

Public Listening Sessions

Draft Shellfish Planting Guidelines – released August 2011

The Division of Marine Fisheries (*MarineFisheries*) is developing shellfish planting guidelines for the state, outlining principles to which shellfish planting programs in Massachusetts should adhere. *MarineFisheries*, with the assistance of The Nature Conservancy (TNC), is holding five Public Listening Sessions to solicit public input for the draft guidelines and clearly define the shellfish planting oversight process within the Commonwealth's coastal waters.

September 8, 2011 6-8 PM	Gloucester	DMF Annisquam River Marine Fisheries Field Station 30 Emerson Ave, Gloucester, MA 01930
September 13, 2011 6-8 PM	Boston	UMASS – Boston Campus Center 100 Morrissey Blvd. Boston, MA 02125
September 15, 2011 6-8 PM	Bourne	Bourne Middle School Media Center 77 Waterhouse Road, Bourne, MA 02532
September 20, 2011 6-8 PM	Hyannis	Barnstable Town Hall 367 Main St. 2 nd floor hearing Room, Hyannis, MA 02601
September 22, 2011 6-8 PM	Wellfleet	Wellfleet Senior Center 715 Old Kings Highway, Wellfleet, MA 02667

For MA DMF DRAFT Shellfish Planting Guidelines see:

http://www.mass.gov/dfwele/dmf/programsandprojects/shellplant_guide.htm

For more information please call Casey Shetterly,

Project Mgr. SE MA: 508-732-0300 x21

