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December 28, 2023

Dear Lt. Governor Way:

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The next meeting of the Delaware Bay Section of the New Jersey Shellfisheries Council will be held on Tuesday, January 9, 2024, at 6:00 P.M. The meeting will be held in person at the Rutgers Haskin Shellfish Research Laboratory and by webinar/conference call that requires no cost to meeting participants. Log in instructions will be posted to the NJ Fish and Wildlife webpage at https://dep.nj.gov/njfw/councils-and-committees/shellfisheries-council/meetings/ 48 hours prior to the meeting.

The agenda for the meeting includes the following items:

- 1. Annual Election of Council Chairman and Vice Chairman
- 2. Review of July, September, and December 2023 Council Minutes
- 3. Delaware Bay Office Revenue Collected for December 2023
- 4. Oyster Resource Development Account
- 5. Lease Ground Transactions
 - 5.1. Transfer from MacLean Properties LLC to Bivalve Packing Company Inc.
- 6. Old Business
 - 6.1. 2024 Lease Renewals
 - 6.2. Red Knot Stakeholder Committee Update
 - 6.3. 2023 Direct Market Harvest Program Update
 - 6.4. Oyster Tonging Fishery Update
 - 6.5. Council Correspondence Update: Vibrio Media Concerns
 - 6.6. Maurice River Channel Dredging
- 7. New Business
 - 7.1. 26th Stock Assessment Workshop 2024 and Council Rep. for Review Committee
 - 7.2. Dermo Update
- 8. Meeting Schedule
 - 8.1. 2024 Delaware Bay Section Meeting Schedule
 - 8.2. Date, Time, and Place of Next Meeting
- 9. Adjournment Council

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This letter is to comply with C. 231, P.L. 1975, one copy for filing and one for posting.

Sincerely,

Assistant Commissioner, NJDEP Fish and Wildlife

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