| 20 Action to eliminate the requirement to carry decals for vessels with charter vessel/ headboat permits | 10/14 | C | Gulf | RR/CM | Yes | | | | | | Draft Options | | | | | | | | |
| 20 Revisions to the ABC Control Rule | 03/12 | C | Gulf | SA | No | | | | | | Preliminary Analyses | | | | | | | | |

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| POSTPONED ACTIONS: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 21 | Red Drum Recreational Management | 04/14 | C | Gulf | RR/PH | No | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 22 | Reef Fish Amend 33 (LAPP Program) (Apr. 2012) | 08/12 | C | Gulf | AD/SG | No | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 23 | Reef Fish Amend X - Grouper Allocation (Jan. 2013) | 01/06 | C | Gulf | AD | No | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 24 | Framework Action to update ACLs with new MRIP numbers for stocks under Tier 3 (Feb. 2014) | 04/13 | C | Gulf | JF/RM | Yes | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| COMPLETED ACTIONS: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 25 | Reef Fish Amend 40 Sector Separation | 04/12 | A | Gulf | AD/PH | Yes | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 26 | Framework Action to modify recreational red grouper bag limits and accountability measures | 06/14 | B | Gulf | SA/CM | Yes | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 27 | Shrimp Amendment 16 - Reconcile federal regulations for Royal Red Shrimp with Generic Amendment Measures | 02/14 | B | Gulf | MK/SG | Yes | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 28 | Framework Action to review modifications to the IFQ species quotas (transmitted in July 2014) | 02/14 | B | Gulf | JF/RM | Yes | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 29 | Joint Framework Action to increase Spanish Mackerel ACL (transmitted in April 2014) | 10/13 | A | Gulf/SA | RR/SG | Yes | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

There are Hidden Columns for 2009-2014 and Hidden Rows for Completed/Postponed Actions

NOTE:

PH = Public Hearing
 AP = Advisory Panel
 RFAP = Reef Fish Advisory Panel
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