



## **MARINE FISHERIES COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETING AGENDA**

**April 7, 2016**

**John Curtis Free Library**

**534 Hanover Street**

**Hanover, MA 02339**

*The business meeting will begin at 10:30 AM*

1. Introduction and Announcements
2. Review and Approval of April Agenda
3. Review and Approval of March Draft Minutes
4. Comments
  - a. Commissioner
  - b. Law Enforcement
  - c. Director
5. Action Items
  - a. 2016 Adjustments to Vp Management Regulations
  - b. Restrictions for Harwich Artificial Recreational Fishing Reef
6. Presentation
  - a. Harwich Artificial Reef Development
7. Items for Future Public Hearing
  - a. Adjusting Vessel Replacement Baseline Rules for Mobile Gear Permit Holders
  - b. Revising Sea Herring Spawning Closures to Comply with Amendment 3
  - c. Other Previously Approved Items
    - i. Recreational Black Sea Bass
    - ii. Recreational GOM Cod and Haddock
8. Discussion Items
  - a. Permit Bundling Policy
  - b. Whelk Size At Maturity Management Strategy
  - c. Review of Meeting with Martha's Vineyard Fisherman's Preservation Trust
9. Other Business and Commissioners' Comments

### **Future Meeting Dates**

**May 12, 2016**  
**Weston Public Library**  
**87 School Street**  
**Weston, MA**

**June 9, 2016**  
**Annisquam River Station**  
**30 Emerson Avenue**  
**Gloucester, MA**

### **Directions**

Take Route 3 to Exit 13. Follow Route 53 South for approximately 4 miles. Make hard right onto Old Washington Street. In less than 0.5 miles, make left onto Silver Street. Stay on Silver Street until you reach intersection with Route 139 (aka Hanover Street). Make right onto Route 139. Destination is immediately on your left. Parking is behind the Library (more behind the adjacent Town Hall if needed).