

**Conservation Harvesting Plan
16 F Fall Herring Fishery – 2016**

August 15, 2016

EKME#: 3652967

Quota: 5,317.0 t
+ 201.9 t (carry forward from 2015)
5,518.9 t

Season Opening: Sunday, September 11 at 18:00 hours

Daily Closures: 12:00 hours to 18:00 hours

Weekend Closures:

- 12:00 hrs Friday, September 16 to 18:00 hrs Sunday, September 18
- 12:00 hrs Friday, September 23 to 18:00 hrs Sunday, September 25
- 12:00 hrs Friday, September 30 to 18:00 hrs Sunday, October 2
- 12:00 hrs Friday, October 7 to 18:00 hrs Sunday, October 9


Trip Limit: There will be no trip limit (kg) on the Conditions of Licence in accordance with the Overage project. Fish harvesters have agreed to limit their landings to 6,804 kg. Fish harvesters will not directly benefit from any amount in excess of this limit per trip as the funds will go to the Gulf Nova Scotia Herring Federation to conduct programs for the betterment of the fishery.

Monitoring: 100 % DMP

Net (size/mesh deep/ length): 66.7 mm min / 125 mesh / 100 fathoms

Catch Limitations: It is permitted to have a maximum of one fishing trip per 18 hour period, from 18:00 h to 12:00 h on the following day. All fishing activities during this fishing trip must commence and terminate in the same 18 hour period. Herring shall only be off-loaded once per fishing trip.

Vessels: Vessels to be used in this fishery must be from the same administrative area as the licence holder.


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