

## EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

# Charter Fishing NSW Working Group

August 2021

### Expression of interest for positions on the Charter Fishing NSW Working Group

Expressions of interest are sought from charter fishing operators for appointment to the Charter Fishing NSW Working Group (CFNSW).

CFNSW provides for consultation and input from the charter fishing industry. The Working Group provides DPI with advice on operational issues and management arrangements for the charter fishing sector.

DPI is seeking to appoint one member to each of the seven charter fishing management regions as indicated in Figure 1, to represent charter fishing interests in each region. Each member of the Working Group must be an owner of a NSW Charter Fishing Business and reside in the region nominated.

The role of Working Group members is to fairly and impartially represent charter fishing views from each region. Representatives are encouraged to liaise with operators in their region (where possible) to discuss ongoing and emerging issues and to raise any relevant issues during CFNSW meetings.

Specifically, Working Group members are required to:

- be prepared to represent charter fishing interests in their respective regions;
- be prepared to collaborate and negotiate to achieve favourable outcomes (including through compromise where necessary);
- actively seek solutions that achieve sustainable fishing practices and positive industry outcomes on a statewide basis; and
- be prepared to make the necessary commitment of time, to ensure you have sufficiently understood available information to participate in matters for consideration by the Working Group.

The Charter Fishing NSW Working Group will usually meet twice per year. Some regional coastal towns may also be meeting venues. As a CFNSW member, you will be reimbursed for travel and accommodation costs and will also be paid a daily sitting fee for attendance at the meeting.

If you are interested in being a representative on the Charter Fishing NSW Working Group, please submit your expression of interest clearly indicating the position being applied for (e.g. Region 1 representative) and include information in support of your claim for the position (maximum 2 pages), via:

Email: [charter.fishing@dpi.nsw.gov.au](mailto:charter.fishing@dpi.nsw.gov.au) (subject heading - CFNSW EOI), or

Post: CFNSW EOI  
NSW DPI Fisheries  
LMB 3020  
NOWRA NSW 2541

### Expressions of interest close **Monday 20 September 2021**

Note: The NSW Government is committed to increasing the participation of groups which have traditionally been under-represented, including women, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders and people of culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds. Members of these groups are actively encouraged to apply.

If you have any enquiries, please contact Mr Nathan McNamara, Fisheries Manager, on (02) 4424 7419 or email [charter.fishing@dpi.nsw.gov.au](mailto:charter.fishing@dpi.nsw.gov.au).

Figure 1. Charter Fishing NSW Working Group Representative Regions

