

FWC – Agency Structure

Commission

- 7 members appointed by Governor
- Confirmed by the Senate
- Meet five times per year
- Regulatory and executive authority over *fish and wildlife*



Staff

- Agency leadership
- Divisions and Offices
 - Marine Fisheries Management
 - Habitat and Species Conservation
 - Law Enforcement
 - Fish and Wildlife Research Institute
 - Licensing and Permitting
 - Others



OFR Next Steps – FWC

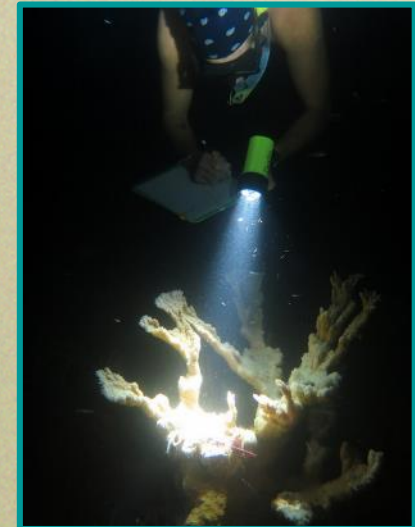
Suggested Delivery of RMAs

- Printed delivery of RMAs
- In-person briefing for FWC staff leadership



Staff Level Agency Review

- Leadership direction
- Division review and consideration
 - Actions already occurring or can be readily addressed through current/on-going programs
 - Authority or expertise
 - Feasibility
 - Anticipated benefits
 - Consistency with Agency Strategic Plan and Commission direction
- Feedback received from affected stakeholders



Potential FWC Action

Non-Regulatory Actions

- Technical support and expertise provided
- Incorporation of recommended actions into future Division workplans/activities



Regulatory Actions

- Require Commission approval
- Division/Agency workplan: approved annually by the Commission
- Staff develop recommendations for consideration
- Public input opportunities may include:
 - FWC hosted public workshops
 - Directed outreach/feedback opportunities
 - Public hearings: Commission meetings
 - Direct contact between stakeholders and staff

