

North Carolina Fishery Management Plan for Interjurisdictional Fisheries Workshop
WebEx Event
Wednesday, December 8, 2021, 6 p.m.

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- 6:00 p.m. Welcome
DMF staff will welcome participants and review the Workshop agenda and expectations for the Workshop
- 6:15 p.m. Review NC FMP for Interjurisdictional Fisheries Amendment 2
Receive a presentation from DMF staff on the FMP. The presentation will be an overview of the purpose and scope of the FMP as well as the goal and objectives.
- 7:10 p.m. Review Issue Paper: Simplifying Management of Interjurisdictional Managed Species
Receive a presentation from DMF staff on the issue paper which sets forth a process for simplifying management of species managed by state and Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission or federal Councils fishery management plans.
- 8:20 p.m. Review Advisory Committee Input from Workshop
Review the Workshop considerations received for further drafting NC FMP for Interjurisdictional Fisheries Amendment 2.
- 8:30 p.m. Adjourn

*** Times indicated are merely for guidance. The committee will proceed through the agenda until completed.**

The Division of Marine Fisheries (DMF), through the Department of Environmental Quality, is charged with the preparation and writing of proposed fishery management plans (FMP), for adoption by the Marine Fisheries Commission (MFC). To assist the DMF in the development of FMPs, the chair of the MFC appoints a fishery management plan advisory committee (AC) that is composed of commercial fishermen, recreational fishermen, scientists, and others, all with expertise in the fishery for which the FMP is being developed. The following are the specific roles of appointed advisers in assisting the DMF in the development of FMPs:

- *Assist DMF staff in evaluating management issues and options addressed in the FMP*
- *Assist the DMF in informing the public on the issues contained in the FMP*
- *Solicit comments from peers and bring comments back to the AC*
- *Evaluate the impacts of management options on the resource and user groups*