

## DRAFT NPFMC THREE-MEETING OUTLOOK – 3/25/2025

	March 31-April 7, 2025 VIRTUAL	Council staff contact	June 2-10, 2025 Agate Beach Best Western, Newport, OR	Council staff contact	September 29-October 8, 2025 Egan Center, Anchorage, AK	Council staff contact
Topics						
EVENTS/ REPORTS*	ED report: BSAI allocation review - Yellowfin, Atka, POP NMFS report: EFH, Protected spp AFSC report Cooperative Reports Finance/Executive Committee Chum salmon excluder EFP	DW DW DW AH DW DS	ED report: CCC update NOAA Enforcement report	DW	Election of officers, new member oath ED report: CCC update AFSC, NPFC reports	DW
GROUNDFISH HARVEST SPECS			Subarea apportionments: <b>Report</b> BSAI BSRE accountability measures: <b>Report</b>	SC DS	BSAI Groundfish: <b>Proposed specs, PT reports</b> GOA Groundfish: <b>Proposed specs, PT reports</b> BSAI BSRE accountability measures: <b>Discussion paper</b>	DS SC DS
OTHER SPECS: CRAB, SALMON, SCALLOP			BSAI Crab: <b>AIGKC specs, Plan Team report</b>	AK	BSAI Crab stocks: <b>ABC/OFL specs, Crab PT report</b>	AK
REPORTING/ MONITORING			Observer Annual Report for 2024: <b>Review, FMAC report</b>	SC	2025 Observer ADP: <b>Review, PCFMAC report</b>	SC
BSAI/GOA GFISH MGMT	MRA adjustments: <b>Initial Review, Enforcement Cmte</b>  CGOA Rockfish Program Review: <b>Review report</b>	TH  AH	Pelagic trawl gear definition: <b>Initial / Final Action</b> Pelagic trawl gear innovation: <b>Discussion paper</b> BSAI Pot Cod LAPP: <b>Discussion Paper</b> AFA Program Review: <b>Review report (T)</b>	TH AK AH KH	MRA adjustments: <b>Final Action (T)</b>	TH
BSAI CRAB MGMT			Crab arbitration: <b>Initial Review</b>	SM	Crab arbitration: <b>Final Action (T)</b> Crab C-shares: <b>Initial Review</b>	SM TH
BYCATCH	GOA Tanner Crab Protections: <b>Extended Disc. Paper</b>	DS				
HALIBUT: IFQ/CHARTER	Area 4 vessel use caps: <b>Final Action</b> Small sablefish release: <b>Final Action</b>	AH SC				
OTHER	Programmatic Evaluation: <b>Refine alternatives</b> Cost recovery process evaluation: <b>Discussion paper</b> Survey modernization: <b>Report, SSC recommendations</b> Ecosystem Committee Terms of Reference: <b>Review</b>	SC SM DS DE	Use of social/econ info in TAC-setting: <b>Review (T)</b> EFH 5-year review workplan: <b>Review (T)</b> Harvest control rule changes: <b>SSC workshop/discuss</b>	AH AK DS	Programmatic Eval: <b>Review scoping, action as nec. (T)</b>	KL

### ITEMS NOT YET SCHEDULED:

GOA POP MRA: *Initial review*

AI GKC start date : *Discussion paper*

IFQ transfer and beneficiary changes: *Discussion paper*

Chum salmon bycatch: *Final Action (Dec 2025)*

Pot gear regulation consistency: *Discussion paper*

Sablefish motion scales: *Discussion paper*

Charter Halibut Mgmt Measures Timing: *Discussion Paper*

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\*Reports in addition to the standard agency B reports (Executive Director, NMFS Management, NOAA General Counsel, ADFG, USCG, USFWS.) Note, for definition of acronyms and abbreviations, see online list: <https://www.npfmc.org/librar>