

## AGENDA | June 1, 9:30 AM – 12:00 PM

### Atlantic Menhaden Fishery Independent Group

Webinar link: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/132239877>

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Time	Topic	Roles	Related Materials
9:30	<b>Welcome, Agenda Review and Ground Rules</b> ⇒ Review assessment timeline	Co-facilitator: Max and Kristen Note taker: Max	
9:30	<b>Review standardization approaches for developing indices of relative abundance</b> ⇒ Review standardization approaches ⇒ Establish protocol for standardization ⇒ Assign surveys to FIG members ⇒ Discuss next steps; schedule follow up call in early July?  <i>Objective: establish a protocol for standardizing surveys, and assign surveys to FIG members for index development</i>	R. Latour, presenter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Sample code and input files with example survey</li><li>• list of surveys and member assignments</li></ul>
11:00	<b>Review Length Cutoff Methodology</b> ⇒ Review methodology from last benchmark assessment  <i>Objective: determine whether to maintain status quo length cutoffs or pursue alternate methods</i>	A. Schueller, presenter	
11:55	<b>Other Business</b>		
12:00	<b>Adjourn</b>		

**Upcoming Meetings:** July 24, Atlantic Menhaden SAS