



What does it mean to be accepted as a member of the MAINE SEAWEED COUNCIL?

If you are a harvester, scientist, environmentalist, conservationist, business owner or simply care about seaweed, you have pledged to support:

- The Mission Statement of the Maine Seaweed Council:

The Maine Seaweed Council strives to protect the ecosystems of Maine's marine algae and adhere to sustainable cultivation and harvest practices, promote the use of Maine seaweeds, educate the public, regulators and elected officials, and provide a collaborative forum for its members.

- Collaborative and accurate, non-proprietary information sharing to promote a positive reputation within the community.
- Being a member in good standing, attending meetings when possible and supporting the Council financially through membership dues and recruitment.

In addition, if you are a harvester or processor you have agreed to the following:

- Sustainable cultivation and harvest practices.
- Compliance with all State mandated seaweed regulations.
- Attempting to promote positive relationships with your neighbors on the water.

Printed Name _____

Member Signature_____

Date _____