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**MARINE FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
FEBRUARY 14-16, 2006**

**INTERNATIONAL GAME FISH ASSOCIATION (IGFA)  
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**AGENDA**

**FEBRUARY 14 - TUESDAY**

**8:30 AM – Coffee and Morning Refreshments Available in the IGFA Events Hall**

**9:00 – Meeting Called to Order – Dr. Bill Hogarth, AA for Fisheries and Tony DiLernia, Committee Liaison, MAFAC**

- **Welcome Remarks and Introductions** – Dr. Hogarth, Dr. Roy Crabtree, Regional Assistant Administrator
- **Agenda Review** – Dr. Hogarth & Tony DiLernia
- **NOAA Fisheries Service Overview** - Dr. Hogarth
- **Role of MAFAC** - Dr. Hogarth
- **MAFAC - Short & Long-term Advisory projects:** Dr. Hogarth & Tony DiLernia
- **Stewardship & Sustainability Awards** – Laurel Bryant, Executive Director, MAFAC

**10:30 - BREAK**

**10:45 – Off Shore Aquaculture Legislation Updates - Dr. Hogarth  
Seafood Marketing Council Initiative – Dr. Hogarth**

**11:45 - Seafood Health & Safety: What's the Role of NOAA Fisheries Service?**  
Linda Chaves, Senior Advisor, Seafood Industry Issues

**12:30 PM – LUNCH BREAK**

**1:45 – NMFS Office of International Affairs – Dr. Rebecca Lent, Director,  
International Affairs, NOAA Fisheries Service**

**3:00–3:15 - BREAK**

**3:30 – Hurricane Impacts & Recovery: Overview – Dr. Steve Murawski, Chief  
Science Advisor, NOAA Fisheries Service and Dr. Roy Crabtree**

**4:45 – Review and Plan for Next Day  
5PM ADJOURN**

**FEBRUARY 15 – WEDNESDAY**

**8:30 AM - Coffee and Morning Refreshments Available in the IGFA Events Hall**

**9:00 AM – Meeting Called to Order – Day’s Agenda Reviewed - Dr. Hogarth**

**Litigation Review – Looking Back at Progress – Adam Issenberg, NOAA General Council for Fisheries**

**Magnuson-Stevens Act Reauthorization:**

- **Informational Status & Issues Review** – Alan Risenhoover, Acting Director, Sustainable Fisheries
- **“What to do About Overfishing” White Paper Discussion Draft** – Dr. Steve Murawski, and Sam Rauch, Director, NOAA General Counsel for Fisheries

**10:30 AM – BREAK**

**12 NOON – LUNCH**

**1:30 - Recreational Fisheries – Vision White Paper Discussion** – Dr. Steve Murawski, and Forbes Darby, Recreational Fisheries Liaison

**3:30 BREAK**

**4:30 – Determine Subcommittee Follow-ups**

**5PM ADJOURN**

**Evening on your own**

**FEBRUARY 16 – THURSDAY**

**8:30 AM Coffee and Morning Refreshments Available in IGFA Events Hall**

**9:00 AM Meeting Called to Order**

**Meeting Closeout Activities or Reports**

**MAFAC Administration – Dr. Hogarth and Laurel Bryant**

- **Subcommittee – Permanent Assignment of New Members**
- **Next Two Meeting Time Frames and Locations**
- **Identify Follow-up Discussions, Assignments and Items**
- **Next Meeting Agenda Items**

**10:30-10:45 BREAK**

**12 NOON ADJOURN SINE DIE**

**1:30 - Field Trip to Merritt Yacht Brokers, Inc.  
2040 S.E. 17th Street  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316**

**5:30-10 PM Organized Evening Event**