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American Samoa Archipelago Advisory Panel Meeting

Tuesday, March 18, 2025

6 p.m. – 8 p.m. (SST); 7 p.m. – 9 p.m. (HST)

Virtual Meeting via Webex:

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1. Welcome and Introductions Nate Ilaoa, AP vice Chair
2. Review of the Last AP Recommendation and Meeting Felix Penalosa
3. Council Fisheries Issues Thomas Remington
 - A. American Samoa BMUS Revision
 - B. Updates on Hawaii and American Samoa Longline Fisheries Crew Training Requirement Asuka Ishizaki and David O'Brien
 - C. Longline Electronic Monitoring Implementation Feasibility Mark Fitchett
4. Regulatory Review, Community Consultation and Planning through IRA Mark Mitsuyasu
 - A. Fishery Monitoring and Management Regime Joshua DeMello
 - i. American Samoa FEP Overview
 - ii. American Samoa Territorial FMP Development
 - B. Climate Impacts on Fisheries and Communities Mark Mitsuyasu
 - i. FISHMAPs Joshua DeMello
 - ii. Future Scenarios for American Samoa small-boat fisheries AP Members
 - C. Community Fisheries
 - i. Fishery Development/Training Opportunities
5. Advisory Panel Strategic Planning for 2025
 - A. SFF: PSA Development
 - B. Other AS AP Projects
6. Other Business
7. Public Comment Nate Ilaoa
8. Discussion and Recommendations Nate Ilaoa

AP Member Participants

Clay Tam - Chair

Nate Ilaoa – Vice Chair

Gene Pan

Dustin Snow

Joe Hamby

Nonu Tuisamoa

Jerome Ierome

Alts:

Edgar Feliciano

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