



GREATER FARALLONES and MONTEREY BAY NATIONAL MARINE
SANCTUARIES (GFNMS and MBNMS)
JOINT SANCTUARY ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING
AGENDA



Thursday, August 15, 2019

8:45AM – 4:30PM

Half Moon Bay Yacht Club

214 Princeton Ave, Half Moon Bay, CA 94019

Time	Topic	Lead
8:30-8:45	Sign-in and Coffee	
8:45-9:00	Call to Order, Roll Call, Review Agenda - Swear-in new council members	Brian Nelson, MBNMS AC Chair
9:00-9:05	MBNMS Sanctuary Advisory Council (AC) Business - Approve June Meeting Minutes (Action Item)	Brian Nelson, MBNMS AC Chair
9:05-9:25	Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary Superintendent's Report	Paul Michel, MBNMS Superintendent
9:25-10:00	MBNMS Management Plan Update	Paul Michel, MBNMS
10:00-10:10	BREAK	
10:10-11:00	Shoreline Fishing/Gear and Threats to Pelicans (Potential Action Item) - Bycatch induced seabird mortality in west coast marine sanctuaries (20 min) - Sanctuary and Seabird Protection Network activities to address shoreline fishing/gear threats to seabirds (15 min) - Discussion (15 min)	Dr. Rebecca Duerr, International Bird Rescue; Karen Reyna, GFNMS
11:00-11:10	PUBLIC COMMENT	
11:10-11:40	GFNMS Coastal Resilience Sediment Plan for Sonoma through San Mateo County	Sara Hutto/Max Delaney, GFNMS
11:40-12:10	West Coast Regional Priorities	Bill Douros, ONMS West Coast Regional Office
12:10-1:10	LUNCH	
1:10-1:15	GFNMS Sanctuary Advisory Council (AC) Business - Approve May Meeting Minutes (Action Item)	Dominique Richard, GFNMS AC Chair
1:15-1:35	Greater Farallones National Marine Sanctuary Superintendent's Report	Maria Brown, GFNMS Superintendent
1:35-2:50	Whales in the Sanctuaries: Threats to Whales and Sanctuary Whale Protection Efforts - Whale distribution in the sanctuaries, ship traffic and areas at-risk for entanglement (20 min) - Whale entanglement and sanctuary protection efforts (20 min) - Vessel strikes to whales and sanctuary protection efforts (20 min) - Discussion (15 min)	Cotton Rockwood, Point Blue Conservation Karen Grimmer, MBNMS; Jess Morten, Greater Farallones Association
2:50-3:00	BREAK	
3:00-3:10	PUBLIC COMMENT: Tomales Bay Native Oyster Restoration	
3:10-5:00	GFNMS Tomales Bay Native Oyster Restoration Working Group Recommendations Discussion and Action (Action Item)	Dr. Bibit Traut, GFNMS AC; Julia Royster, NMFS
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The Advisory Councils may take action on any of the above items on the agenda. Times of agenda items are subject to change. Public comment period will remain as advertised.

UPCOMING GFNMS MEETINGS	UPCOMING MBNMS MEETINGS
Wednesday November 13 th , San Francisco	Friday October 18 th , Marina Friday December 13 th , Monterey

Directions to HMB Yacht Club: 214 Princeton Ave Half Moon Bay, CA 94019

From San Francisco/Pacifica:

Take Hwy 1 South through Pacifica, Montara, and Moss Beach

As you pass the Half Moon Bay Airport, exit right onto Capistrano

Turn right at Mezza Luna restaurant onto Prospect Way

Go left at T-junction, then take a right onto Princeton Ave. Look out for the boatyard, on your left, and then turn left onto Vassar Street

The HMB Yacht Club on Princeton Ave is to the left; parking is limited at the club itself so members may want to park along Vassar if possible.

From Santa Cruz/Monterey:

Take Hwy 1 North out of Half Moon Bay

Continue on Hwy 1 North until you reach the traffic lights at Pillar Point Harbor

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