## 17th Annual State of Wellfleet Harbor Conference Agenda

Saturday, November 2, 2019

## **Schedule of Presenters and Posters**

8:30–9:00 — Continental breakfast, sign-in, poster viewing

9:00–9:20 — *Opening Remarks*, Abigail Franklin Archer, Conference Moderator; Justina Carlson, Wellfleet Select Board

9:20–9:40 — *Striped Bass Management: Where We've Been; Where We're Going,* Mike Armstrong, Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries

9:40–10:00 Horseshoe Crabs in Wellfleet – Crawling toward Functional Extinction, Mark Faherty, Mass Audubon's Wellfleet Bay Wildlife Sanctuary

10:00–10:15 Questions & Answers

10:15-10:45 — Break (poster viewing and field trip sign-ups)

10:45–11:05 — *What's in a Name – Wellfleet Harbor's "Black Mayo"*, Agnes Mittermayr, Center for Coastal Studies

11:05–11:15 — Wellfleet Harbor Dredging Update, Dan Hoort, Town of Wellfleet

11:15-11:45 — <u>It's About Time: A Brief Overview of Changing Phenology in the Gulf of Maine</u> *Ecosystem*, Owen Nichols; Christine Hudak, Center for Coastal Studies.

11:45-12:00 — Questions & Answers

12:00–12:45 — Lunch

12:45–1:05 — Hydrodynamics and Sediment Transport in the Herring River Estuary: Past, Present, and Restored, Kirk Bosma, Woods Hole Group

1:05-1:15 — *Herring River Restoration Update*, Martha Craig, Friends of Herring River

1:15–1:30 — Questions & Answers

1:30–1:35 — Closing Remarks, Moderator

## **Posters**

- Do seasonal water conditions affect the growth of monitored oyster and quahog seed in Wellfleet Harbor?, Kristine Yang, Falmouth Academy
- Comparison of shellfish growth rates in Herring River and Mayo Creek, Nauset Regional High School
- The Curley Report 50 Years Later, John Duane, Wellfleet Shellfish Advisory Committee
- What's up with the Mola explosion?, Carol "Krill" Carson, New England Coastal Wildlife Alliance
- Return of the tide The Herring River restoration project, Friends of Herring River