RODA JOINT TASK FORCE
Meeting Agenda

13 January 2020
10:00 am to 5:00 pm
Philadelphia Area

Meeting Goals
• Have a rich, learning, and problem solving discussion on key and pertinent issues to fishermen, developers, or both
• Balance new or broad discussion topics and those topics where we are trying to address a specific problem and develop specific recommendations to ourselves or others on how to proceed

Agenda

9:30                  Breakfast and Gathering

10:00                 Welcome and Introductions

10:10                 RODA and Wind Industry Brief Updates

10:30                 Focused Topic to Advance Joint Action: Navigational Aids
• Jointly review and comment on BOEM guidance
• Develop joint comments to identify changes, missing elements, greater detail
• Goal is to create follow-up joint recommendations with detail to submit to BOEM (and USCG for analysis)
• HOMEWORK: Read BOEM draft guidance and submitted Task Force comment letter. Come prepared for detailed comments

11:30                 Focused Topic to Advance Joint Action: Fishing Representatives
• What problem or problems – what purpose – are fishing representatives supposed to be solving generally?
• In what way are fishing representatives as a tool working or not working?
• Are there better or different wants to achieve the same goals or objectives as fishery representatives?
• What advice do we want to propose to BOEM
• HOMEWORK: Read current BOEM guidance/best practices on fisheries liaisons and representatives
12:30 Lunch

1:30 Centralized Project Information Hub
• Background and Idea – Crista Banks and Annie Hawkins
• Wind Information Hub Initial Proposal – Stove Boat staff
• Identify desired content for website and app versions

2:30 Task Force Process Check-In
• Check in on the Task Force’s, purpose, chart, code of contact, and shared expectations
• HOMEWORK: Read current Task Force Charter and Code of Conduct

3:15 Break

3:30 General Topic on Improving Engagement: How do we engage better around array design and turbine layouts?
• What are the key considerations, apart from fishing, that developers have to take into account and in what sequence and timing, to arrive at array layouts “ready for prime time?”
• What have we learned from engaging fishermen in lay out design so far at various projects – the good, the bad, and the difficult?
• How can we think differently or better about mutual engagement on array design to improve designs and reduce conflict?

4:00 New Topic: Regional Transmission
• What are our collective worries, concerns, and questions regarding emerging regional oceans transmission across projects?
• How do we want to engage each other and others on this topic moving forward?

4:45 Next Steps, Next Meeting, Next Topics
• State of the Science workshop
• Other

5:00 Adjourn