

Alewife Interaction Committee

July 26, 2019 Meeting Agenda

10am–12pm, MDIFW Sidney Regional Office

- I. Statement of Purpose
 - Discuss initial draft
- II. Update on USFWS participation
- III. Committee participation by non-fisheries agencies
 - Discuss representation of conservation groups
 - Discuss tribal representation
 - Discuss the role of non-fisheries agencies
- IV. Literature Review
 - Finalize the list of specific topics that should be reviewed
 - i. Previous meeting: SLT/ALE and SLT/SMB interactions, and methods to limit the spread of invasive species as barriers are removed
 - Assign to NOAA intern this fall, or assign to staff to reduce delay in development of supported research
 - Start with higher priority SLT/ALE issues
- V. Existing MDIFW datasets from waters with SLT/LLA populations
 - What data exists, and how it may be used to guide future studies
- VI. Next meeting: Friday, August 30, 10am–12pm
 - Reschedule to avoid Labor Day conflicts?