

Fisheries Information Network (FIN)

Agenda

New Orleans, LA

Tuesday October 17, 2023

8:30 a.m. to 12:00 Noon

1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

1. Call to Order/Introductions
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes (March 15, 2022, Panama City Beach, FL)
4. Review of MRIP Transition Team Research Plan (All)
5. MRIP Update
 - a. Survey related changes for 2024 (Richard Cody)
 - b. Program updates (Richard Cody)
 - c. Other
6. IRA Funding Update (Gregg Bray)

BREAK – 10:00 a.m.

7. State Recreational Survey Data Warehousing Discussion (Gregg Bray)
8. For-Hire Survey Status and Next Step (All)
9. Recommendations for Restoring SEFHIER Program (All)

LUNCH – Noon-1:00 p.m.

10. Alabama BigFIN Electronic Measuring Board Presentation (Marie Head)
11. Final Discussion of Reef Fish Conversion Factor Research (All)
12. VESL Development Updates (All)

BREAK – 3:00 p.m.

13. Discussion of Commercial Landings Non-Disclosure Agreement Process (Donna Bellais)
14. Discussion and Approval of Resolution to Honor Charlie Gardner (All)

15. Election of Officers

16. Other Business