Recreational Crab and Shrimp Advisory Committee Meeting
March 11, 2022 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

TEAM Virtual Meeting Link
Call-in Number: 1-(564)-999-2000
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AGENDA - Draft

1) Welcome and housekeeping (5 min) 10:00 am – 10:05 am

2) 2021 Crab Season Summary (15 min) 10:05 am – 10:20 am
   a) Recreational catch totals
   b) Reporting rates
   c) Derelict gear summary

3) 2021 Shrimp Season Update (15 min) 10:20 am – 10:35 am
   a) Harvest totals for all groups (policy allocation)
   b) Recreational creel effort and statistics
   c) Overages

Break - (5 min) 10:35 am – 10:40 am

4) Topics for the 2022 Shrimp Season (45 min) 10:40 am - 11:25 am
   a) Fishery days/hours
      i) Closures and reduced quotas
   b) Shrimp Rules
      i) Update on rule to allow discard of heads when harvesting spots
      ii) Eliminate overnight soak option for recreational spot shrimp
   c) Sampling
      i) Taking weights during creeling
      ii) Expanded creel coverage
   d) Management tools
      i) Pot reductions
      ii) Hour/day limitations

5) Management Challenges into 2022 and beyond (35 min) 11:25 am – 12:00 pm
   a) Commercial rule change overview
   b) Budget update
   c) Wa-Tix
   d) Crabber education and outreach (crabber quiz)
e) PCRG – get involved
f) Green Crab

g) Other advisor comments, feedback & ideas