

**ALWTRT Meeting Materials**  
*Northeast Subgroup, Providence RI*  
*November 30- December 3, 2010*  
*\*to be provided at TRT meeting*

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---Day One---

1. General Meeting Information

- a. Draft Agenda
- b. Proposed Ground Rules
- c. 2010 TRT Member Roster
- d. ALWTRT Meeting Materials

2. Gear Research Materials

- a. UNH Grant Report (Time Tension Line Cutter)
- b. UNH Grant Report (An Automated RFID and GPS Fixed Gear Identification System for Onboard Real-time Data Collection)
- c. PCCS/MDMF Grant Report (Investigation of Practical Aspects of Marking Fixed Fishing Gear With Coded Wire Tags To Better Understand Whale Entanglement)
- d. ALWTRP Draft Whale Research Matrix
- e. ALWTRP Draft Gear Research Matrix

3. 2009 ALWTRT Meeting Follow-up Materials

- a. Updates on ALWTRP since 2009\*
- b. ALWTRP Vertical Line Rule Development and Plan Monitoring Schedule
- c. Update on Actions Items since 2009\*
- d. Process for considering exemptions
- e. Key Outcomes of Mid-Atlantic data workshop
- f. Gear marking concept paper
- g. Lineless Fishing concept paper

4. Background Information

- a. Large Whale Entanglement and Ship Strike Report 2008
- b. 2009 & 2010 Preliminary Large Whale and Ship Strike Summary
- c. Reports/Materials from States
  - Maine (9)
  - Massachusetts (1)
  - Connecticut (1)
  - Rhode Island (1)

---Day Two---

1. Materials from Industrial Economics\*

---Day Three---

1. Materials from NMFS regarding the model\*

---Day Four---

1. Key Outcomes of Scarification Workshop
2. Update on ALWTRP Monitoring Strategy\*