

19th ANNUAL GATHERING OF SHELLFISH COMMISSIONS
Saturday, January 21, 2023, 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station, Jones Auditorium
123 Huntington Street, New Haven, CT 06511



The Connecticut Sea Grant Extension Program hosts this event with support from the Connecticut Department of Agriculture. The purpose of this program is to improve shellfisheries management by providing educational resources and tools that allow commission members to make informed, science-based decisions regarding recreational and commercial shellfisheries.

Thank you for your participation!

AGENDA

- 9:00am** **Welcome**
Tessa Getchis, Extension Educator, Connecticut Sea Grant/UConn Extension
David Carey, Director, CT Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Aquaculture
- 9:10am** **Hazardous Algal Bloom and Shellfish Disease Status Review**
Emily Marquis, Environmental Analyst 2, CT DOAG BA
- 9:35am** **Water Sampling Collection Procedures**
Alissa Dragan, Supervising Environmental Analyst 3, CT DOAG BA
- 10:00am** **Commission Roundtable Part I**
- 10:30am** **Break**
- 10:45am** **Commission Roundtable Part II**
- 12:00pm** **Lunch (provided)**
- 12:45pm** **LIS Coastal Zone Soil Survey Update**
Donald Parizek, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service CT Office
- 1:15pm** **Workshop: Exploring Shellfish Recycling Opportunities for Your Town**
Tessa Getchis & Michael Gilman, Connecticut Sea Grant/UConn Extension
David Carey & Alissa Dragan, CT DOAG BA
Tim Macklin, Town of Fairfield