

DELAWARE BAY SECTION OF THE NEW JERSEY SHELLFISHERIES COUNCIL MEETING

AGENDA

Virtual Meeting, Web and Conference Call via Microsoft Teams
Tuesday, March 1, 2022
6:00 PM

Council: Chairman: Warren Hollinger (Cumberland County)
Vice Chairman: Steven Fleetwood (Cumberland County)
Councilman: Richard Malinowski (Salem County)
Councilman: Scott Sheppard (Cumberland County)
Councilman: Vacant (Cape May/Salem County)

State/Fed Reps: Russ Babb, Bureau of Shellfisheries
Craig Tomlin, Bureau of Shellfisheries
Andrew Hassall, Bureau of Shellfisheries
Conor Davis, Bureau of Shellfisheries

Haskin Lab: David Bushek, Director
Lisa Calvo, Aquaculture Marine Scientist
Jason Morson, Fisheries Marine Scientist
Jennifer Gius, Laboratory Researcher

General Public

In compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act (N.J.S.A. 13:1B-30 et. seq), a notice of this meeting was posted with the Secretary of State's Office, State House, Trenton, NJ and this meeting will be recorded.

1. Delaware Bay Office revenue collected – B. Hollinger

January 2022: \$5,135.00 and is summarized as follows:

Assigned Fees	\$2,000.00	Menhaden	\$382.00
DB & AC Crab Dredge	\$900.00	Otter Trawl	\$100.00
Nets	\$859.00	Commercial Shellfish	\$50.00
Commercial Crab Pot	\$400.00	Application Fees	\$44.00
Tonging Tags	\$400.00		

February 2022: \$5,236.00 and is summarized as follows:

Dredge Renewal	\$2,340.00	Menhaden	\$154.00
Tonging Tags	\$700.00	Dealer License	\$100.00
Nets	\$694.00	Commercial Shellfish	\$100.00
DB & AC Crab Dredge	\$600.00	Application Fees	\$38.00
Commercial Crab Pot	\$500.00	Recreational Shellfish	\$10.00

2. Oyster Resource Development Account (*as of 02/24/2022*) – B. Hollinger

Expended: \$163,728.31
Unexpended/Uncommitted: \$614,321.27

3. Lease Ground Transactions – Council

3.1. Applications for Transfer

Leaseholder	Applicant	Section	Lot	Acreage	Acreage Fee	Application Fee
Gerald Hoffman	Diane Bacon Barbara Wright	D	116	23	\$11.50	\$5.00

3.2. Applications for Decision

Applicant	Section	Lot	Acreage	Acreage Fee	Application Fee
Edward Gaine	B	282	172	\$86	\$250

4. Old Business

4.1. Red Knot Stakeholder Committee Update – B. Hollinger

4.1.1. Reissuance of Conservation Measures

4.2. Leasing Committee Update – C. Davis

4.3. Oyster Tonging Industry Update – C. Tomlin

4.4. Shell Plant Contract Update – C. Tomlin

5. New Business

5.1. Review 24th Stock Assessment Workshop 2022 Findings – J. Morson

5.2. Setting of the 2022 Direct Market Harvest Program Quota and Season Dates – Council

5.3. Setting of the 2022 Intermediate Transplant Parameters – Council

6. Date, time, and place of next meeting - Council

DATE: Tuesday, May 3, 2022

TIME: 6:00 p.m.

LOCATION: TBD

7. Adjournment - Council