

DELAWARE BAY SECTION OF THE NEW JERSEY SHELLFISHERIES COUNCIL MEETING

AGENDA

Virtual Meeting, Web and Conference Call via GoToMeeting

Tuesday, November 9, 2021

6:00 PM

ROLL CALL: Chairman: Warren Hollinger (Cumberland County)
 Vice Chairman: Steven Fleetwood (Cumberland County)
 Councilman: Richard Malinowski (Salem County)
 Councilman: Scott Sheppard (Cumberland County)
 Councilman: Vacant (Cape May/Salem County)

DEP Representatives: Russ Babb, Bureau of Shellfisheries
 Jeff Normant, Bureau of Shellfisheries
 Craig Tomlin, Bureau of Shellfisheries
 Andrew Hassall, Bureau of Shellfisheries
 Conor Davis, Bureau of Shellfisheries
 Megan Kelly, Bureau of Shellfisheries
 Robert Schuster, Bureau of Marine Water Monitoring

Haskin Lab: David Bushek, Director
 Jason Morson, Marine Fisheries Scientist
 Lisa Calvo, Aquaculture Marine Scientist

In compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act (N.J.S.A. 13:1B-30 et. seq), a notice of this meeting was posted November 5, 2021 with the Secretary of State's Office, State House, Trenton, NJ and this meeting will be recorded.

1. September 7, 2021 minutes mailed to Council for consideration.
2. Delaware Bay Office revenue collected for:

September: \$22,023.00 and is summarized as follows:			
Oyster Tags	\$18,356.00	Commercial Crab Pot	\$100.00
Assign Fees	\$3,000.00	Menhaden	\$52.00
Nets	\$253.00		
October: \$6,592.00 and is summarized as follows:			
Oyster Tags	\$2,108.00	Tonging Tags	\$200.00
Crab Dredge	\$1,100.00	Otter Trawl	\$102.00
Nets	\$1,705.00	Planters License	\$100.00
Crab Pot	\$1,000.00	Application Fees	\$69.00
Menhaden	\$208.00		

3. Oyster Resource Development Account (*as of 11/09/2021*)

Expended: \$163,395.31
 Unexpended/Uncommitted: \$602,754.27

4. Lease Ground Transactions - B. Hollinger

4.1. Applications for Transfer

Leaseholder	Applicant	Section	Lot	Acreage	Acreage Fee	Application Fee	
Wayne Robinson	Norm Bloom & Daughter LLC	C	75	41	\$20.50	\$5.00	
Wayne Robinson	Norm Bloom & Daughter LLC	C	77	24	\$12.00	\$1.00	
Wayne Robinson	Norm Bloom & Daughter LLC	D	366	15	\$7.50	\$1.00	
Wayne Robinson	Norm Bloom & Daughter LLC	D	428	11	\$5.50	\$1.00	
TOTALS					91	\$45.50	\$8.00

4.2. Applications for Decision

Applicant	Section	Lot	Acreage	Acreage Fee	Application Fee
*Courtney Riebel Randolph Camp	ADZ 2	2	10	\$100	\$250
*Edward Gaine	A	278	200	\$100	\$250

**Ms. Riebel and Mr. Gaine were present at the Consideration meeting on 9/7/2021.*

5. Old Business

- 5.1. 2022 Lease Renewals - C. Davis
- 5.2. Aquaculture Advisory Council Industry Seat - B. Hollinger
- 5.3. Red Knot Stakeholder Committee Update - B. Hollinger
- 5.4. Nantuxent Channel Dredging Update - A. Hassall/Council
- 5.5. Committee Updates
 - 5.5.1. Leasing Committee - C. Tomlin/R. Babb
 - 5.5.2. Consolidation Committee - A. Hassall
- 5.6. Direct Market Fishery Update - A. Hassall
- 5.7. Oyster Tonging Industry Update - C. Tomlin
- 5.8. Dermo Update - D. Bushek
- 5.9. Vibrio Update - R. Schuster
- 5.10. Shell Plant Contract Update - C. Tomlin

5.11. Oyster Industry Science Steering Committee Update - C. Tomlin

5.12. CARES Act Update - J. Cimino

6. New Business

6.1. Sunday Harvest - B. Hollinger

6.2. Tentative 2022 Council Meeting Schedule

January 4	July 5
March 1	September 6
May 3	November 1

7. Date, time and place of next meeting: - Council

DATE: Tuesday, January 4, 2022

TIME: 6:00 PM

LOCATION: Virtual