



**MARINE FISHERIES ADVISORY COMMISSION
BUSINESS MEETING AGENDA
July 19, 2018; 9:00 AM
DFW Field Headquarters
1 Rabbit Hill Road
Westborough, MA**

1. Introductions and Announcements (9:00 – 9:15)
 - a. Review and Approval of the July 19, 2018 Agenda
 - b. Review and Approval of the June 14, 2018 Draft Minutes
2. Comments (9:15 – 10:00)
 - a. Chairman
 - b. Commissioner
 - c. Director
 - d. Law Enforcement
3. Legislative Update (10:00 – 10:15)
4. Draft letter to Secretary Beaton Regarding Enhancing Coastal Presence of Environmental Police (10:15 – 10:30)
5. Preview of August 2018 ASMFC Meeting (10:30 – 11:15)
6. Discussion of Draft ASMFC/MAFMC Bluefish Amendment (11:15 – 11:45)
7. Update on Recent Adjudicatory Hearings (11:45 – 12:00)
8. Lunch (12:00 – 12:30)
9. Presentation on Kelp Aquaculture Development (12:30 – 1:15)
10. MFAC Sub-Committee on Improving Compliance in the For-Hire Sector (1:15 – 1:45)
11. Other Business (1:45 – 2:00)
 - a. Commission Member Comments
 - b. Comments from the Public

Future Meeting Dates

**9AM
September 13, 2018
SMAST West
706 S. Rodney French Blvd
New Bedford, MA**

**9AM
October 11, 2018
Division of Fish and Wildlife Field HQ
1 Rabbit Hill Road
Westborough, MA**

**9AM
November 8, 2018
Division of Fish and Wildlife Field HQ
1 Rabbit Hill Road
Westborough, MA**

**9AM
December 13, 2018
Division of Fish and Wildlife Field HQ
1 Rabbit Hill Road
Westborough, MA**

Directions: Take Rt. 495 to Exit 23B. Follow Rt. 9 West for about 8 miles. Take Right onto Rt. 135 and continue onto Milk Street. Make 3rd right onto North Drive. Continue to your left onto Lyman School Road. Make right onto Rabbit Hill Road.