

DRAFT NPFMC THREE-MEETING OUTLOOK – 1/29/2026						
Topics	February 2-11, 2026 <i>Egan Center, Anchorage, AK</i>	Council staff contact	June 1-9, 2026 <i>Hilton Hotel, Vancouver, WA</i>	Council staff contact	October 5-13, 2026 <i>VIRTUAL or Anchorage, AK</i>	
EVENTS/ REPORTS ^a	ED report: IFQ report to fleet NMFS report: year-end inseason mgmt, Final ADP reports AFSC report NPRB report IPHC report	DE DE DE DE DE	ED report: CCC update NOAA Enforcement report Finance/Executive Committee Cooperative reports including IPA reports Salmon EFP report	DE DE DE SM KH	Election of officers, new member oath AFSC report	DE DE
GROUNDFISH HARVEST SPECS	GOA Pcod assessment: <i>Harvest specifications</i> Planning for fall 2026 groundfish cycle: <i>Review (SSC only)</i>	SC SC			BSAI Groundfish: <i>Proposed specs, PT reports</i> GOA Groundfish: <i>Proposed specs, PT reports</i>	DS SC
OTHER SPECS: CRAB, SALMON, SCALLOP	Cook Inlet salmon: <i>Harvest specifications</i>	DS	BSAI Crab: <i>ABC/OFL for 3 stocks, Plan Team report</i> Scallop: <i>Final specifications, Plan Team report</i>	AK AK	BSAI Crab stocks: <i>ABC/OFL specs, Crab PT report</i>	AK
REPORTING/ MONITORING			Observer 2025 Annual Report: <i>Review, FMAC report</i> Cost recovery report & prog. improvernts: <i>Initial review</i> Salmon bycatch genetic stock composition: <i>Reports</i>	SC TH KH	2026 Observer ADP: <i>Review, PCFMAC report</i>	SC
BSAI/GOA GFISH MGMT			Pelagic trawl gear, crab industry reseach: <i>Updates</i> Pelagic trawl impacts, performance std.: <i>Next steps (T)</i>	AK AK	Inseason auth. to prevent ACL overages: <i>Initial Rev. (T)</i>	DS
BSAI CRAB MGMT			Groundfish FMP objectives review: <i>Report</i>	KL		
BYCATCH	Chum Salmon bycatch: <i>Final action</i>	KH	GOA Tanner crab protection meas.: <i>Initial Review</i>	AK	BS Herring PSC limit adjustment: <i>Initial Review (T)</i>	KH
HALIBUT: IFQ/CHARTER			CQE/IFQ adjustments: <i>Expanded discussion paper (T)</i>	AH	Charter Halibut Mgmt Meas. Timing: <i>Disc. Paper (T)</i>	SM
OTHER	Harvest control rule devmt.: <i>Status, PT reports (SSC)</i> EFH 5-year review workplan, methodology: <i>SSC review</i>	DS AK	Harvest control rule adjustments: <i>Report</i> Climate workplan: <i>Update</i> Ecosystem Committee: <i>Report</i> Economic/Community Indicators: <i>Reports (SSC)</i>	DS DS KL AH	Omnibus FMP recordkeeping & reporting: <i>Initial Review</i> Cook Inlet Salmon tribal fishery feasibility: <i>Discussion paper</i> NSRKC participation recency: <i>Expanded discussion paper</i> Charter Halibut Permits data request: <i>Discussion paper</i> EFH 5-year review: <i>Progress updates</i>	TBD

ITEMS NOT YET SCHEDULED:

Lead level 2 endorsement criteria: *Initial Review*
Eliminate bled sablefish IFQ deduction: *Initial Review*
Pot gear regulation consistency: *Discussion paper*
Sablefish motion scales: *Discussion paper*

Cook Inlet Salmon tribal fishery feasibility: *Discussion paper*
NSRKC participation recency: *Expanded discussion paper*
Charter Halibut Permits data request: *Discussion paper*
EFH 5-year review: *Progress updates*

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^aReports in addition to the standard agency B reports (Executive Director, NMFS Management, NOAA General Counsel, ADFG, USCG, USFWS.)

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