



Town of Stonington
Shellfish Commission

152 Elm Street Stonington, CT 06378

REGULAR MEETING

September 7, 2023

6:30 PM

There will be a regular meeting of the Stonington Shellfish Commission on Thursday, September 7, 2023 at 6:30 PM at Stonington Town Hall (Ground Floor Meeting Room).

AGENDA

- 1) Call to order
- 2) Comments from the public (Comments on specific applications will not be allowed)
- 3) Review and approval of the minutes of the regular meeting on August 3, 2023.
- 4) Correspondence
- 5) Business
 - a) Discuss the water quality testing and status of Stonington's conditional recreational shellfishing areas - Outer Quiambaug Cove and East Mason's Island (Area A and Area B)
 - b) Set the opening and closing dates, catch limits, and permit prices for the 2023-2024 scallop season in Town of Stonington waters.
 - c) Application by Charles Griffin to retain and replace a 14.1 foot pre-1995 fixed wood dock and dinghy outhaul system. Replace the outhaul pipe with a timber pile.
 - d) Commercial shellfishing reports
 - e) Discuss a request by Will MacKay (Little Narragansett Bay Oyster Co.) to allow another oyster grower to use part of his Elihu Island grow-out area and depuration area to conduct aquaculture.
 - f) Set fee and conditions of the license agreement with Stonington Farms Shellfish, Inc to conduct aquaculture on approximately 9.16 acres of shellfish grounds in the Mystic River southeast of Murphy Pt. and 6.86 acres of shellfish grounds in the Mystic River southwest of Ram Pt., Masons Island.
 - g) Continue discussion on whether to pursue online permit sales.
 - h) Begin review of the Commission's aquaculture guidance document to identify areas for improvement.
 - i) Financial review: permit sales, collections, bills, and current financial status.
- 6) New Business
- 7) Adjournment

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