



New England Fishery Management Council

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MEETING NOTICE HERRING ADVISORY PANEL WEBINAR

Date: Tuesday, February 23, 2021

Time: 9:30 a.m.

Agenda:

The Herring Advisory Panel will meet to discuss:

- 2021 work priorities for the Atlantic Herring Fishery Management Plan including: 1) a framework action that is considering spawning closures on Georges Bank; 2) development of a formal rebuilding plan for Atlantic herring; 3) review and potentially adjust accountability measures (AMs) in the herring plan; and 4) coordinate with the Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (MAFMC) and Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission (ASMFC) on various herring management issues (i.e. river herring and shad (RH/S)).
- Discuss other business, as necessary.

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HERRING COMMITTEE WEBINAR

Date: Thursday, February 25, 2021

Time: 9:30 a.m.

Agenda:

same agenda items described above

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Public participation:

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For information about meeting materials and detailed agenda, please consult the Council’s website at www.nefmc.org

These will be recorded. Consistent with 16 USC 1852, a copy of the recording is available upon request.

This schedule is subject to change. If you have questions, please call the Council office.

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cc: Council Members, Herring IPS, Advisors and PDT

Notice date: December 22, 2020