MBNMS Research Activity Panel Meeting Agenda

Host: MBARI
Location: 7700 Sandholdt Road, Moss Landing
Date: Friday, February 11th, 2005; 9 am to 12 pm

Institution Representatives:
- Chris Harrold (Chair) & Randy Kochevar, Monterey Bay Aquarium
- Andrew DeVogelaere (RAP Coordinator), Monterey Bay NMS
- Greg Cailliet, Moss Landing Marine Labs
- William Douros, Monterey Bay NMS
- Michael Field & Curt Storlazzi, United States Geological Survey
- Churchill Grimes & Mary Yoklavich, NOAA/National Marine Fisheries Service
- Steve Moore (Vice-Chair) & Rikk Kvitek, California State University, Monterey Bay
- Dan Costa & Mark Carr, University of California, Santa Cruz
- George Somero & Fiorenza Micheli, Hopkins Marine Station
- Francisco Chavez & Charles Paull, Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute
- Jan Roletto, Gulf of the Farallones NMS/Cordell Bank NMS
- Robin Tokmakian & Leslie Rosenfeld, Naval Postgraduate School
- Rick Starr, University of California Sea Grant
- Mark Stephenson, CDFG/Marine Pollution Studies Lab
- William Sydeman, Point Reyes Bird Observatory
- Kerstin Wasson & Eric Van Dyke, Elkhorn Slough NERR
- Geoff Wheat, National Undersea Research Program

At-Large Representatives:
- Jim Harvey, Moss Landing Marine Labs
- Caroline Pomeroy, University of California, Santa Cruz
- Charles Lester & Ross Clark, California Coastal Commission
- Charles Wahle & Aaron King, Institute for MPA Science
- Gary Sharp (Special Advisor), Center for Climate/Ocean Resources Study

Agenda:

CONSENT ITEMS
9:00 – 9:15  Introductions/modifications to the agenda (Chris Harrold)
  • Introduction of Eric Van Dyke, new ESNERR alternate

PRESENTATIONS
9:15 – 10:00  Institutional update (Francisco Chavez)
  California Current studies update (Francisco Chavez)
10:00 – 10:30  Proposed plans to drill IODP boreholes in the sanctuary (Geoff Wheat)
BREAK
10:30 – 10:45

10:45 – 11:00  Pelagic Shark Research Foundation: Update on monitoring projects (Sean Van Sommeran)

DISCUSSION ITEMS
11:00 – 11:15  Sanctuary Currents update (Andrew DeVogelaere)
11:15 – 11:55  Update on February 2005 SAC meeting (Chris Harrold)

SUGGESTED FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS
11:55 – 12:00
• Status of research permits in the sanctuary
• Update from John Stephens of Occidental College/Cal Poly on his southern MBNMS (Cambria) studies
• Status of the Ocean Observatory system
• Implementation of the new RAP Purpose and Protocols

Directions to MBARI:
Detailed directions and maps can be found at:
http://www.mbari.org/about/directions/directions.html

From the North:
1. Moss Landing is about 20 miles south of Santa Cruz on Highway 1. You will recognize the town by the Duke Energy power plant.
2. When you reach Moss Landing, turn Right onto Moss Landing Road (by The Whole Enchilada restaurant).
3. Take the first Right onto Sandholdt Road, just past the Harbor District sign. Cross the one-lane bridge and turn right.
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From the South:
1. Moss Landing is about 1/2 hour north of Monterey on Hwy 1.
2. Take Highway 1 North for approximately 22 miles to Moss Landing (recognizable by the Duke Energy power plant).
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