

Atlantic Coast River Herring Collaborative Forum

Conference Call and Webinar

May 20, 2024

1:00 – 3:30 p.m. ET

Please register for River Herring Forum at:

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Meeting Purpose:

The [River Herring Forum](#) is an open, online venue for river herring practitioners to meet virtually and share their research, restoration, management, and outreach activities, as well as a platform for encouraging collaboration.

- 1:00 PM:** Welcome, introductions and getting organized (J. Watson and J. Boyle)
- 1:05 PM:** **Management Updates** (25 min)
- o ASMFC Updates (J. Boyle, K. Drew; 5 min)
 - o MAFMC Updates (J. Didden; 10 min)
 - o NEFMC Updates (J. Cournane; 10 minutes)
- 1:30 PM:** Developing a subseasonal ecological forecast to reduce fisheries bycatch in the Northeast U.S. (K. Roberts - LSU; 20 min)
- 1:50 PM:** Acoustic telemetry captures the full annual migration of alewife between Chesapeake Bay and the Gulf of Maine (M. Ogburn - SERC; 20 min)
- 2:10 PM** **General Updates** (45 min)
- o Connecticut River Acoustic Telemetry Survey (K. Job, K. Sprankle; 10 min)
 - o Monitoring of fishway passages on the Peconic River, Riverhead, NY. (P. Daniel and K. McCartin; 10 min)
 - o Blueback Herring in the Hudson-Mohawk watershed: otolith chemistry (K. Limburg, J. Herne; 10 mins)
 - o Aquatic Organism Passage Opportunities under BIL (J. Earley; 15 min)
- 2:55 PM** Open discussion and updates (30 min)
- 3:25 PM** Wrap up and next steps
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