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Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (MAFMC) & Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission (ASMFC)

Joint Advisory Panel Meeting via Webinar For Atlantic Bluefish

June 25, 2015 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

MEETING OBJECTIVE

The purpose of this meeting is to discuss recent performance of the commercial and recreational fisheries for Atlantic bluefish. The MAFMC and ASMFC staff will work with advisors to develop the 2015 Fishery Performance Report. The intent of this report is to facilitate a venue for structured input from the AP members for the Atlantic Bluefish specifications process, including recommendations by the Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC). The MAFMC and the ASMFC will consider the Fishery Performance Report in August when setting fishery specifications (i.e. catch and landings limits and management measures) for 2016-2018.

AGENDA

(Times are approximate and may change based on pace of discussion)

9:00 am - 9:15 am	Welcome and Introductions
10:15 am – 10:35 am	Review Advisory Panel Information Document
10:35 am – 12:00 pm	Develop Atlantic Bluefish Fishery Performance Report
12:00 pm	Adjourn