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AGENDA

ON-DEMAND FISHING GEAR CONFLICT WORKING GROUP (ODWG)

August 26, 2025

Wakefield, MA and Webinar

See <https://www.nefmc.org/calendar/aug-26-2025-on-demand-gear-conflict-working-group-meeting>

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| 10:00 am | Welcome, Agenda Review, Introductions |
| 10:10 am | Updates regarding on-demand gear related activity |
| 10:30 am | Alternative Gear-Marking Framework <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presentation, GARFO Staff• Questions and ODWG Feedback for Council |
| 12:00 pm | Lunch |
| 1:00 pm | Addressing Term of Reference 3B by developing recommendations for the Council <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Follow ups from July 23 ODWG meeting• Review the draft TOR 3B report• Finalize recommendations |
| 3:30 pm | Other Business |
| 3:45 pm | ODWG Meeting Adjourns |

Alternative Gear-Marking Framework Public Engagement Session – 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Following the ODWG meeting, the NEFMC along with GARFO will host a public engagement session focused on the NEFMC and MAFMC joint alternative gear-marking framework action. See <https://www.nefmc.org/calendar/aug-26-2025-alternative-gear-marking-framework-stakeholder-engagement-session> for more information.