



RHODE ISLAND
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT
DIVISION OF MARINE FISHERIES
Three Fort Wetherill Road
Jamestown, Rhode Island 02835

MEETING NOTICE

Pre-Hearing Workshop

May 9, 2018

5:00 PM

URI Bay Campus

Coastal Institute Building

Hazard Room

South Ferry Road, Narragansett, RI

AGENDA

1. Proposed amendment to “*Part 1 - Definitions and General Provisions*”, regarding deletion of unused and/or obsolete terms (section 1.7);
2. Proposed removal of unneeded language “whether caught within the jurisdiction of this State or otherwise”, in several locations throughout the regulation;
3. Proposed amendment to “*Part 3 – Finfish*”, regarding Coastal sharks management (section 3.19);
4. Proposed amendment to “*Part 3 – Finfish*”, regarding commercial Cod management (section 3.20);
5. Proposed amendment to “*Part 3 – Finfish*”, regarding commercial Skate (Barndoor) management (section 3.26);
6. Proposed amendment to “*Part 3 – Finfish*”, regarding commercial striped bass management, specifically regarding the transfer of quota between the floating fish trap and general category fisheries (section 3.9.2(A)(3); and
7. Proposed adoption of new regulation “*Part 12- Regulations for an Expanded Aggregate Program for Commercial Black Sea Bass and Summer Flounder*”.

Please note the public hearing is planned for June 4, 2018, URI Bay Campus, Corless Auditorium, 6:00PM.

