



Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission

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Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission Risk and Uncertainty Policy Workgroup Meeting

September 12th 1-5:30 pm
September 13th 9:00 am- 4:00 pm
Hanover, Maryland

Draft Agenda

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.

Monday, September 12th

1. Welcome and introductions (*J. McNamee*) 1:00 pm
2. Approval of agenda
3. Overview of meeting purpose and policy development visioning
4. Discuss objectives and goals of the overall policy
 - a. Create draft list of detailed objectives and goals to be included in Policy Board materials
5. Discuss risk and uncertainty decision-tree
 - a. Brainstorm additional questions and considerations
 - b. Determine how to set risk levels
- Public comment
6. Break 5:30 pm

Tuesday, September 13th

1. Continuation of previous day's discussion 9:00 am
2. Work through data-rich example with bluefish
 - a. Use information from bluefish matrix

Lunch 12:00 pm

3. Work through data-poor example with GoM winter flounder
 - a. Use information from GoM winter flounder matrix
4. Consider how to present information to the Policy Board during Annual Meeting
5. Public comment
6. Adjourn 4:00 pm

The meeting will take place at The Hotel at Arundel Preserve
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