New England Fishery Management Council Scallop Advisory Panel Meeting

<u>Webinar – Register to Participate</u> June 18, 2020

| Scallop Advisory Panel Membership | |
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| Cassie Canastra, New Bedford, MA | Ben Martens, Brunswick, ME |
| Thomas Coley, CT | Robert Maxwell, West Creek, NJ |
| Ronald Enoksen, New Bedford, MA | Chris Merl, Chatham, MA |
| Brent Fulcher, New Bern, NC | Ed Mullis, Newport News, VA |
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| Brady Lybarger, Cape May, NJ | Paul Vafides, Chatham, MA |
| Michael Marchetti, Wakefield, RI | |

AGENDA

9:00 a.m. Welcome, Introductions, and Announcements

9:30 a.m. Amendment 21 to the Scallop FMP

• Receive an overview of the draft Environmental Assessment (EA) and potential timelines for this action.

10:30 a.m. *Break*

10:45 a.m. Amendment 21 to the Scallop FMP (continued)

- Consider recommending preliminary preferred alternatives and approving the draft EA for public hearings
- Consider providing input to the Council regarding public hearings for this action if in-person meetings may be limited due to the COVID-19 pandemic

12:00 pm Lunch break

12:30 p.m. Amendment 21 to the Scallop FMP (continue discussion as necessary)

1:30 p.m. Updates on the impact of COVID-19: 2020 Surveys and RSA Priorities

2:15 p.m. Executive Order on Promoting Seafood Competitiveness and Economic Growth

2:45 p.m. Other Business

MEETING MATERIALS

- 1. Meeting Information
 - a. Meeting Agenda
 - b. Meeting Memo from Committee Chair, Mr. Vincent Balzano
 - c. Staff presentation
 - d. Remote Participation Guide
- 2. 2021/2022 Scallop RSA Research Priorities
 - a. Summary of Recent RSA Awards
 - b. Scallop Committee's Research Recommendations with Staff input re: COVID-19
- 3. Amendment 21 to the Scallop FMP
 - a. Amendment 21 Decision Document for Preliminary Preferred Alternatives
 - b. Draft Amendment 21 Environmental Assessment (EA)
 - c. Draft Appendix LAGC IFQ Lease Cost Model and Scenario Analyses
 - d. Amendment 21 Action Plan
- 4. Executive Order on Promoting Seafood Competitiveness and Economic Growth
 - a. Staff Presentation
 - b. Executive Order on Promoting Seafood Competitiveness and Economic Growth
- 5. Relevant Meeting Summaries:
 - a. May 12, 2020 Scallop PDT meeting summary
 - b. May 19, 2020 RSA Share Day meeting summary
 - c. May 21, 2020 Scallop PDT meeting summary
 - d. May 26, 2020 Scallop AP meeting summary
 - e. May 28, 2020 Scallop Committee meeting summary
- 6. Correspondence