



Meeting Agenda

Meeting Time and Location

Wednesday, July 22, 2015 | 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

NOAA Manchester Research Station

7305 Beach Dr. East

Port Orchard, WA

Meeting Objectives

- Hear from other ocean acidification groups on recent events and efforts
- Review outcomes of the state budget process
- Review progress towards Blue Ribbon Panel’s recommendations related to adaptation and remediation, and discuss MRAC’s targeted priorities for future activities

Agenda

Time	Topic	Purpose	Lead
10:00 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introductions ▪ Review agenda and meeting objectives ▪ Welcome new councilmembers ▪ Opening remarks 	Martha Kongsgaard, <i>MRAC Chair</i> Angie Thomson, <i>Facilitator</i>
10:10 a.m.	Recent Ocean Acidification Happenings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Hear updates on recent research, news, and actions taken on ocean acidification 	All
10:30 a.m.	State Budget Debrief	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Hear updates on the status of the state budget and funding for OA 	Julie Horowitz, <i>Governor’s Office</i>
10:40 a.m.	Strengthening OA Response through Shoreline Planning and Restoration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Hear about opportunities to advance multiple objectives of local, state and federal agencies 	Brad Warren, <i>Global Ocean Health</i>
11:00 a.m.	Developing Communications for Citizen Engagement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Hear about efforts to engage Washington State citizens in taking action on OA 	Meg Chadsey, <i>Washington Sea Grant</i>
11:20 a.m.	NOAA Manchester Research Station Facility Tour <i>Lunch to follow facility tour (provided for MRAC members)</i>		

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1:00 p.m.	Adaptation and Remediation Priorities Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Review Blue Ribbon Panel key action items and current adaptation and remediation activities ▪ Discuss targeted priorities for future action, how these relate to MRAC focus areas, and MRAC role in furthering these ▪ Discuss funding strategies, potential partners for priorities, and next steps 	Bill Dewey Martha Kongsgaard Angie Thomson
2:50 p.m.	Next steps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Review action items and preview topics for the next MRAC meeting ▪ Review ocean acidification landscape document 	Angie Thomson
3:00 p.m.	Adjourn		

Conference Call Information

Conference Call Number: 866-430-7034

Conference Call Code: 439-059-9747

Online meeting access:

<https://meet.lync.com/appriver3651005386-enviroissues/athomson/7CBGSMGL?sl=1>

MRAC Ground Rules

- Stay current with information provided to the group and the decisions of the group.
- Attend as many meetings as possible, keeping use of alternates to a minimum.
- Bring a sense of urgency and openness to this work

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