

2022 ANNUAL MEETING

Partnerships into the Future



MEETING AGENDA OCTOBER 15th, 2022

9:00 A.M. Welcome MCBA President, Bill Winowiecki & Michigan Sea Grant, Dan O'Keefe Moderator

9:15-11:15 A.M. – Coffee & Conversations with the Michigan DNR. Grab a cup of coffee & breakfast and start the conversation at one of the Great Lakes tables for a frank conversation with Chief Dexter and other fisheries managers, weir biologists and, fish production managers about topics of interest by you. Conversations led by members.

11:15 A.M. MDNR Chief Dexter morning session wrap-up and update on the new potential Charter Fishing marketing campaign.

11:30 Lunch and guest Speaker Senator Jon Bumstead, ample time for questions.

1:00 P.M.- 1:45 P.M. GLERL / NOAA – Changes in weather patterns, Captains have been experiencing more and more weather cancellations, what are the future trends. Review of various weather apps.

1:45 P.M. – 2:15 P.M Great Lakes Acoustic Telemetry Observation System (GLATOS) Understanding where walleye spawn in Saginaw Bay to ensure better management and habitat protection.

2:15 Break

2:30 P.M. – 3:00 P.M. U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) – Sail Drones; Autonomous vehicles powered by wind and solar collecting fishery data on Lake Michigan, Huron, and most recently on Lake Superior.

3:00: P.M. – 3:30 P.M. Michigan Sea Grant – a 50 year history of the fishery and partnership with the Michigan Charter Boat Association and its members.

3:30 P.M. – 4:00 A review of the Great Lakes Fishery Commission's 2021-2025 strategic vision that explains and clarifies its role in fishery management, research, and sea lamprey control.

4:00 Wrap up – Dan OKeefe

5:30 Cocktails

6:00 Dinner; Speaker – Bill Taylor, Bill is an internationally recognized expert in Great Lakes fisheries ecology, population dynamics, governance, and management. Dinner is followed by a Champagne Toast & 50th Desert Cake. \$5K Destination Giveaway Drawing, Award Presentations and tackle raffle to benefit Fisheries Education.



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