



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



RI Summer Flounder Aggregate Landing Program 2017 SUMMER SUB-PERIOD

Application Form and Instructions

This application is to obtain a permit to participate in the Summer sub-period of the RI Summer Flounder Aggregate Landing Program, as set forth in the RI Marine Fisheries Regulations (RIMFR) “*Part 3 - Finfish*”.

Issuance of the permit may take several days upon receipt of a completed application. **It is the responsibility of the applicant to assure the timely and accurate submittal of the application to avoid delays in receiving their permit.**

The 2017 Summer sub-period begins on June 1 and ends on September 15, or when 80% of the Summer sub-period quota has been harvested as determined by DFW.

The starting possession limit is two hundred (200) pounds/vessel/week. The fishery is closed Friday, Saturday, and Sunday each week. Possession limits are subject to change throughout the sub-period. **It is the responsibility of the permittee to follow all regulations to maintain compliance with their permit.**

Application forms are available at <http://www.dem.ri.gov/programs/fish-wildlife/marine-fisheries/forms-permits.php>, or the following offices:

DEM Division of Coastal Resources
301 Great Island Road
Narragansett, RI 02882

DEM Office of Marine Fisheries
3 Fort Wetherill Road
Jamestown, RI 02835

Submit completed application to:

DEM Coastal Resources
301 Great Island Road
Narragansett, RI 02882
Attn: Summer Flounder Aggregate Landing Program

For questions please contact the Coastal Resources office at 783-5551.

Criteria for eligibility:

1. Applicants must possess a RI Summer Flounder Exemption Certificate.
2. The owner and operator(s) must hold a valid 2017 commercial license for landing summer flounder.
3. The vessel shall be operated by a licensed person who has not been assessed a criminal or administrative penalty in the past three years for a violation of RIMFR Part 3 Finfish section 3.7 or more than one marine fisheries violation.
4. An applicant who was permitted for the Winter sub-period is not eligible to participate in the Summer sub-period of the same year.

Application Form

2017 RI Summer Flounder Aggregate Landing Program - Summer sub-period

Vessel Name: _____
Vessel Owner Name (print): _____
Vessel Owner signature: _____
Vessel Owner RI Commercial Fishing License #: MPURP/PEL/RESLND/NRLNDR (circle one) #: _____
DOB: _____ Phone number: _____
Rhode Island Summer Flounder Exemption Certificate Number: _____
Vessel Federal Permit Number (if applicable): _____

Operator (1)* Name (Print): _____ DOB: _____

Operator (1) Signature: _____

RI Commercial Fishing License #: MPURP/PEL/RESLND/NRLNDR #: _____
(circle one)

*** If owner is also an operator, identify as operator (1)**

Operator (2) Name (Print): _____ DOB: _____

Operator (2) Signature: _____

RI Commercial Fishing License #: MPURP/PEL/RESLND/NRLNDR #: _____
(circle one)

Operator (3) Name (Print): _____ DOB: _____

Operator (3) Signature: _____

RI Commercial Fishing License #: MPURP/PEL/RESLND/NRLNDR #: _____
(circle one)