

**Southern Flounder Fishery Management Plan Workshop**  
**Day 1 WebEx Event**  
**Thursday, October 8, 2020, 6 p.m.**

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Event number (access code): 171 429 6930

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- 6:00 p.m.      Welcome  
*DMF staff will welcome participants and review the Workshop agenda*
- 6:05 p.m.      WebEx orientation\*  
*Verify all participants are able to hear, be heard, are able to see, and be seen*
- 6:45 p.m.      Review Workshop Format  
*Receive a presentation from Workshop Moderators on Workshop format and roles of participants*
- 7:00 p.m.      Review FMP Timeline  
*Receive a presentation from Workshop Moderators on the FMP timeline and expectations for the Workshop*
- 7:10 p.m.      Review Southern Flounder Highlights  
*Receive a presentation from DMF staff on the southern flounder stock, Amendment 2 actions, and an Amendment 3 overview*
- 7:45 p.m.      Review Day 2 Workshop Agenda  
*Receive an overview of the Workshop Agenda for October 14, 2020 and materials to review prior to Day 2.*
- 8:00 p.m.      Adjourn for the day

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- *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*

**Southern Flounder Fishery Management Plan Workshop**  
**Day 2 WebEx event**  
**Wednesday, October 14, 2020, 3 p.m.**

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- 3:00 p.m.      Welcome\*  
*Moderators will review the Workshop agenda for the day and set expectations*
- 3:10 p.m.      Review Sustainable Harvest- Commercial Fishery Quota  
*Receive a presentation from DMF staff on Achieving Sustainable Harvest through a commercial fishery quota*
- 5:00 p.m.      **BREAK**  
*Please remain logged on to the meeting during break if possible*
- 6:00 p.m.      Welcome back  
*Moderators will verify Workshop participants have returned and give an overview of the post break agenda*
- 6:05 p.m.      Review Sustainable Harvest- Commercial Trip Limits  
*Receive a presentation from DMF staff on Achieving Sustainable Harvest through potential commercial trip limits*
- 7:45 p.m.      Review Day 3 Workshop Agenda  
*Receive an overview of the Workshop Agenda for October 15, 2020 and materials to review prior to Day 3.*
- 8:00 p.m.      Adjourn for the day

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**Day 3 WebEx event**  
**Thursday, October 15, 2020, 1 p.m.**

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- 1:00 p.m.      Welcome\*  
*Moderators will review the Workshop agenda for the day and set expectations*
- 1:10 p.m.      Review Sustainable Harvest- Recreational Quota  
*Receive a presentation from DMF staff on Achieving Sustainable Harvest through a recreational quota*
- 2:00 p.m.      Review Sustainable Harvest- Recreational Bag Limit  
*Receive a presentation from DMF staff on Achieving Sustainable Harvest through potential changes to the recreational bag limit*
- 3:30 p.m.      Review Sustainable Harvest- Recreational Commercial Gear License  
*Receive a presentation from DMF staff on Achieving Sustainable Harvest through potential changes to the Recreational Commercial Gear License*
- 4:00 p.m.      **BREAK**  
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- 5:00 p.m.      Welcome back  
*Moderators will verify Workshop participants have returned and give an overview of the post break agenda*
- 5:10 p.m.      Review Increased Access to the Recreational Fishery  
*Receive a presentation from DMF staff on increasing access to the recreational fishery*
- 7:00 p.m.      Review Day 4 Workshop Agenda  
*Receive an overview of the Workshop Agenda for October 19, 2020 and materials to review prior to Day 4.*
- 7:15 p.m.      Adjourn for the day

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**Day 4 WebEx event**  
**Monday, October 19, 2020, 3 p.m.**

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- 3:00 p.m.      Welcome\*  
*Moderators will review the Workshop agenda for the day and set expectations*
- 3:10 p.m.      Review Amendment 3- Adaptive Management  
*Receive a presentation from DMF staff on adaptive management for the southern flounder stock*
- 4:00 p.m.      Review Inlet Corridors  
*Receive a presentation from DMF staff on adopting inlet corridors*
- 5:30 p.m.      **BREAK**  
*Please remain logged on to the meeting during break if possible*
- 6:30 p.m.      Welcome back  
*Moderators will verify Workshop participants have returned and give an overview of the post break agenda*
- 6:40 p.m.      Review Research Recommendations  
*Receive a presentation from DMF staff on Amendment 3 research recommendations*
- 7:40 p.m.      Review Next Steps in the FMP Process  
Moderators will review with Workshop members the FMP process moving forward
- 8:00 p.m.      Adjourn for the day

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**Southern Flounder Fishery Management Plan Workshop**  
**Day 5 WebEx event**  
**Thursday, October 22, 2020, 3 p.m.**

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