

***Taking Bold Action Now to Achieve Long-term Sustainability  
Of New York's Ocean and Great Lakes***

Draft Report of the NY Ocean & Great Lakes Ecosystem Conservation Council

(optional) Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Please hand this in at the end of today's event, so your knowledge and ideas can benefit the next steps of Ecosystem-based Management in New York.

**Local strategies for building knowledge, skills, and incentives for local decision making using EBM principles**

Please take a few minutes to jot down some key ideas and reflections, based on the presentations, the participant packet, the attached sheet and your own knowledge and experience.

**1. What skills, knowledge, or tools would best serve your activities, duties, or interests?** These may be information, data, or people/group skills. For each, would be valuable in the near future (N) or later (L)?

**2. What incentives would attract you to opportunities to build your capacity in these knowledge, skills, & tools (besides funding).**

**3. On the back, tell us in what ways your organization might contribute to these efforts, e.g., space, promotion, expertise, sponsorship, existing programs.**