

Long Island Sound Inventory and Blue Plan Advisory Committee

September 7, 2016

10:00AM – 12:00 PM

Westport Public Library

20 Jesup Road, Westport CT

AGENDA

10:00 Welcome and Introductions

Robert Klee, Commissioner, CT Department of Energy & Environmental Protection (DEEP)

- Northeast, Mid-Atlantic Regional Ocean Plan updates
- Welcome and introduction of New York participants.
- Demonstration of NY DOS Information Gateway

10:30 Vision and Goals / Stakeholder Approach

Nathan Frohling, The Nature Conservancy

- Draft Vision and Goals Statement
 - Process for further review
 - Advisory Committee approval of draft statement
- Engaging New York stakeholders
- Fall Event
 - Vision and Goals input
 - Listening session on issues

11:00 Subcommittees and Work Teams

Brian Thompson, Director, DEEP Office of Long Island Sound Programs

Sylvain De Guise, Director, Connecticut Sea Grant

- Process and schedule
 - Follow-up conference call
 - Leadership and membership
- Purpose—Expectations, deliverables and time frames for each group
 - Plan Development Team
 - Inventory and Science Subcommittee
 - Stakeholder Engagement Subcommittee
 - Policy Subcommittee
 - Ecological Characterization Work Team
 - Data and Mapping Work Team
 - Human Use Characterization Work Team

11:45 Public Comment Period

12:00 Administrative Follow-Up and Adjourn

Robert Klee