

Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission

Horseshoe Crab Technical Committees

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The times listed are approximate; the order in which these items will be taken is subject to change; other items may be added as necessary.

- 1) Introduction and review agenda (*S. Doctor*) 10:00 a.m.
- 2) Maryland Proposal for change to Quota (*S. Doctor*) 10:05 a.m.
- 3) ARM Framework Optimal Harvest Recommendation for 2015 10:45 a.m.
 - Red Knot mark-resight population estimates
 - Review of model output
 - Recommendation to Board/Discussion
- 4) Review horseshoe crab surveys for report and summary to Board 12:45 p.m.
 - 2014/15 Delaware Bay Spawning Survey (*J. Zimmerman*)
 - State Trawl Surveys (NJ, DE, MD, VA)
 - Summarize Horseshoe Crab Surveys
 - Develop summary for Board report
- 5) Gulf-crab bleeding research update (*D. Smith*) 2:30 p.m.
- 6) Update on artificial bait trials (*K. Rootes-Murdy*) 3:30 p.m.
- 7) Other business/Adjourn 4:00 p.m.