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Vision: Sustainably Managing Atlantic Coastal Fisheries

American Shad Data Workshop

March 5-8, 2018

**Lord Baltimore Hotel
20 W. Baltimore Street
Baltimore, MD 21201**

Draft Agenda

Please note the agenda times are approximate; the order in which items will be taken is subject to change; other items may be added as necessary.

Monday, March 5

Welcome and Introductions (<i>B. Chase</i>)	1:00 pm
Objectives and Goals of the Data Workshop (<i>J. Kipp</i>)	1:15 pm
Jurisdiction Data Presentations – North to South (<i>TC Members</i>) 30 minutes per jurisdiction with 10 minutes allotted to questions North Atlantic (ME, NH, MA, RI, CT)	1:30 pm
Adjourn	5:00 pm

Tuesday, March 6

Jurisdiction Data Presentations – Continued (<i>TC Members</i>) Mid-Atlantic (NY, NJ, PA, DE, MD, DC, PRFC, VA)	8:00 am
Lunch	12:00 pm
Jurisdiction Data Presentations – Continued (<i>TC Members</i>) South Atlantic (NC, SC, GA, FL)	1:00 pm
Adjourn	5:00 pm

Wednesday, March 7

Regional Data Set Presentations	8:00 am
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MRIP (*J. Kipp*)

Regional trawl surveys

NEFSC Incidental Catch (*K. Curti*)

NAFO (*J. Kipp*)

Remaining Data Needs and Stock Assessment Report Format (*J. Kipp*) 11:00 pm

Lunch 12:00 pm

Subgroup Break Out Sessions 1:00 pm

Stock Structure

Age and Composition Data

Indices

Life History

Shad Research Presentation (*Dan Stich & Erin Gilligan*) 2:00 pm

Subgroup Break Out Sessions – Continued 3:00 pm

Adjourn 5:00 pm

Thursday, March 8

Subgroup Presentations, Recommendations, and Next Steps 8:00 am

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TC and SAS Discussions and Decisions (*B. Chase*) 10:00 am

Stock Structure

Criteria for index selection

Tasks and timing for follow up webinar and Methods Workshop (*J. Kipp*) 11:00 am

Adjourn 12:00 pm