

**Scope of Work  
Shrimp Advisory Panel  
Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council**

**March 9, 2026**

**Agenda Item IV: Council Actions in Response to Motions from the March 4, 2025 Shrimp AP Meeting**

Council staff will provide an overview of Council actions in response to the Shrimp AP's motions at the March 2025 meeting. This information does not require any formal AP action.

**Agenda Item V: Snapshot of Shrimp Stock Assessment and SSC Recommendations**

The AP will be presented with an update about management using the shrimp stock assessments (SEDAR 87) as well as the SSC recommendations from its February 2026 meeting. The AP should consider the presented information and ask questions.

**Agenda Item VI: Update on Gulf and Import Shrimp Prices**

The AP will be presented with an overview of price data for both Gulf of America and imported shrimp. The AP should consider the presented information and ask questions.

**Agenda Item VII: 2024 Gulf Shrimp Fishery Landings**

SEFSC staff will review the Gulf shrimp fishery landings for 2024. The AP should consider the information presented and ask questions.

**Agenda Item VIII: Review of the 2025 Texas Closure**

The AP will be presented with the analysis of the 2025 Texas Closure. The Shrimp AP is asked to provide the Council with a recommendation on the Texas Closure for 2026.

**Agenda Item IX: Review of 2024 Royal Red Landings**

The AP will be presented with the 2024 Royal Red landings, relative to the ACL. This information does not require any formal AP action.

**Agenda Item X: Review of Congressional Funding of Data Collection**

Congressional funding for development and implementation of the electronic logbook program that archives vessel position and automatically transmits scientific shrimp fishing effort data via cellular service to NMFS has been occurred in Fiscal Year (FY)23, FY24, and FY25. SEFSC staff will discuss proposed spending for the FY26 funds. The AP should consider the information presented and ask questions.

**Agenda Item XI: Public Comment**

Members of the public will have an opportunity to speak. Directions for providing testimony can be found here: <https://gulfcouncil.org/wp-content/uploads/Public-Comment-GoToWebinar-Instructions.pdf>

**Agenda Item XII: Other Business**

Other items may be added during the Adoption of the Agenda.