

Striped Mullet Peer Review Workshop
8–10 November 2021
Virtual Meeting

Final Agenda

DAY 1: MONDAY, 8 NOVEMBER 2021, 12:00 pm–5:00 pm

Day 1 Goals: Review purpose and expectations of peer review, gain understanding of fisheries and management history, gain understanding of species biology and ecology, and review fisheries-dependent monitoring programs

Preliminaries

- Welcome & introductions (*Laura Lee/Steve Poland*)
- Purpose of review workshop & expected products (*Chris McDonough*)
- Review agenda & code of conduct (*Chris McDonough*)

Background

- Presentation: Assessment History (*Dan Zapf*)
- Presentation: Fisheries & Management History (*Dan Zapf*)
- Presentation: Stock Structure & Species Life History (*Jeff Dobbs*)
- Review Panel Q & A

Data

- Presentation: Fisheries-Dependent Monitoring (*Jeff Dobbs*)
- Review Panel Q & A

DAY 2: TUESDAY, 9 NOVEMBER 2021, 9:00 am–5:00 pm

Day 2 Goals: Review fisheries-independent surveys, review and evaluate assessment input data, review and evaluate assessment model and results, request additional analyses, review and evaluate method for estimating reference point values, and review and evaluate current stock status

Data

- Presentation: Fisheries-Independent Monitoring (*Morgan Paris*)
- Review Panel Q & A

Assessment Model

- Presentation: Model Input Data (*Laura Lee*)
- Presentation: Model Structure & Parameterization (*Laura Lee*)
- Presentation: Model Results (*Laura Lee*)
- Review Panel Q & A
- Identify additional analytical requests

Status Determination

- Presentation: Reference Points & Stock Status (*Laura Lee*)
- Review Panel Q & A
- Identify additional analytical requests

Working Session

- Working Group session addressing additional analytical requests
- Review Panel begins drafting report (closed session)

DAY 3: WEDNESDAY, 10 NOVEMBER 2021, 9:00 am–5:00 pm

Day 3 Goals: Review and comment on research recommendations, recommend best model configuration for assessing stock, recommend best approach for estimating reference point values, recommend whether results provide a valid basis for management, complete draft version of peer review report, and identify any outstanding tasks

Additional Requests

- Review results of additional analytical requests
- Identify additional analytical requests

Research Recommendations

- Presentation: Research Recommendations (*Laura Lee*)
- Review Panel Q & A

Working Session

- Working Group session addressing additional analytical requests
- Review Panel continues drafting report (closed session)
- Review Panel deliberations (closed session)

Initial Summary

- Review results of additional analytical requests
- Review Panel reviews initial conclusions with Working Group (closed session with Working Group)

Wrap-Up & Next Steps

- Identify tasks to be completed & timeline
- Review Panel deliberations (closed session)
- Review Panel reviews conclusions with Working Group (closed session with Working Group)
- Review Panel session drafting report (closed session)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

There will be a one-hour break for lunch on Tuesday and Wednesday. Additional breaks will be given at the discretion of the chair.

The order and timing of agenda items is subject to change.

The goals listed for each day are intended for the peer review panel and chair.

During closed sessions, everyone except the peer review panel and chair will be asked to leave unless noted otherwise above.

Only the peer review panel and chair participate in the development of the peer review report. The report will not be available to the NCDMF staff, the public, or others until it is considered complete.