



New England Fishery Management Council

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AGENDA

JOINT ATLANTIC HERRING COMMITTEE & ADVISORY PANEL JUNE 8, 2026

Courtyard by Marriott
1000 Market Street
Portsmouth, NH 03801
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- 9:30 am Welcome by the chair, introductions and agenda overview (Whelan)
- 9:40 am Management updates (NEFMC, GARFO and ASMFC Staff)
- 10:00 am Plan Development Team: draft analysis for 2026 action.....(Whelan, NEFMC Staff)
- Atlantic herring stock assessment
 - Specifications process
 - Preliminary Area 1A transfer analysis
 - Preliminary analysis of carryover for fishing year 2025 to fishing year 2027
 - Update on development of data estimates for river herring and shad by gear
 - Species distribution models for river herring, shad and Atlantic herring (Dean)
- 12:30 pm Lunch
- 1:45 pm Develop recommendations to the Committee/Council..... (Whelan)
- 3:30 pm Other business..... (Whelan)
- 4:00 pm Adjourn

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