

NEW ENGLAND FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

Scallops

I. STATUS

A. Meetings:

There was a Scallop PDT meeting on February 4 and a Scallop PDT conference call on March 9. The Scallop AP met on March 22 followed by the Scallop Committee on March 23 in Warwick, RI. The Council hosted a scallop workshop on February 22-23, 2016.

II. COUNCIL ACTION

- A. Review a draft outline and work plan for the five-year performance review of the LAGC IFQ program.
- B. Discuss increased fishing activity in the Northern Gulf of Maine management area and any associated action if warranted.

III. INFORMATION

- 1. Staff Presentation (*to be handed out*)
- 2. 2016 Workload and Scallop Action Timelines
- 3. Draft Summary of NEFMC Inshore Scallop Workshop
- 4. Draft Workplan for Scallop LAGC IFQ Five-year Performance Review
- 5. Draft Memo on Scallop Fishing in the NGOM
- 6. Draft Scallop AP Meeting Summary – March 22, 2016
- 7. Draft Scallop Committee Meeting Summary – March 23, 2016
- 8. Correspondence