

Ocean Management Workshop

November 12, 2008

Exchange Conference Center on the Boston Fish Pier
A workshop designed to provide background and context to the
Massachusetts Ocean Planning effort
Facilitator: Suzanne Orenstein

- 8:30 Sign-in and continental breakfast**
- 9:30 The Ocean Management Act – Where it came from where it’s going**
Susan Tierney, Chair, Ocean Advisory Commission
- 9:40 The Massachusetts Ocean Partnership (MOP) Planning Framework Effort**
Stephanie Moura, Executive Director, MOP
Rich Delaney, MOP Board Chair
- 9:50 Ocean Law and Policy in Massachusetts**
John Duff, J.D., LL.M., UMass Boston, Environmental, Earth & Ocean Sciences Department
- 10:25 Questions and Answers on Ocean Law and Policy
- 10:40 BREAK**
- 10:55 Ecological Science to Inform Integrated Multiple Use Management**
Heather Leslie, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Environmental Studies, Center for Environmental Studies, Brown University
- 11:30 Questions and Answers on Ecological Science to Inform IMUM
- 11:45 Marine Spatial Planning—theories and applications**
Jack Wiggan, Director, Urban Harbors Institute, UMass Boston,
- 12:20 Questions and Answers on Marine Spatial Planning
- 12:30 LUNCH**
- 1:15 The Marine Economy and Environment in Massachusetts**
Porter Hoagland, Ph.D., Marine Policy Center, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution
- 1:45 Questions and Answers on Marine Economy and Environment
- 2:00 Compatibility Determination and Decision Support Tools**
Tracey Dalton, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Marine Affairs, University of Rhode Island
Ward Feurt, Refuge Manager, USFWS Rachel Carson NWR
Ben Cowie-Haskell, Deputy Superintendent Stellwagen Bank NMS
- 2:45 Questions and Answers on Use Compatibility Determination and Decision Support Tools
- 3:00 BREAK**
- 3:15 Moderated Discussion among OAC and SAC Members**
- 4:15 Wrap Up and Next Steps**
- 4:30 Adjourn**