



# NSGLC News

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*NSGLC's monthly e-newsletter with publication and research highlights, as well as news alerts on other major activities.*

## Publications

The NSGLC is pleased to offer the March 2023 issue of the *Ocean And Coastal Case Alert*. [Read about](#) a Fifth Circuit ruling striking down a final rule requiring charter boat owners in the Gulf of Mexico to install vessel monitoring systems and a California case brought by surfers who experienced harassment when trying to access a city-owned surf spot.

[View Case Alert](#)

As part of the project “Best Practices for Regulating Seaweed as Human Food,” the NSGLC released three new infographics:

- [FDA Classification of Seaweed](#)
- [Seaweed and the FDA Preventative Controls Rule](#)
- [The FDCA Adulteration Provision](#)

An additional resource from the NSGLC’s “Best Practices for Regulating Seaweed as Human Food” was also just released. Facilitated by the NSGLC and developed by UMass-Boston, a searchable [database](#) on seaweed-related food safety publications has been added to the Sea Grant Seaweed Hub’s website. This database will be frequently updated to include newly published peer-reviewed manuscripts specific to seaweed food safety.

## Events

The NSGLC will serve as the local host for the 2023 State Marine Aquaculture Coordination Network Annual Meeting to be held May 16th - 18th in Memphis, Tennessee. The meeting provides a networking forum for state aquaculture coordinators, state Sea Grant aquaculture extension personnel, and select federal partners. Members of SMACN are encouraged to RSVP [here](#).

The first [Sea Grant Blue Carbon Symposium](#) will be held at the Georgia Center and University of Georgia School of Law in Athens, GA on May 17-18, 2023. [Registration](#) for the symposium is now open. The NSGLC is providing financial support to the symposium and will publish a special issue of the *Sea Grant Law & Policy Journal* in connection with the conference.

## NSGLC Presents!



Director Stephanie Otts and Ocean and Coastal Law Fellow Samantha Hamilton presented during the Aquatic Invasive Species in Commerce Summit on March 8, 2023. View the recording and powerpoint slides [here](#).



## Top Tweet of the Month



**Sea Grant Law Center**  
@SGLawCenter

Law students, spend the summer working with [@USCSeaGrant](#) & NSGLC to research legal issues related to seafood access and consumption, as well as a project related to the regulation of seaweed production. Apply for this exciting opportunity by March 8th! 🐟🐠



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Calling law students! 📢 NSGLC is partnering with [@USCSeaGrant](#) for the summer 2023 Sea Grant Law Diversity Internship. Find out how to apply on our blog! [nsglc.olemiss.edu/blog/2023/feb/...](https://nsglc.olemiss.edu/blog/2023/feb/...)

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