Motions

**Summer Flounder Commercial Issues Amendment**
Move to include two additional options to the summer flounder draft amendment:
- to negotiate new state quota shares
- to include coastwide quota and management

MAFMC: Motion made by Mr. DiLernia and seconded by Ms. Nolan. Motion fails (6 in favor, 10 opposed).
ASMFC: Motion made by Mr. Hasbrouck and seconded by Mr. Gates.

Move to develop two additional options to the summer flounder draft amendment:
- to negotiate new state quota shares
- to include coastwide quota and management

MAFMC: Motion made by Mr. Heins and seconded by Ms. Nolan. Motion fails (Roll Call: In favor – Maniscalco, Heins, Nolan, DiLernia, Nowalsky, Warren, Pentyon; Opposed – Babb, Michels, Gwin, DeFur, Mann, O’Reilly, Batsavage, Hemilright, Winslow).
ASMFC: Motion made by Mr. Hasbrouck and seconded by Mr. Gates. Motion passes (Roll Call: In Favor-MA, RI, CT, NY, DE, NMFS; Opposed- NJ, MD, PRFC, VA, NC).

Move to approve the draft summer flounder commercial issues amendment hearing document for public comment as modified today.
MAFMC: Motion made by Mr. Mann and seconded by Mr. Batsavage. Motion carries (12 in favor, 4 opposed).
ASMFC: Motion by Mr. O’Reilly, second by Mr. Clark. Motion passes (9 in favor, 2 opposed).

Move to approve the Commission’s Summer Flounder Commercial Issues Draft Amendment document for public hearings.
Board: Motion made by Mr. O’Reilly and seconded by Mr. Clark. Motion carries (9 in favor, 2 opposed).

**Draft Alternatives for Framework/Addendum on Recreational Issues**
Move to include an additional option that defines a discrete transit zone from Rhode Island state waters around Block Island, Rhode Island to Rhode Island state waters to the north. Any legally Rhode Island permitted fisher fishing in Rhode Island waters for summer flounder, black sea bass, and scup will be allowed to transit the EEZ in this zone with legally harvested regulated species as long as gear stowage requirements are met and no fishing occurs in the zone while transiting.
ASMFC: Motion made by Mr. Reid and seconded by Ms. Meserve. Motion passes by consent.
MAFMC: Motion made by Mr. O’Reilly and seconded by Mr. Michels. Motion passes by consent.

Move to approve the draft alternatives, as presented by staff and as modified today, for the recreational framework and addendum.
MAFMC: Motion made by Mr. Heins and seconded by Mr. deFur. Motion carries unanimously.
ASMFC: Motion made by Mr. Hasbrouck and seconded by Rep. Peake. Motion carries unanimously.