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**Boston Harbor Islands National Recreation Area Advisory Council**

**AGENCY:** National Park Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of Annual Meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces the annual meeting of the Boston Harbor Islands National Recreation Area Advisory Council (Council). The agenda includes results of the Council survey, planning for the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Boston Harbor Islands National Recreation Area, the National Park Service (NPS) Centennial, and the Boston Light Tricentennial in 2016, and membership of and planning for the next steps for the Council. Superintendent Giles Parker will also give updates about park operations and planning efforts.

**DATES:** September 9, 2015, 6 PM to 8 PM (EASTERN).

**ADDRESSES:** WilmerHale, 60 State Street, 26<sup>th</sup> Floor, Conference Room, Boston, MA 02109.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Giles Parker, Superintendent and Designated Federal Official (DFO), Boston Harbor Islands National Recreation Area, 15 State Street, Suite 1100, Boston, MA 02109, telephone (617) 223-8669, or email [giles\\_parker@nps.gov](mailto:giles_parker@nps.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This meeting is open to the public. Those wishing to submit written comments may contact the DFO for the Council, Giles Parker, by mail at National Park Service, Boston Harbor Islands, 15 State Street, Suite 1100, Boston, MA 02109 or via email [giles\\_parker@nps.gov](mailto:giles_parker@nps.gov). Before including your address, telephone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment – including your personal identifying information – may be made publicly available at any time. While you may ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

The Council was appointed by the Director of the National Park Service pursuant to 16 U.S.C. 460kkk(g). The purpose of the Council is to advise and make recommendations

to the Boston Harbor Islands Partnership with respect to the implementation of a management plan and park operations. Efforts have been made locally to ensure that the interested public is aware of the meeting dates.

Shirley Sears\_\_\_\_\_

August 8, 2015

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Acting Chief, Office of Policy

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