

**EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE AUGUST 16, 2011 MEETING OF  
FLORIDA KEYS NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY ADVISORY COUNCIL**

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**MOTION  
August 16, 2011**

The motion on a spiny lobster amendment to the FMP was moved by Mr. Bergh and seconded by Mr. Nedimyer.

The motion passed unanimously upon roll call vote. Below is the final text approved by the motion.

That the Sanctuary Superintendent convey to the National Marine Fisheries Service and the two relevant councils the preference of the Sanctuary Advisory Council for old alternative four, which is to expand existing and/or create new closed areas to prohibit all spiny lobster fishing in the EEZ off Florida.

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