

**Gulf of Maine Council – Meeting Logistics  
3 December 2013 Council Meeting**

**Meeting Location / Site Information**

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**December 3rd Council Meeting (8:30 am AT – 4:00 pm AT)**

**GOMA Meeting (4:00 pm AT – 5:00 pm AT)**

**Bedford Institute of Oceanography, Department of Fisheries and Oceans**

**Needler Boardroom, 1 Challenger Drive, Dartmouth, NS B2Y 4A2**

- Local driving directions are available on the BIO website at:  
<http://www.bio.gc.ca/general-generales/directions-eng.php>
- Parking. Visitors arriving by car can park in Lots 1 and 3. A PDF map of BIO showing the parking locations is located on the last page of this document.
- Participants should come to the Main entrance and sign in at the front desk. A photo ID is required. They will be escorted through security to the meeting location.

**Local Transportation Options from Airport to Hotel in Halifax**

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1. Halifax Metro transit (city bus) has a bus that runs on a fixed schedule to and from the airport. It drops people off on the street behind the Delta Halifax. The cost is **\$3.50** and it takes about one hour.  
Website for schedule: <http://www.halifax.ca/metrotransit/Schedules/documents/Route320.pdf>
2. There is now a shuttle bus operating to and from the airport. It runs from the airport directly to Delta Halifax. It costs **\$34** return (half that one way). About 30min ride  
Website for schedule and pre-pay <http://www.maritimebus.com/en/>
3. There is always the option of taxi. There is no additional fee to share a cab. Taxis are **\$63** one way. Taxis leaving from the airport do not need to be booked ahead. There is a taxi stand outside the arrival doors at the airport. It might be best for working group members heading to the airport on Thursday afternoon to share a cab as it will be quicker than the bus.

**Local Transportation Options from Delta Halifax Hotel to BIO**

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This will require a taxi. I suggest people meet in the lobby of the Delta Halifax and share a ride. There might be an additional fee for sharing a cab in the city, but the cost should be minimal as the ride over is quite short.

**Call-in / Webex Information**

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Currently being finalized. Will circulate once scheduled.

