

WESTERN PACIFIC REGIONAL FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

**DRAFT AGENDA** (version 2021.10.22)

## Fishing Industry Advisory Committee Meeting

Tuesday, November 16, 2021 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Virtual Meeting via Webex:

- 1. Welcome and Introductions
- 2. Status Report on Sept 2021 FIAC Recommendations
- 3. Update on Fishing and Market Issues/Impacts (i.e. billfish, transportation, etc)
- 4. Modification of Seabird Interaction Mitigation Measures in the Deep-set Longline Fishery (Action Item)
- 5. Preparations for 18th WCPFC Regular Session
  - A. South Pacific Tuna Treaty Updates
  - B. South Pacific Albacore Management Issues
  - C. US Permanent Advisory Committee to the WCPFC
  - D. Proposed Revisions to WCPFC Tropical Tuna CMM
- 6. FKW acoustic study and TRT research priorities
- 7. Research Needs and Priorities
  - A. BREP Proposal
  - B. Saltonstall-Kennedy Program
- 8. Report on American Samoa Gear Diversification Project
- 9. Report on CNMI Bottomfish Fishery Development and Training
- 10. Other Issues
- 11. Public Comment
- 12. Discussion and Recommendations