

Harbour Waste Assessment Checklist	
Harbour:	<i>Harbour member contact information</i>
Date/Time:	Email:
Meeting with:	Phone number:
Waste educator present?	Mailing address:
DFO SCH present?	
In season?	
Observations/Questions	
Number of vessels?	Illegal dumping? Yes/No
Primary fisheries?	Hazardous waste building? Yes/No Disposal practices for:
Containers for garbage? Y/N	Oil: _____ Oil filters: _____
Containers for recycling? Y/N	Oil containers: _____ Oil rags: _____
Overflowing dumpsters? Y/N	Clutter at harbour? none/some/a lot
Litter around harbour? none/a few items/a lot	Perception of rate at which fishers bring waste ashore? (%) Overall: _____
Burning? Yes/No	Bait boxes: _____ Plastic: _____ Lobster traps: _____
Commitments/Actions	
Actions: If they have a waste oil building/facilities: *put up signage* Always: *show props from bag* (plastic coated bait box, rope, tim hortons cup, etc) If illegal dumping is a challenge: *put up "no dumping" signage*	
If no garbage facilities - Many harbours now provide facilities at the wharf to make it as easy as possible for fishers to return their waste to shore and avoid burning. Would you be interested in giving that a try? Yes/No If no, list barriers:	
If no recycling facilities - Many harbours now offer recycling bins at the wharf for their users to keep plastic out of our landfills and reducing harbour costs. Would you be interested at looking at options for a recycling bin at the wharf? *show picture of wharf blue bin* Yes/No If no, list barriers:	
If high volume of litter/clutter - To improve the pride and practices of the wharf, some harbours hold litter cleanups prior or following the fishing season. Would you consider doing a litter cleanup at your harbour? Yes/No If no, list barriers:	
Did I post any signs while there? (illegal dumping, waste oil building)	
Follow up required?	