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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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Caribbean Fishery Management Council; Public Meeting

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: The Caribbean Fishery Management Council's (Council) Outreach and Education Advisory Panel (OEAP) will hold a meeting.

DATES: The OEAP meeting will be held on February 28, 2012, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Doubletree Hilton Hotel in 105 De Diego Avenue, Santurce, Puerto Rico.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Caribbean Fishery Management Council, 268 Muñoz Rivera Avenue, Suite 1108, San Juan, Puerto Rico 00918-1920; telephone: (787) 766-5926.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The OEAP will meet to discuss the items contained in the following agenda:

- Call to Order
- Welcome—Miguel Rolón
- Goals and Objectives of the CFMC Outreach and Education Advisory Panel (OEAP)
- What the CFMC Expects of the OEAP
- Strategic Plan for O&E
- APPs for Smart Phones
- Web page Redesign
- Bulletin/Newsletter
- Social Network Pages
- Streaming of Council Meetings
- Other Business

The meeting is open to the public, and will be conducted in English. Fishers and other interested persons are invited to attend and participate with oral or written statements regarding agenda issues.

Special Accommodations

This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. For more information or request for sign language interpretation and/or other auxiliary aids, please contact Mr. Miguel A. Rolón, Executive Director, Caribbean Fishery

Management Council, 268 Muñoz Rivera Avenue, Suite 1108, San Juan, Puerto Rico, 00918-1920, telephone: (787) 766-5926, at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

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Western Pacific Fishery Management Council; Public Meetings

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of public meetings and hearings.

SUMMARY: The Western Pacific Fishery Management Council (Council) will hold meetings of its 109th Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC) and its 153rd Council meeting to take actions on fishery management issues in the Western Pacific Region. The Council will also convene community meetings on the islands of Tinian and Rota, in the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands (CNMI), and at Merizo, Guam, as well as hold meetings of the Guam Regional Ecosystem Advisory Committee (REAC), the CNMI REAC, the Mariana Archipelago and Pacific Pelagic Fisheries Ecosystem Plans (FEPs) Advisory Panel (AP) and the Council's Executive and Budget Standing Committee.

DATES: The meetings will be held between February 21, 2012 and March 9, 2012. For specific times and agendas, see **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**.

ADDRESSES: The meetings will be held in Honolulu, HI; Tinian, CNMI; Merizo, Guam; Rota, CNMI; Tumon Bay, Guam; and Saipan Beach, Garapan, CNMI. See **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** for specific meeting locations.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Kitty M. Simonds, Executive Director; telephone: (808) 522-8220.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The 109th SSC meeting will be held on February 21-23, 2012, between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; the Tinian and Merizo Community Meetings will be held on February 28, 2012, between 5 p.m. and 8 p.m.; the Rota Community Meeting on February

29, 2012, between 5 p.m. and 8 p.m.; the Guam REAC on February 29, 2012, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.; the CNMI REAC on March 2, 2012, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.; the Mariana Archipelago and Pacific Pelagic FEPs AP on March 3, 2012, between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; the Council's Executive and Budget Standing Committee on March 4, 2012, between 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. The 153rd Council Meeting will be held between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. on March 5, 2012, and between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. on March 6, 2012, in Saipan, and between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. on March 8, 2012, and between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. on March 9, 2012, in Guam. In addition, the Council will host Fishers Forums on Saipan on March 5, 2012 between 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. and on Guam on March 8, 2012, between 6 p.m. and 9 p.m.

The 109th SSC will be held at the Council's Office in Honolulu; the Tinian Community Meeting will be held at The Fleming Hotel, Tinian; the Merizo Community Meeting will be held at the Merizo Community Center; the Rota Community Meeting will be held at the Mayor's Office at the Antonio C. Atalig Memorial Building; the Guam REAC will be held at the Guam Hilton Hotel, Tumon Bay, Guam; the CNMI REAC, the Mariana Archipelago and Pacific Pelagic FEPs AP, the Council's Executive and Budget Standing Committee, the 153rd Council Meeting on March 5 and 6 and Fishers Forum on March 5 will be held at the Fiesta Hotel, Garapan, Saipan; the Council Meeting on March 8 and 9 and the Fishers Forum on March 8 will be held at the Guam Hilton Hotel.

Meeting Locations:

- Council office, 1164 Bishop Street, Suite 1400, Honolulu, HI 96813; telephone: (808) 522-8220.
- Fleming Hotel, Tinian, CNMI 96952; telephone: (670) 433-3232.
- Merizo Community Center, Merizo, Guam 96915; telephone: (671) 828-2941.
- Office of the Mayor, Antonio C. Atalig Memorial Building, Tatchog Road, Rota, CNMI 96951; telephone: (670) 532-9451.
- Guam Hilton Hotel, 202 Hilton Road, Tumon Bay, Guam 96913; telephone: (671) 646-1835.
- Fiesta Hotel, Saipan Beach, Garapan, CNMI 96950; telephone: (670) 234-6412.

In addition to the agenda items listed here, the SSC and Council will hear recommendations from Council advisory groups. Public comment periods will be provided throughout the agendas. The order in which agenda items are addressed may change. The meetings will run as late as necessary to complete scheduled business.