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48th SANCTUARY ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

Plymouth Yacht Club, Plymouth MA

5 October 2016 9:30 am – 3:00 pm

- 9:30 am Welcome and Seating of New SAC Members, Review of Agenda and Approval of 47th SAC Minutes** (H. Knowles)
- 9:45 – 10:00 SAC Business** (N. Ward)
- i. Welcome New Members & SAC Recruitment (1 August and 1 November 2016)
 - ii. New Charter Amendment
 - iii. 2017 SAC Meetings
 - iv. Council Photos and Bios
- 10:00 – 10:15 Discussion Topics** (R. Delaney)
Council “Round-Robin”
- 10:15 – 11:30 Management Plan Update** (B. Haskell and A. Stratton)
- 11:30 – 11:45 Volunteer of the Year Award—Judy Allen, Allied Whale** (A.M. Runfola)
- 11:45 – 12:00 SAC Photo Shoot**
- 12:00 – 1:00 Working Luncheon: *The North Atlantic Humpback Whale Catalog and the Sister Sanctuary Program*** (Peter Stevick, Allied Whale, College of the Atlantic)
- 1:00 – 2:00 Climate Change Vulnerabilities and Analysis** (B. Haskell & A. Stratton)
- 2:00 – 2:15 Regional Issues/New Sites** (Paul Ticco, ONMS HQ)
- 2:15 – 2:30 Constituent Reports**
Wings of the Fleet (J. Galluzzo)
Boston Harbor Cruises Whale Watch Update (L. Howes)
- 2:30 – 2:45 Agency/Governmental Reports**
- i. MA Coastal Zone Management (T. Callaghan)
 - ii. NOAA Office of Law Enforcement (T. Donovan)
 - iii. New England Fishery Management Council (NEFMC) (M. Bachman)
 - iv. NOAA Greater Atlantic Region Fisheries Office (GARFO) (J. Anderson)
- 2:45 – 2:50 New Business**
2:50 – 3:00 Public Comment
3:00 pm ADJOURN

*The Advisory Council may take action on any of the above items on the agenda.
Times of agenda items are subject to change. Public comment period will remain as advertised.*