

New England Fishery Management Council

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Meeting Notice Scallop Advisory Panel Meeting

Date: Tuesday, May 20, 2014 Time: 9:00 a.m. Location: Omni Providence Hotel 1 West Exchange Street Providence, RI 02048 Telephone: (401) 598-8000; Fax: (401) 598-8200

Agenda:

The Advisors will review a draft performance report of the LAGC IFQ fishery (2010-2012). The Advisors will provide recommendations for research priorities for the next Scallop Research Set-Aside federal funding announcement. Finally, the Advisors will provide input related to Framework 26 to the Scallop FMP. The primary purpose of Framework 26 is to set fishery specifications for FY2015 and FY2016 (default). The Council is expected to review and take action on all three items at the June Council meeting.

Scallop Committee Meeting

Date:Wednesday, May 21, 2014Time:9:00 a.m.Location:Same as above

Agenda:

The Committee will review and consider input from the Scallop Plan Development Team and Advisory Panel on all three issues described above: 1) LAGC IFQ performance report; 2) research priorities for the 2015/2016 Scallop RSA program; and 3) initiation of Framework 26. The Committee may discuss other items.

If you are submitting comments for consideration at this meeting they must be received at the Council office by 12 p.m. EST on Friday, May 16, 2014.

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TA #: 14-71 (AP); 14-72 (CTE) cc: Scallop Advisors, Council Members, PDT and IPs Notice date: April 29, 2014