

AGENDA

SHELLFISH MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

**August 15th, 2018
4 to 6 pm**

**VIRGINIA MARINE RESOURCES COMMISSION
4th Floor Meeting Room**

1. Discussion on the current James River Seed Oyster Quota, James River Seed Areas and potential changes for the 2018-2019 season.
2. Discussion on the establishment of the 2018-2019 areas of public harvest, public oyster harvest seasons, and management measures. Management measures may include: adjusting the start and duration of the harvest season, changes to vessel and individual harvest bushel limits, changing to less efficient gear types such as patent and hand tongs, subdividing the current harvest areas into additional rotation areas, and in the James River Seed Area, changes to seed quota amounts, seed transport permits, and areas open to seed harvest.

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