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Long Island Sound Inventory and Blue Plan Advisory Committee

March 16, 2017

10:00AM - 12:00 PM

Meigs Point Nature Center, Hammonasset State Park, Madison, CT

AGENDA

10:00 Welcome and Introductions

Robert Klee, Commissioner, CT Department of Energy & Environmental Protection (DEEP) Brian Thompson, Director, DEEP Land & Water Resources Division

- CT National Estuarine Research Reserve, Northeast and Mid-Atlantic Regional Ocean Plans, New York Ocean Plan updates
- February 22 Branford event, April 25 Avery Point event
- Logo

10:30 Vision and Goals

Nathan Frohling, The Nature Conservancy

• Finalizing Vision and Goals

10:50 Subcommittees and Work Teams Update

Nathan Frohling

Kevin O'Brien, DEEP Land & Water Resources Division Sylvain De Guise, Director, Connecticut Sea Grant

- Additional resources
 - Yale Environmental Protection Clinic, LISFF grant project, Moore Foundation grant, NOAA Coastal Fellow
- Outreach to Interested Parties
- Status and updates
 - o Plan Development Team
 - Inventory and Science Subcommittee
 - Stakeholder Engagement Subcommittee
 - Stakeholder Engagement Plan
 - Policy Subcommittee
 - Ecological Characterization Work Team
 - Data and Mapping Work Team
 - Datasets and Map Products
 - Human Use Characterization Work Team

11:45 Public Comment Period

- 12:00 Administrative Follow-Up and Adjourn Robert Klee
 - Evening meeting in June