



RHODE ISLAND

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

DIVISION OF MARINE FISHERIES

3 Fort Wetherill Road

Jamestown, Rhode Island 02835

INDUSTRY ADVISORY COMMITTEE (IAC)/ COMMERCIAL LICENSING WORKSHOP

May 30, 2019 – 5:00 PM

URI Narragansett Bay Campus, Coastal Institute Building

Hazard Rooms

South Ferry Road, Narragansett, RI

AGENDA

1. Definition of "*documented*" as it pertains to section 2.7.4(D) "*Data Reporting Required for Commercial Fishing Licenses*", and 2.9.2(F)(2) "*Party/Charter Vessels*".
2. Dealer license renewal and reporting compliance.
3. Eligibility for prioritization for persons who have previously held a commercial license.
4. Allowance of two fishermen/two daily possession limits from a single vessel.
5. Liberalize the eligibility requirements for an upgrade of a Student Shellfish License to CFL w/Quahaug Endorsement.
6. Explicitly state in rule the current Department policy regarding change of residency and license renewal eligibility.
7. Solicitation of any additional proposals from the public.
8. Adjourn.