

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Department of Environmental Protection**

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

This Public Hearing Notice is available in alternative languages (Español -- Tiếng Việt -- Chinese -- Kreyòl Ayisyen -- Português -- Khmer) on MassDEP's website at: <https://www.mass.gov/service-details/massdep-public-hearings-comment-opportunities>

Pursuant to MGL c. 91, s. 18, the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection is proposing regulatory amendments to 310 CMR 9.000. These amendments would modify the provisions related to Municipal Harbor Planning (MPH), effectively affirming MassDEP's approval of each of the existing plans through incorporation into 310 CMR 9.00.

The regulatory text and a background document are available with a copy of this Public Hearing Notice on MassDEP's website at: <https://www.mass.gov/service-details/massdep-public-hearings-comment-opportunities>

Per Governor Charles D. Baker's Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, s. 20, dated March 12, 2020, public hearings will be conducted online and via telephone. MassDEP will hold two virtual public hearings via Zoom, at the following dates and times: (for cybersecurity purposes, advance registration is required)

Tuesday, June 8, 2021, 1:00 PM

Please click on the link below to register in advance for this meeting:

https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZMuc-igpzljG9ZVC5CHAQqo_W06QpGOs9n

Tuesday, June 8, 2021, 06:00 PM

Please click on the link below to register in advance for this meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZwrf-2trzMsGdOUdUM7aScxTDnHOTypl4b3>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email with the information needed to join the meeting. Please join the public hearing from your computer, tablet or smartphone. You can also dial in using your phone.

Testimony may be presented orally at the public hearing, or written comments may be submitted until 5:00 PM on June 22, 2021. Written comments must be submitted by email to dep.waterways@mass.gov or via mail to Daniel Padien, MassDEP, One Winter Street, Boston, MA 02108.

For special accommodations for these hearings, please call the MassDEP Diversity Office at 617-292-5751. TTY# MassRelay Service 1-800-439-2370. This information is available in alternate format upon request.

MassDEP provides language access interpreter/translation services to limited English proficient individuals free of charge. If you need an interpreter to participate in this meeting, translation services can be found at the following link: <https://www.mass.gov/info-details/massdep-language-translation-assistance>.

By Order of the Department of Environmental Protection
Martin Suuberg
Commissioner