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Recreational Steven Travisono (Primary) George Allen (alternate)

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Coastal Ponds Mike Lanni (Primary) (open slot) – (alternate)

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RIMFC Winter Flounder Advisory Panel Meeting

December 8th, 2010 – 6:00 PM Hazard Room at the URI/GSO Bay Campus South Ferry Road, Narragansett, RI 02882

A meeting of the <u>Winter Flounder Advisory Panel</u> has been scheduled for <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>December 8th</u>, 2010 at 6:00 PM in the Hazard room at the URI/GSO Bay Campus, South Ferry Road, Narragansett, RI 02882.

(Date Changed to December 8, 2010)

MEETING AGENDA

- 1. Summary of stock status for winter flounder
- 2. Discussion of creating a spawner sanctuary for winter flounder in Mt. Hope Bay

3. Discussion of creating spawner sanctuaries for winter flounder in the South coast salt ponds.

4. Discussion of other factors effecting winter flounder mortality (predation, habitat, etc...)

5. Adjourn

All RIMFC Species Advisory Panel meetings are open to the public.

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