

False Killer Whale Pre-TRT Informational Meeting Agenda Review

- Meeting intended to provide background on False Killer Whale issue, Take Reduction Team process
 - Informational; not the time to consider possible solutions
- Bring together interested parties
 - Fishery representatives, conservationists, biologists, gear specialists, state and federal officials
- Begin building shared understanding of issues
- Format is mix of presentations and discussion
 - Ample opportunities to ask questions
 - Presentations will cover handful of topics in detail

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- DAY ONE (9:15 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.)
 - Project Overview
 - Impetus, goals and approach
 - Take Reduction Process Overview
 - General Background
 - False Killer Whale Team
 - Stock Assessment Process Overview

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- DAY TWO (9:00 a.m. to 2:15 p.m.)
 - Understanding the Underlying Data, Analyses and Issues
 - FKW biology, distribution and bycatch rates
 - Longline/shortline fishery overviews
 - Nature of interaction between fishery and cetaceans
 - Mortality and serious injury determinations
 - Implications for Moving Forward
 - FKW Take Reduction Team considerations

False Killer Whale Pre-TRT Informational Meeting Meeting Protocols

- Purpose is to share information
 - No decisions to be made today or tomorrow
 - Bear in mind distinctions from formal TRT process
- Participants encouraged to ask clarifying questions keyed to agenda topics
- Much information to get through; focused questions and comments appreciated
- Focus on two-way communication
 - Intent is to help parties develop common understanding

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- Facilitators are neutral and non-partisan
- Other considerations:
 - Meeting facilitators will recognize speakers; please wait to be called on
 - Cell phone ringers off; please take calls outside
 - Use scheduled breaks as possible
 - Avoid side discussions