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United States and Canada Pacific Hake/ Whiting Agreement
JOINT MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING
Management Strategy Evaluation Workshop

The Joint Management Committee created under the Pacific Whiting Treaty between the Governments of the United States and Canada will meet on May 15th in Lynnwood, Washington to discuss the ongoing Management Strategy Evaluation. A preliminary agenda is included in this notice.

Meeting Time Wednesday, May 15th 2019
9:00am – 5:00pm

Meeting Location [Lynnwood Convention Center](#)
Room 2A/B
3711 196th St SW
Lynnwood, WA 98036, USA

Guest Rooms [Embassy Suites Lynwood](#)
20610 44th Ave W
Lynnwood, WA 98036, USA
Phone: +1 425-582-4241
Rooms are available at \$113+ taxes/ night via [this link](#)
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Preliminary Agenda

- 9:00 Introductions & review/revise/approve Agenda
- 9:30 Recap Management Strategy Evaluation (MSE) process, progress, and plans for this year (30 min)
- 10:00 Recap simulation model structure and initial results (2 hours)
- 12: 00 – 1:30 Lunch break
- 1:30 Revisit objectives and performance metrics (1 hour)
- 2:30 Revisit control rules/management strategies to test (1 hour)
- 3:30 Adding climate dimension to the operating model and future scenarios (30 min)
- 4:00 Next steps on testing/refining operating and estimation model performance (30 min)
- 4:30 Public comment and wrap-up
- 5:00 Adjourn

Information about the Pacific Whiting Treaty

Information about the treaty including background documents for this meeting can be found at:
http://www.westcoast.fisheries.noaa.gov/fisheries/management/whiting/pacific_whiting_treaty.html