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## Pacific Fishery Management Council to Hold Meeting in April 2016 to Adopt Management Measures for Ocean Fisheries

The Pacific Fishery Management Council (Council) and its advisory bodies will meet April 8-14, 2016 in Vancouver, Washington to address issues related to salmon, groundfish, coastal pelagic species, enforcement matters, and habitat matters. The meeting of the Council and its advisory entities will be held at the Hilton Vancouver Hotel, 301 Sixth Street, Vancouver, Washington; telephone, 360-993-4500.

Key agenda items for the meeting include Council considerations to:

- Adopt final 2016 ocean salmon fisheries regulations.
- Adopt Pacific sardine assessment and final harvest specifications and management measures for the 2016-2017 sardine fishery.
- Adopt final preferred harvest specifications and preliminary management measures for 2017-2018 groundfish fisheries.
- Take action for implementation of the 2016 Pacific whiting fishery.
- Take final action for fixed gear fishery electronic monitoring and deem regulations for whiting and fixed gear fisheries electronic monitoring.
- Update the range of alternatives for groundfish essential fish habitat and Rockfish Conservation Area modification.
- Adopt final preferred alternatives for vessel movement monitoring regulations in Council area commercial fisheries.

Please refer to the attached detailed draft proposed agenda for a complete list of issues to be addressed. A schedule of advisory group meetings is provided on the last pages of the attached agenda. Copies of briefing materials prepared for the meeting can be found on our website <u>www.pcouncil.org</u> by March 29.

#### Meeting Arrangements and Public Comment Guidelines

All meetings are open to the public, except for a closed executive session scheduled for 3 p.m. on Saturday, April 9 to discuss litigation and personnel matters. For more information on the meetings, refer to the attached proposed detailed agenda for the April meeting. Information is also available on the Council website <u>http://www.pcouncil.org</u> or by calling the Council office at 503-820-2280 or 866-806-7204 (toll-free).

The public is encouraged to comment, either verbally at the meeting or in writing. Timing of agenda items may change as the meeting progresses, and items not completed on the scheduled day will be carried over to later in the meeting, usually the next day.

#### **Oral Public Comments**

Oral public comments will be accepted during the meeting prior to action on each agenda item.

#### Written Public Comments

Written public comments are accepted by the Council via one of the methods described below. The public is encouraged to submit written comments as far in advance of the meeting as possible, either by mail, fax, or email addressed to <u>pfmc.comments@noaa.gov</u>. Through the supplemental deadline, electronic copies of written testimony is encouraged, as they facilitate posting to our website.

- Comments received by 11:59 p.m. **Thursday, March 17, 2016** will be included in the briefing books mailed to Council members prior to the meeting. Comments received after March 17 but by 11:59 p.m. **April 3, 2016** will be distributed to Council members at the onset of the meeting.
- If you cannot meet this latter deadline **and are going to testify at the meeting**, you can provide written testimony for distribution at the meeting by one of the following methods. However, please note these need to be provided to Council staff by 5 p.m. the day before your testimony.
  - o Provide an electronic copy to be posted with other briefing materials, or
  - Provide 40 photocopies with the Agenda Item Topic Number in the upper right corner of the front page of each copy. Refer to the attached agenda for the topic numbers; i.e., Agenda Item B.1.b refers to public comment under Open Comment Period.

This meeting is open to the public and is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Kris Kleinschmidt at 503-820-2280 or 866-806-7204 at least **five days prior** to the meeting date. The meeting of the Pacific Fishery Management Council will also be streamed live on the internet.

The broadcasts begin at 8:00 a.m. Pacific Time (PT) Saturday, April 9, 2016 and continue daily through Thursday, April 14, 2016. Broadcasts end daily at 6:00 p.m. PT *or when business for the day is complete*. Only the audio portion and presentations displayed on the screen at the Council meeting will be broadcast. The audio portion is listen-only; you will be unable to speak to the Council via the broadcast. To access the meeting online please use the following link: http://www.gotomeeting.com/online/webinar/join-webinar and enter the April Webinar ID, 105-442-547 and your email address. You can attend the webinar online using a computer, tablet, or smart phone, using the GoToMeeting application. It is recommended that you use a computer headset to listen to the meeting, but you may use your telephone for the audio portion only of the meeting. The audio portion may be attended using a telephone by dialing the toll number 1-646-307-1720 (not a toll-free number), audio access code 391-457-815, and enter the audio pin shown after joining the webinar.

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Agenda Item A.4 Proposed Council Meeting Agenda April 2016

234<sup>th</sup> Session of the Pacific Fishery Management Council April 8-14 2016



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Fri April 8	Saturday April 9	Sunday April 10	Monday April 11	Tuesday April 12	Wednesday April 13	Thursday April 14
A listing of times and locations for Advisory Body meetings begins on page 7.	Call to Order Open Comment	Groundfish		Administrative	Salmon	Groundfish
	Administrative	Habitat				Enforcement
	Enforcement			Halibut		
		Coastal Pelagic	Groundfish	Salmon		
	Salmon	Species			Groundfish	Administrative
	Closed Session	Salmon		Groundfish		Aummistrative

## Schedule of Ancillary Meetings begins on page 8

Refer to the Schedule of Ancillary Meetings beginning on page seven for a complete list of technical and administrative committees, advisory bodies, work groups, state delegations, and special sessions scheduled throughout the week of April 8-14, 2016.

#### Proposed Detailed Agenda begins on next page

The following items are on the Pacific Council agenda. However, please note that the timing-including the day--of the agenda items may change based on the time required for prior agenda items, and the order may change as required to effectively address the issues.

**Council Action** descriptions to adopt imply consideration to adopt; adoption is not mandatory.



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Proposed Detailed

Saturday, April 9, 2016

#### General Council Session Heritage Ballroom A-B

## A. Call to Order

8:00 am

- A.1 Opening Remarks
- A.2 Roll Call
- A.3 Executive Director's Report
- A.4 Agenda
  - a. Council Action: Approve Agenda

### B. Open Comment Period

- B.1 Comments on Non-Agenda Items
  - a. Advisory Body and Management Entity Comments
  - b. Public Comment
  - c. Council Discussion and Comments as Appropriate

### C. Administrative Matters

C.1 Marine Planning Update

Dorothy Lowman, Chair Chuck Tracy Chuck Tracy Dorothy Lowman

Jennifer Gilden

- a. Report on Marine Planning Activities John Stein and John Hansen
- b. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
- c. Public Comment
- d. **Council Action:** Discuss and Approve the Regional Planning Body Charter, and Provide Additional Guidance as Appropriate

## D. Enforcement Issues

D.1 Annual U.S. Coast Guard Fishery Enforcement Report

Jim Seger

- CPT Pearce
- a. U.S. Coast Guard Annual West Coast Fishery Enforcement Reportb. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
- c. Public Comment
- d. Council Discussion

## E. Salmon Management

- E.1Tentative Adoption of 2016 Ocean Salmon Management<br/>Measures for AnalysisMike Burnera.Update of Estimated Impacts of March 2016 Alternatives<br/>b.Summary of Public Hearings<br/>C.Robert Kope<br/>Hearings Officersb.Summary of Public Hearings<br/>c.Hearings Officers
  - Salmon CommissionPhil Andersond. Recommendations of North of Cape Falcon ForumOregon, Washington, Tribes
  - e. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities

#### E. Salmon Management (continued)

- f. Public Comment
- g. **Council Action**: Adopt Tentative 2016 Ocean Salmon Management Measures for Analysis

#### 3:00 pm

#### **Closed Executive Session**

This session is closed to all except Council members, their designees, and others designated by the Council Chair to discuss litigation and personnel matters.

#### Sunday, April 10, 2016

#### 8:00 am

#### Heritage Ballroom A-B

- A. Call to Order (reconvene)
  - A.5 Commencing Remarks

#### F. Groundfish Management

- F.1 National Marine Fisheries Service Report John DeVore
  - a. Regulatory Activities
  - b. Fisheries Science Center Activities Michelle McClure, John Stein
  - c. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
  - d. Public Comment
  - e. Council Discussion

#### F.2 Final Action to Implement the 2016 Pacific Whiting Fishery Under the

- U.S.-Canada Pacific Whiting Agreement
- a. Joint Management Committee Report Phil Anderson
- b. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
- c. Public Comment
- d. **Council Action**: Consider any Necessary Action for Implementation of the 2016 Pacific Whiting Fishery

#### G. Habitat

- G.1 Current Habitat Issues Jennifer Gilden
   a. Report of the Habitat Committee Joel Kawahara
   b. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
  - c. Public Comment
  - d. Council Action: Consider Habitat Committee Recommendations

## H. Coastal Pelagic Species Management

- H.1 Final Action on Sardine Assessment, Specifications, and Management Measures
  - a. Stock Assessment Report
  - b. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
  - c. Public Comment
  - d. **Council Action:** Adopt Pacific Sardine Assessment and Final Harvest Specifications and Management Measures for the 2016-2017 Sardine Fishery
- Kerry Griffin Kevin Hill

Dorothy Lowman

Chuck Tracy

Frank Lockhart

John DeVore

### E. Salmon Management (continued)

- E.2 Methodology Review Preliminary Topic Selection
  - a. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
  - b. Public Comment
  - c. Council Guidance on Potential Methodologies to Review in 2016
- E.3 Clarify Council Direction on 2016 Management Measures
  - a. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
  - b. Public Comment
  - c. Council Guidance and Direction

### Monday, April 11, 2016

#### 8:00 am

#### Heritage Ballroom A-B

- A. Call to Order (reconvene)
  - A.6 Commencing Remarks

Dorothy Lowman Chuck Tracy

John DeVore, Kelly Ames

- F. Groundfish Management (continued)
  - F.3 Final Action to Adopt Biennial Specifications for 2017-2018 Fisheries
    - a. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
    - b. Public Comment
    - c. Council Action: Adopt Final Preferred Harvest Specifications for 2017-2018 Fisheries
  - F.4Final Action to Adopt Fixed Gear Electronic Monitoring Alternative and<br/>Deem Whiting and Fixed Gear Electronic Monitoring RegulationsBrett Wiedoff
    - a. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
    - b. Public Comment
    - c. **Council Action**: Confirm or Revise Adopted Council Final Preferred Alternative for Fixed Gear Fishery Electronic Monitoring and Deem Regulations for Implementing Council Final Action for Whiting and Fixed Gear Fisheries Electronic Monitoring

## Tuesday, April 12, 2016

#### 8:00 am

#### Heritage Ballroom A-B

## A. Call to Order (reconvene)

- A.7 Commencing Remarks
- C. Administrative Matters (continued)
  - C.2 Comments on Bycatch Strategy and Bycatch Reduction Plans
    - a. National Marine Fisheries Service Report
    - b. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
    - c. Public Comment
    - d. **Council Action**: Discussion and Guidance on Submitting Comments on the Draft National Bycatch Reduction Strategy and the Proposed Rule to Establish Guidelines for Standardized Bycatch Reporting Methodologies

Mike Burner

Mike Burner

Dorothy Lowman Chuck Tracy

Kit Dahl

NMFS Staff

## C. Administrative Matters (continued)

- C.3. Catch Share Program Review: Comments on National Guidance and Preliminary Plan for West Coast Trawl Catch Share Program Review
  - a. National Marine Fisheries Service Report

Jim Seger NMFS Staff

- b. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
- c. Public Comment
- d. Council Action: Discussion and Guidance on: 1) Submitting Comments on the Draft National Guidance on Catch Share Program Reviews, and 2) Preliminary Plan for the West Coast Trawl Catch Share Program Review

#### I. Pacific Halibut Management

- Final Incidental Landing Restrictions for 2016-2017 Salmon Troll Fishery Kelly Ames 1.1 a. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
  - b. Public Comment
  - c. Council Action: Adopt Final Incidental Catch Recommendations for 2016 and April 2017 Non-Indian Salmon Troll Fisheries

#### E. Salmon Management (continued)

- E.4 Final Action on 2016 Salmon Management Measures Mike Burner
  - a. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
  - b. Public Comment
  - c. Council Action: Adopt Final Management Measures for 2016 Ocean Salmon Fisheries

#### F. Groundfish Management (continued)

- F.5 Groundfish Essential Fish Habitat (EFH) and Rockfish Conservation Area (RCA) Amendment
  - a. Project Team Report

Kerry Griffin

John Stadler, Kerry Griffin

- b. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
- c. Public Comment
- d. Council Action: Consider and Revise Range of Alternatives, as Appropriate; Identify Preferred Alternatives if Possible; Provide Additional Guidance as Necessary

#### Wednesday, April, 13, 2016

#### 8:00 am

Heritage Ballroom A-B

- A. Call to Order (reconvene)
  - A.8 Commencing Remarks
- E. Salmon Management (continued)
  - E.5 Annual Management Schedule Changes Amendment Scoping
- Mike Burner

Chuck Tracy

Dorothy Lowman

- a. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
- b. Public Comment
- c. Council Action: Consider Initiating an Amendment to Modify the Annual Management Schedule and Identify Issues to be Addressed, as Appropriate

### F. Groundfish Management (continued)

- F.6 Preliminary Preferred Management Measure Alternatives
  - for 2017-2018 Fisheries Kelly Ames, John DeVore a. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
  - b. Public Comment
  - c. **Council Action**: Adopt Any Remaining Harvest Specifications and Preliminary Preferred Alternatives for Management Measures in 2017-2018 Fisheries
- F.7Initial Stock Assessment Plans and Terms of Reference (TOR) for<br/>Groundfish and Coastal Pelagic SpeciesJohn DeVore
  - a. Overview of Stock Assessment Prioritization Jim Hastie, Michelle McClure
  - b. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
  - c. Public Comment
  - d. **Council Action**: Adopt for Public Review a Preliminary List and Schedule of Stocks for Assessment in 2017, the Stock Assessment and Methodology Review TOR for Groundfish and Coastal Pelagic Species, and the Rebuilding TOR for Groundfish

## Thursday, April 14, 2016

#### 8:00 am

#### Heritage Ballroom A-B

Α.	Call t	<b>o Order</b> (reconvene)	Dorothy Lowman
	A.9	Commencing Remarks	Chuck Tracy
F.	F.8	<ul> <li>Indfish Management (continued)</li> <li>Inseason Adjustments</li> <li>a. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entit</li> <li>b. Public Comment</li> <li>c. Council Action: Consider Inseason Adjustments, as Necessary, to K the Annual Catch Limits</li> </ul>	
D.	D.2	<ul> <li>rcement Issues (continued)</li> <li>Final Action on Regulations for Vessel Movement Monitoring         <ul> <li>Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entit</li> <li>Public Comment</li> <li>Council Action: Adopt Final Preferred Alternatives for Vessel Move Regulations in Council Area Commercial Fisheries</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
C.	C.4	<ul> <li>inistrative Matters (continued)</li> <li>Legislative Matters <ul> <li>a. Report of the Legislative Committee</li> </ul> </li> <li>b. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entit</li> <li>c. Public Comment</li> <li>d. Council Action: Consider the Report and Recommendations of the Committee</li> </ul>	

### C. Administrative Matters (continued)

- C.5 Electronic Technology Plan Update
  - a. NMFS Report
  - b. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
  - c. Public Comment
  - d. Council Action: Discussion and Guidance
- C.6 Membership Appointments and Council Operating Procedures Chuck Tracy

Brett Wiedoff Steve Freese

- a. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
- b. Public Comment
- c. **Council Action**: Consider Appointments to Council Committees and Advisory Bodies; Adopt Changes to Council Operating Procedures

#### C.7 Future Council Meeting Agenda and Workload Planning Chuck Tracy

- a. Reports and Comments of Advisory Bodies and Management Entities
- b. Public Comment
- c. Council Discussion and Guidance on Future Meeting Agenda and Workload Planning

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## 234<sup>th</sup> Session of the Pacific Fishery Management Council April 8-14, 2016 SCHEDULE OF ANCILLARY MEETINGS

Day 1—Friday, April 8, 2016		
	Time	
Groundfish Electronic Monitoring PAC and TAC	8:00 am	Oak Room
Groundfish Management Team	8:00 am	Pine Room
Salmon Advisory Subpanel	8:00 am	Heritage D Room
Salmon Technical Team	8:00 am	Heritage C Room
Habitat Committee	9:00 am	*Sacajawea Room
		Heathman Lodge
		7801 NE Greenwood Drive
		Vancouver, WA 98662
Model Evaluation Workgroup	10:00 am	Heritage E Room
Council Secretariat	11:00 am	Alder Room
Budget Committee	1:00 pm	Heritage E Room
Legislative Committee	2:00 pm	Heritage E Room
Tribal Policy Group	7:00 pm	Hemlock Room
Tribal and Washington Technical Group	As Necessary	Spruce Room
Day 2—Saturday, April 9, 2016		
	Time	
Council Secretariat	7:00 am	Alder Room
California State Delegation	7:00 am	Oak Room
Oregon State Delegation	7:00 am	Heritage D Room
Washington State Delegation	7:00 am	Heritage E Room
Coastal Pelagic Species Advisory Subpanel	8:00 am	Discovery D Room
Coastal Pelagic Species Management Team	8:00 am	Discovery E Room
Groundfish Advisory Subpanel	8:00 am	Oak Room

Groundfish Management Team	8:00 am	Pine Room
Salmon Advisory Subpanel	8:00 am	Heritage D Room
Salmon Technical Team	8:00 am	Heritage C Room
Scientific and Statistical Committee	8:00 am	Heritage F Room
Habitat Committee	9:30 am	*Sacajawea Room
		Heathman Lodge
		7801 NE Greenwood Drive
		Vancouver, WA 98662
Enforcement Consultants	3:00 pm	Ash Room
Tribal Policy Group	As Necessary	Hemlock Room
Tribal and Washington Technical Group	As Necessary	Spruce Room
Chair's Reception	6:00 pm	Discovery A/B

## Day 3—Sunday, April 10, 2016

	Time	Location
Council Secretariat	7:00 am	Alder Room
California State Delegation	7:00 am	Oak Room
Oregon State Delegation	7:00 am	Heritage D Room
Washington State Delegation	7:00 am	Heritage E Room
Coastal Pelagic Species Advisory Subpanel	8:00 am	Discovery D Room
Coastal Pelagic Species Management Team	8:00 am	Discovery E Room
Groundfish Advisory Subpanel	8:00 am	Oak Room
Groundfish Management Team	8:00 am	Pine Room
Salmon Advisory Subpanel	8:00 am	Heritage D Room
Salmon Technical Team	8:00 am	Heritage C Room
Enforcement Consultants	As Necessary	Ash Room
Tribal Policy Group	As Necessary	Hemlock Room
Tribal and Washington Technical Group	As Necessary	Spruce Room

## Day 4—Monday, April 11, 2016

	Time	Location
Council Secretariat	7:00 am	Alder Room
California State Delegation	7:00 am	Oak Room
Oregon State Delegation	7:00 am	Heritage D Room
Washington State Delegation	7:00 am	Heritage E Room
Groundfish Advisory Subpanel	8:00 am	Oak Room
Groundfish Management Team	8:00 am	Pine Room
Salmon Advisory Subpanel	8:00 am	Heritage D Room
Salmon Technical Team	8:00 am	Heritage C Room
Enforcement Consultants	As Necessary	Ash Room
Tribal Policy Group	As Necessary	Hemlock Room
Tribal and Washington Technical Group	As Necessary	Spruce Room

## Day 5—Tuesday, April 12, 2016

	Time	Location
Council Secretariat	7:00 am	Alder Room
California State Delegation	7:00 am	Oak Room
Oregon State Delegation	7:00 am	Heritage D Room
Washington State Delegation	7:00 am	Heritage E Room
Groundfish Advisory Subpanel	8:00 am	Oak Room
Groundfish Management Team	8:00 am	Pine Room

	Time	Location
Salmon Advisory Subpanel	8:00 am	Heritage D Room
Salmon Technical Team	8:00 am	Heritage C Room
Enforcement Consultants	As Necessary	Ash Room
Tribal Policy Group	As Necessary	Hemlock Room
Tribal and Washington Technical Group	As Necessary	Spruce Room

## Day 6—Wednesday, April 13, 2016

Time	Location
7:00 am	Alder Room
7:00 am	Oak Room
7:00 am	Heritage D Room
7:00 am	Heritage E Room
8:00 am	Oak Room
8:00 am	Pine Room
8:00 am	Heritage C Room
As Necessary	*Discovery E Room
As Necessary	Hemlock Room
As Necessary	Spruce Room
Time	Location
7:00 am	Alder Room
7:00 am	Oak Room
7:00 am	Heritage D Room
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## PROPOSED PACIFIC COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA, APRIL 8-14, 2016 IN VANCOUVER, WA

Acronyms	Sat, Apr 9	Sun, Apr 10	Mon, Apr 11	Tue, Apr 12	Wed, Apr 13	Thu, Apr 14
Acronyms BC: Budget Committee COP: Council Operating Procedures CPS: Coastal Pelagic Species CPSAS/MT: CPS Advisory Subpanel/Mgmt Team EC: Enforcement Consultants ED: Executive Director EFH: Essential Fish Habitat EFP: Exempted Fishing Permit FPA: Final Preferred Alternative GAP/MT: Groundfish Advisory Subpanel /Mgmt Team GEMTAC/PAC: Groundfish Electronic Monitoring Technical/Policy Advisory Committee HC: Habitat Committee HC: Habitat Committee IC: Legislative Committee PPA: Preliminary Preferred Alternative RCA: Rockfish Conservation Areas SAS/STT: Salmon Advisory Subpanel /Technical Team USCG: US Coast Guard	Sat, Apr 9A. CALL TO ORDER 8 AM1-4. Opening Remarks, Roll Call, ED Report, Approve Agenda (30 min)B. OPEN COMMENT1. Comments on Non- Agenda Items (30 min)C. ADMINISTRATIVE1. Marine Planning Update (1 hr)D. ENFORCEMENT1. Annual USCG Fishery Enforcement Rpt (1 hr)E. SALMON1. Tentative Adoption of 2016 Management Measures for Analysis (2 hr 30 min)CLOSED SESSION Discuss Litigation & Personnel Matters (2 hr)	Sun, Apr 10 F. GROUNDFISH 1. NMFS Report (1 hr) 2. Implementation of 2016 Pacific Whiting Fishery under U.SCanada Whiting Agreement (45 min) G. HABITAT 1. Current Habitat Issues (45 min) H. COASTAL PELAGIC SPECIES 1. Sardine Assessment and Management Measures FPA (3 hr) E. SALMON 2. Methodology Review Preliminary Topic Selection (1 hr) 3. Clarify Council Direction on 2016 Management Measures (1 hr 30 min)	Mon, Apr 11 F. GROUNDFISH 3. Biennial Harvest Specifications for 2017-2018 Groundfish Specifications FPA (3 hr 30 min) 4. Electronic Monitoring Whiting Regulation Deeming & Fixed Gear FPA /Deeming-(5 hr) Time estimates are approximate; not reliable for planning attendance or participation.	Tue, Apr 12C. ADMINISTRATIVE2. Comments onBycatch Strategy andBycatch ReductionPlans (1 hr)3. Catch ShareProgram Review:Comments onNational Guidance &Prelim. Plan forTrawl IFQ Review(1 hr 30 min)I. PACIFIC HALIBUT1. Final IncidentalCatch Limits for 2016Salmon Troll Fishery(15 min)E. SALMON4. Final Action on2016 ManagementMeasures (2 hr)F. GROUNDFISH5. GroundfishEFH/RCAAmendment Update,Revise ROA, andSelect PPAs if	Wed, Apr 13 E. SALMON 5. Annual Management Schedule Changes Amendment Scoping (1 hr) F. GROUNDFISH 6. Biennial Management Measures for 2017- 2018 Groundfish Management Measures PPA (5 hr) 7. Initial Stock Assessment Plan and Terms of Reference (2 hr)	Thu, Apr 14 F. GROUNDFISH 8. Consideration of Inseason Adjustments (1 hr D. ENFORCEMENT 2. Regulations fo Vessel Movement Monitoring FPA (2 hr) C. ADMINISTRATIVE 4. Legislative Matters (1 hr) 5. Electronic Technology Plan Update (1 hr 15 min) 6. Membership Appointments & COPs (15 min) 7. Future Council Meeting Agenda & Workload Plannin (2 hr 30 min)
Fri, Apr 8	7.5 hr	8 hr	8.5 hr	Possible (4 hr) 8.75 hr	8 hr	8 hr
11 am Secretariat 1 pm BC 8 am GMT 8 am SAS & STT 8 am GEMTAC&PAC 9 am HC	7 am State Delegations 8 am Secretariat 8 am SSC 8 am GAP & GMT 8 am SAS & STT 8 am CPSAS & CPSMT 9 am HC	7 am State Delegations 8 am Secretariat 8 am GAP & GMT 8 am SAS & STT 8 am CPSAS & CPSMT	7 am State Delegations 8 am Secretariat 8 am GAP & GMT 8 am SAS & STT	7 am State Delegations 8 am Secretariat 8 am GAP & GMT 8 am SAS & STT	7 am State Delegations 8 am Secretariat 8 am GAP & GMT 8 am STT	7 am State Delegations 8 am Secretariat
10 am MEW 2 pm LC Ad Hoc Tribal Policy Ad HocW/T Tech	3 pm EC Ad Hoc Tribal Policy Ad HocW/T Tech 6 pm Chair's Reception	Ad Hoc EC Ad Hoc Tribal Policy Ad Hoc W/T Tech	Ad Hoc EC Ad Hoc Tribal Policy Ad Hoc W/T Tech	Ad Hoc EC Ad Hoc Tribal Policy Ad Hoc W/T Tech	Ad Hoc EC	

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### Pacific Fishery Management Council—April Council Meeting—Hotel Map

Columbia Avenue

# CONVENTION CENTER ENTRANCE



1st Floor Meeting Space





2nd Floor Meeting Space