



Virtual Oyster Cultch Planting Strategy Meeting

June 12, 2020

10:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m.

As part of the Oyster Cultch Planting Strategy Meeting, participants will:

- Review and understand the development of the fourth edition of the N.C. Oyster Blueprint
- Understand the background and accomplishments made toward the Cultch Planting Strategy in previous Blueprint editions
- Consider and provide feedback on proposed actions to include for the Cultch Planting Strategy in the next five-year edition of the Blueprint.

Agenda

- 10:00 a.m. Welcome- Whitney Jenkins, North Carolina Coastal Reserve
- 10:10 a.m. Introduction to the next edition of the Blueprint- Erin Fleckenstein, North Carolina Coastal Federation
- Vision of Blueprint: *The vision of the Blueprint is to foster collaboration among partners, ensuring oysters in N.C. perpetuate a healthy and robust environment and economy.*
 - Accomplishments of Blueprint to-date
 - Survey Results
 - Ecosystem Services
- 10:30 a.m. Cultch Planting Strategy Overview
- Background on Strategy- Troy Alphin, University of North Carolina Wilmington
 - Accomplishments and Lessons Learned- Jason Peters, North Carolina Division of Marine Fisheries
 - Overview of Proposed Future Actions- Todd Miller, North Carolina Coastal Federation
- 11:00 a.m. Feedback and Discussion on Proposed Actions- Facilitated Group Discussion
- 11:45 a.m. Wrap-up and Next Steps- Erin Fleckenstein
- 12:00 p.m. Adjourn