



Meeting Agenda

Meeting Time and Location

Wednesday, November 29, 2017 | 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Burke Museum - Burke Room
1413 NE 45th St, Seattle, WA 98105

Meeting Objectives

- Hear an update on the status of the Blue Ribbon Panel Addendum
- Share updates on recent ocean acidification activities and events
- Hear an overview of results and key takeaways from Dept. of Ecology’s Salish Sea model
- Preview the next big OA policy questions and how science can help answer them
- Learn about WOAC’s 2018 Work Plan

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Time	Topic	Purpose	Lead
10:00 a.m.	Welcome and introductions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introductions ▪ Review agenda and meeting objectives ▪ Opening remarks 	Martha Kongsgaard, <i>MRAC Chair</i> Angie Thomson, <i>Facilitator</i>
10:15 a.m.	Blue Ribbon Panel Refresh Addendum update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Hear an update on the release of the Blue Ribbon Panel Refresh Addendum 	Martha Kongsgaard
10:30 a.m.	Recent ocean acidification happenings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ MRAC members update on recent research, news, and actions taken on ocean acidification, including updates from the OA Alliance, PCC, Our Oceans Conference, and COP 23 	All
11:45 a.m.	Update on the Salish Sea Model	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Review results of the Washington Dept. of Ecology’s model released this summer, and discuss what it means for OA efforts 	Greg Pelletier, <i>Department of Ecology</i>
12:30 p.m.	Lunch (<i>optional tour of the Puget Sound Foraminifera Lab</i>)		
1:15 p.m.	What’s next? Upcoming OA policy questions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Preview the next key policy questions for state and tribal natural resource agencies, and discuss the steps to answer them 	Julie Horowitz, <i>Governor’s Office</i> Kirsten Feifel, <i>Department of Natural Resources</i>
2:00 p.m.	WOAC 2018 Work Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Hear from WOAC on their strategic 2018 Work Plan and next year’s science priorities 	Jan Newton & Terrie Klinger, <i>WOAC</i>

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2:45 p.m.	Wrap-up	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Review action items ▪ Next meeting 	Angie Thomson
3:00 p.m.	Adjourn		

Conference Call Information

Conference Call Number: 866-430-7034

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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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