Amendment 13

Council process and timeline overview January 9, 2003

Overview

- Explain Council committees and supporting bodies
- Review key events in developing Amendment 13

Council Committees

- Groundfish Oversight Committee
 - Plan Development Team (NEFMC, NERO, NEFSC, Massachusetts DMF, Maine DMR)
 - Groundfish Advisory Panel
- Science and Statistical Committee
- Social Sciences Advisory Committee
- Habitat and Capacity Committees

Alternative Development

- Primary responsibility
 - Groundfish Oversight Committee
 - Plan Development Team
- Public input
 - Scoping issues
 - Written proposals from interested parties
 - Oral and written comments from individuals

