Council Member
Ongoing
Development
(CMOD)

Steering Committee Report to the
Council Coordination Committee
May 2020

CCC Steering Committee is planning for first
CMOD training
• NEFMC will host in 2021
  • Managing RFP for facilitator/venue logistics
  • Will choose central event location to minimize travel costs
• NMFS will provide $55,000 for 2021 meeting
  • Represents 50% of estimated shared costs
  • Councils will share remaining costs equally
• Committee recommends maintaining workshop size as in November 2019 proposal
  • 42 attendees: 4 per Council + 10 persons from NMFS
  • Plus facilitators and invited speakers
CCC Action Items

1. Approve Terms of Reference
   - No policy decisions or recommendations will be made by attendees
   - Meetings designed to:
     - Provide policy-neutral setting for exchange of information on fishery management challenges
     - Educate attendees on developing fisheries science and management issues
     - Improve skills important to effective public policy decision-making
     - CCC will review CMOD program and its TOR, costs, and effectiveness after 2 meetings

2. Endorse topics for 2021 CMOD training
   - Theme: exploring new approaches to EBFM
   - Skill development: developing successful motions