

Archipelagic Fishery Ecosystem Plan Team Meeting

April 14, 2015 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. WPRFMC Conference Room Bishop St, Honolulu, Hawaii

## Draft Agenda

## Joint American Samoa, Marianas, and Hawaii Archipelago Fishery Ecosystem Plan Team <u>Meeting</u>

- 1. Welcome and introductions
- 2. Approval of draft agenda, 2014 report & assignment of rapporteurs
- 3. Report on previous Plan Team recommendations and Council actions
- 4. 2014 annual report modules
  - A. American Samoa coral reef, crustacean and bottomfish fishery
  - B. Guam coral reef, crustacean and bottomfish fishery
  - C. CNMI coral reef, crustacean and bottomfish fishery
  - D. Hawaii coral reef, crustacean, and bottomfish fishery
- 5. Annual Catch Limits
  - A. Evaluating 2014 catches to its respective 2014 ACLs (Action Item)
  - B. Discussions
  - C. Public Comment
- 6. Report on Data Collection and Research Projects
  - A. Seasonal run fishery data collection
  - B. Improving commercial vendor reporting

## Lunch Break

- C. Abundance estimation of Hawaii akule using aerial surveys
- D. Determining biological reference points
- E. Productivity and susceptibility analysis of the coral reef fisheries
- F. Status of WPacFIN database upgrade and data access
- G. Discussions
- H. Public Comment
- 7. Update Cooperative Research and developing priorities
  - A. Background on NMFS Cooperative Research Program
  - B. Developing a framework for Cooperative Research in WP region

- C. Discussions
- D. Public Comment
- 8. Review of the Essential Fish Habitat and Habitat Areas of Particular Concern Science Review and PIRO Recommendations
  - A. Options for HAPC Designation
  - B. Discussions
  - C. Public Comment
- 9. General Discussions
- 10. Archipelagic Plan Team Recommendations
- 11. Other Business

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