

MEETING AGENDA

**Whiting Advisory Panel
New England Fishery Management Council
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August 24, 2011

- 10:00 am Election of Chair and Vice-chair (Closed session)
- 10:30 Stock status, ABCs, and ACL framework (Applegate)
- 11:00 Fishery data and trends (Applegate)
- 11:30 Catch or landings allocations to fleets or fisheries (Advisors)
- Exempted areas
 - Seasons
 - Gear allocations
 - Sub-region allocations
- 12:30 Lunch
- 1:30 pm Catch or landings allocations to fleets or fisheries (continued)..... (Advisors)
- 2:00 In-season accountability measures (Advisors)
- Fishery closures (landings = 100% of TAL)
 - Precautionary triggers of more restrictive measures (e.g. trip limits)
 - Incidental landings limits
 - Others
- 3:30 Accountability measures for prior overages (Advisors)
- 4:30 Other management measures

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August 25, 2011

- 9:30 am Amendment 19 timeline overview..... (Applegate)
- 9:45 Stock status and SSC recommendations for whiting ABCs (Applegate)
- 10:00 Discussion of management uncertainty buffer, discard assumptions, and ACL
framework (Committee)
- 12:00 Lunch
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