

2012 River Herring Climate Change Workshop Participant Selection Criteria

July 18-19, 2012

NMFS Northeast Regional Office, Gloucester, MA

Participant Selection Criteria for Workshop:

- Invited participants were selected based on their working knowledge and recent experience with one or both of the following: 1) climate science; and/or 2) population dynamics and life history of anadromous species; and/or 3) assessing impacts of climate or environmental change on fish. Participants with fish expertise were selected to represent both freshwater and marine areas based on the expansive coast-wide range of river herring. However, representation focused on areas where the majority of data on river herring are available. Additionally, participants with anadromous species expertise were selected to bring information and perspectives from both academic institutions and fisheries management.

Invited Expert Panel:

- Jamie Courneau, University of New Hampshire (UNH)
- Karen Wilson, University of Southern Maine (USM)
- Mike Dionne, New Hampshire Fish and Game (NHF&G)
- Claire Enterline, Maine Department of Marine Resources (ME DMR)
- Brad Chase, Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries (MADMF)
- Hugh Carberry, New Jersey Division of Fish & Wildlife (NJDFW)
- Karin E. Limburg, State University of New York (SUNY)
- Karen Capossela, Maryland Department of Natural Resources (MDDNR)
- Roger Rulifson, East Carolina University (ECU)
- Adrian Jordaan, State University of New York (SUNY)
- Bennett Wynne, North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission (NCWRC) (webinar July 19th only)
- Amy Larimer, North Carolina Division of Marine Fisheries (NCDMF)
- Bill Post, South Carolina Department of Natural Resources (SCDNR)
- Julie Harris, North Carolina Cooperative Fish and Wildlife Research Unit, (NC CRU)
- Jon Hare, National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS)
- Fritz Rhode, NOAA National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS)
- Matt Collins, NOAA National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS)
- Mike Alexander, NOAA Office of Oceanic and Atmospheric Research (OAR)
- Charles Stock, NOAA Office of Oceanic and Atmospheric Research (OAR)
- Janet Nye, Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
- Patrick Lynch (Integrated Statistics, under contract by NOAA & EPA)
- Robert Lent, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS)
- Jacob LaFontaine, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS)
- Steve Markstrom, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS)
- Mike Bailey, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service (USFWS)
- Wilson Laney, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service (USFWS)
- Ru Morrison, Northeastern Regional Association of Coastal and Ocean Observing Systems (NERACOOS)
- Steve Miller, Great Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve (Great Bay NERR)
- Rod Bradford, Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO)
- Katie Drew, Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission (ASMFC)

July 9, 2012