

## Schedule for the State of Wellfleet Harbor Conference: Saturday, November 7, 2015

- 8:30–9:00 Continental Breakfast, sign-in
- 9:00–9:10 **Opening Remarks**  
Abigail Franklin Archer, Conference Moderator; Cape Cod Cooperative Extension & Woods Hole Sea Grant
- Dennis Murphy, Selectman, Town of Wellfleet
- 9:10–9:50 **Adaptive Management for the Herring River Restoration Project: How Birds, Fish, and Water Chemistry Make Us Smarter**
- Tim Smith, Cape Cod National Seashore
  - Jill Gannon, US Geological Survey, Leetown Science Center
- 9:50–10:10 Q & A Session
- 10:10–10:20 Introduction to Poster Presenters and Topics (list below)
- 10:20–10:40 Break (Review Posters, Sign up for Field Trips)
- 10:40–11:00 **River Herring Spawning Migration Success in the Herring River—**  
Derrick Alcott, University of Massachusetts, Amherst; US Geological Survey
- 11:00–11:20 **Blue Carbon and the Herring River—**Kevin Kroeger, US Geological Survey, Woods Hole Coastal & Marine Science Center
- 11:20–11:40 **Marsh Birds of the Herring River-** Stephen Broker, field naturalist and retired science educator.
- 11:40–12:00 Q & A Session
- 12:00–12:30 Lunch: Bring a Brown Bag Lunch  
Review Posters, Sign up for Trips
- 12:30–12:50 **A Community-based Approach to Planning for the Effects of Climate Change on Shellfishing in Wellfleet Harbor—** Seth Tuler, research fellow, Social and Environmental Research Institute
- 12:50–1:10 **The Record-breaking 2014 Cold Stun Sea Turtle Season: Possible Causes and Preparing for 2015—**Bob Prescott, Mass Audubon's Wellfleet Bay Wildlife Sanctuary
- 1:10–1:30 Q&A Session
- 1:30-1:35 **Closing Remarks—**Abigail Franklin Archer, Conference Moderator

**Poster Topics & Presenters:**

- Juvenile Horseshoe Crab Abundance and Distribution in Wellfleet Harbor, Colyer Woolston, Mass Audubon at Wellfleet Bay
- Cold-stunning of Diamondback Terrapins, Spring 2015, Rebecca Shoer, Mass Audubon at Wellfleet Bay
- Restoration of Mayo Creek, John Portnoy, Friends of the Herring River
- Marine Resources of Wellfleet Harbor, Pew Charitable Trust; John Duane, Wellfleet Natural Resources Advisory Board

**Field Trip, Sunday, November 8** A Tour of Fresh Brook 10 AM-12 Noon.