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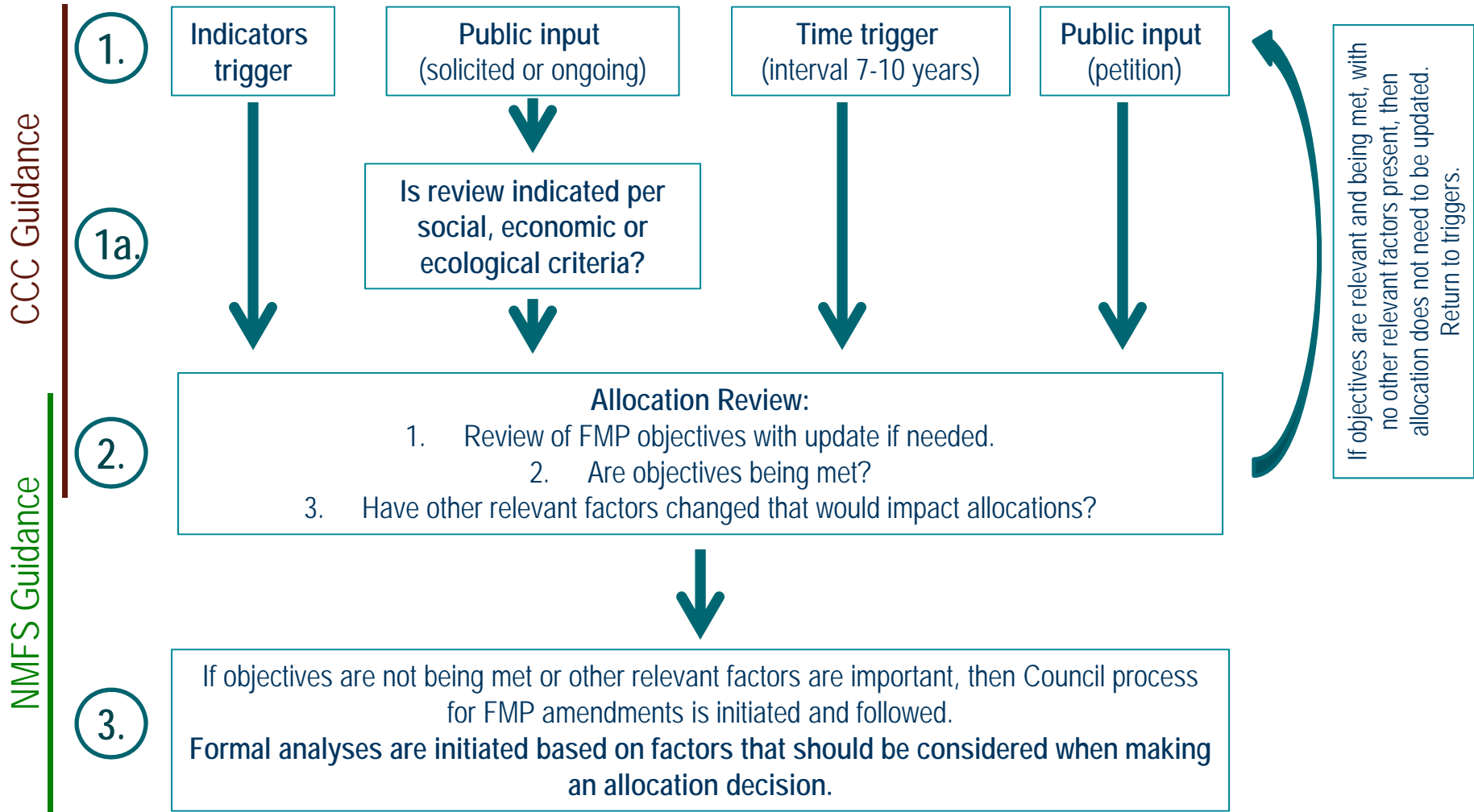
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Overview

- CCC and NMFS Allocation Working Groups have completed draft guidance documents
- Documents complement each other and are based on the concept of adaptive management



Steps in Adaptive Management of Allocations



CCC Working Group Guidance Outline

- Adaptive Management
- Definitions
- Three Types of Triggers
 - Public Interest-based:
ongoing input, solicited input,
petitions and referenda
 - Time-based
 - Indicator-based:
economic, social, and
ecological



NMFS Working Group Guidance Outline

- Background
- Existing National Policy
- Guiding Principles
 - Update Objectives
 - Minimize Conflict
 - Use Best Data Available
 - Minimize Speculative Behavior
 - Plan for Future Conditions
- Factors for Considerations
 - Ecological
 - Economic
 - Performance
 - Social



Next Steps

- Feedback from CCC, Regional Offices, and GC needed
- Completion of guidance for CCC approval at June meeting
- Ongoing work on best practices (Technical guidance)

