Amendment 13

Council process and timeline overview
January 9, 2003
Overview

• Explain Council committees and supporting bodies
• Review key events in developing Amendment 13
Council Committees

• Groundfish Oversight Committee
  – Plan Development Team (NEFMC, NERO, NEFSC, Massachusetts DMF, Maine DMR)
  – Groundfish Advisory Panel
• Science and Statistical Committee
• Social Sciences Advisory Committee
• Habitat and Capacity Committees
Alternative Development

- Primary responsibility
  - Groundfish Oversight Committee
  - Plan Development Team

- Public input
  - Scoping issues
  - Written proposals from interested parties
  - Oral and written comments from individuals