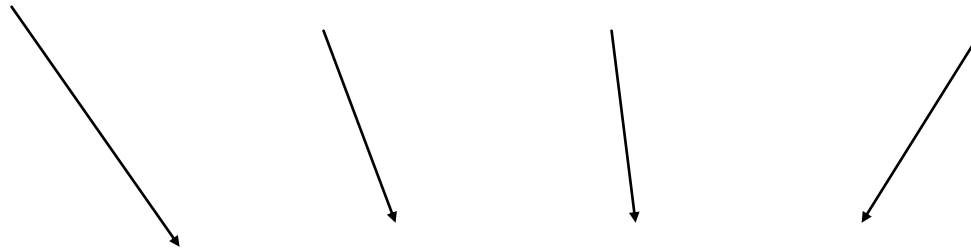


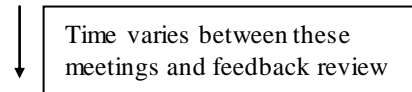
Fishing and Boating Services Regulatory Flowchart

Regulatory Idea Creation: Public Info. Meetings ASMFC/MAFMC TFAC, SFAC, etc. Other Public Interactions

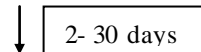


Scoping Process: Ideas are prepared, posted online, and an opportunity for public feedback is given (typically online but also occasionally by meetings)

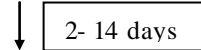
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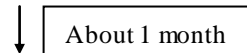
Public Feedback is reviewed and draft regs are written and/or edited



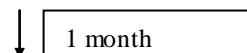
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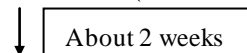
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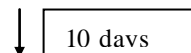
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Public comment is reviewed and final reg decision made (withdraw, adopt, non-substantive changes)



Final reg published in Register



Not less than 10 days after publication reg is effective

APA Process:
(Approx. 94 days)

<u>Acronym Legend</u>	
ASMFC	– Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission
MAFMC	– Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council
TFAC	– Tidal Fisheries Advisory Commission
SFAC	– Sport Fisheries Advisory Commission
NRP	– Natural Resources Police
AG	– Attorney General
AELR	– Administrative, Executive, and Legislative Review Committee (General Assembly)
DNR	– Department of Natural Resources