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Meeting Agenda
Scientific and Statistical Committee Subpanel
Friday March 13, 2026; 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM
via webinar

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9:00 AM	Welcome, introductions, opening remarks, and agenda review (C. McManus, SSC Subpanel Chair)
9:05	Introductory presentation: Monkfish management and project context (M. Sanderson, Cape Cod Fishermen’s Alliance)
9:10	Presentation on background of monkfish management and assessments and Project 1: Incorporating Fishermen’s Knowledge into Standardized Catch-Per-Unit-Effort Indices for the Commercial Monkfish Fishery (S. Cadrin, SMAST)
9:50	SSC questions
10:10	Presentation on Project 2: Examining High-Resolution Monkfish CPUE Indices Across Gillnet, Trawl, and Scallop Dredge Fisheries (A. Jones, NEFSC)
10:30	SSC questions
10:50	Public comment
11:00	Break
11:10	Project synthesis and recommendations (S. Cadrin)
11:20	SSC discussion – project evaluation guided by Terms of Reference (C. McManus)
12:45 PM	SSC Subpanel report
1:00	Adjourn

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