

**MBNMS Research Activity Panel
Meeting Agenda
July 10, 2015**

Host: James Lindholm – Shelf and Slope Ecology (CSU Monterey Bay)

Location: Tanimura and Antle Family Memorial Library
Building 508, Rm 1176 (see *NOTE and Parking info below)
Divarty Street
California State University Monterey Bay
Seaside, CA
(bring money for parking permit, info below)

Date: Friday, July 10th, 2015; 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

Members:

	Name	Discipline	Institution	Primary/ Alternate
	Cailliet, Greg	Deep-Sea Ecology	Moss Landing Marine Laboratories	primary
	Carr, Mark	Nearshore Ecology	University of California, Santa Cruz	alternate
	Chavez, Francisco	Biological Oceanography	Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute	alternate
	Cheriton, Olivia	Physical Oceanography	United States Geological Survey	alternate
	David, Aimee	Marine Policy	Monterey Bay Aquarium	alternate
	DeVogelaere, Andrew	Research Coordinator	Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary	
	Goldbogen, Jeremy	Marine Conservation Biology	Hopkins Marine Station	primary
	Grimes, Churchill	Fisheries	NOAA Fisheries Service (retired)	alternate
	Haddock, Steve	Deep-Sea Ecology	Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute	alternate
	Hunt, John †	Water Quality	University of California, Davis	primary
	Kudela, Raphael	Biological Oceanography	University of California, Santa Cruz	primary
	Lindholm, James *	Shelf & Slope Ecology	California State University Monterey Bay	primary
	Lindley, Steve	Estuarine Ecology	NOAA Fisheries Service	primary
	Micheli, Fiorenza	Marine Conservation Biology	Hopkins Marine Station	alternate
	Paull, Charles	Marine & Coastal Geology	Monterey Bay Aquarium Research Institute	alternate
	Pomeroy, Caroline	Social Sciences	California Sea Grant Extension Program	primary
	Ramp, Steve	Physical Oceanography	Soliton Ocean Services, Inc.	primary
	Scorse, Jason	Social Sciences	Monterey Institute of International Studies	alternate
	Sogard, Susan	Fisheries	NOAA Fisheries Service	primary
	Storlazzi, Curt	Marine & Coastal Geology	United States Geological Survey	primary
	Wasson, Kerstin	Estuarine Ecology	Elkhorn Slough NERR and Foundation	alternate
		Marine Policy		primary
		Nearshore Ecology		primary
		Shelf & Slope Ecology		alternate
		Water Quality		alternate

*Sanctuary Advisory Council Member: Research (Primary)

†Sanctuary Advisory Council Member: Research (Alternate)

RAP Coordinator:

Burton, Erica	Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary
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CONSENT ITEMS

09:00 – 09:10 Introductions/Modifications to the Agenda (Lindholm)

PRESENTATIONS REQUESTED BY RAP

09:10 – 09:40 Monterey Bay Aquarium (MBA) Conservation Science Research Update (Brendan Kelly/MBA)

- Presentation (20 min)
- RAP Discussion (10 min)

09:40 – 10:10 CeNCOOS Update: 5 year plan (David Anderson/ CeNCOOS Director)

- Presentation (20 min)
- RAP Discussion (10 min)

SANCTUARY ADVISORY COUNCIL UPDATE

10:10 – 10:25 Summary of February, April, and June SAC meetings (Hunt/Lindholm)

- Presentation (10 min)
- RAP Discussion (5 min)

BREAK

10:25 – 10:40

PRESENTATIONS REQUESTED BY RAP

10:40 – 11:00 Condition Report Update (DeVogelaere/MBNMS)

- Presentation (10 min)
- RAP Discussion (10 min)

11:00 – 11:15 Management Plan Update: Timeline and Scoping (Dawn Hayes/MBNMS)

- Presentation (5 min)
- RAP Discussion (10 min)

SANCTUARY RESEARCH UPDATE

11:15 – 11:30 NOAA Ship *Bell M. Shimada* cruise (DeVogelaere/Burton)

- Presentation (5 min)
- RAP Discussion (10 min)

HOST PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION

11:30 – 11:45 Collaborative Fisheries Research: Comparison of Trawl Impacts in Northern Monterey Bay (Lindholm)

- Presentation (5 min)
- RAP Discussion (10 min)

QUICK UPDATES ON NEW HIRES AT INSTITUTIONS; AND FACILITY UPDATES

11:45 – 11:55 RAP Discussion (10 min)

SUGGESTED FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

11:55 – 12:00 RAP Discussion (5 min)

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Future Agenda Items (running list):

- MBNMS Updates:
 - Sanctuary Ecologically Significant Areas (SESAs)
 - Integrated Ecosystem Assessment (IEA)
 - ~~Condition Report and Management Plan (scoping) Updates (per Hunt)~~
- Water Quality:
 - Follow-up to Hunt's WQ presentation (9/12/14), where does all the data go? Successful uses, shared capability, proper use of data (per Scorse); Roy Mendelson would be good speaker (per Lindley)
 - Ocean-based WQ presentation (per Hunt)
 - Elkhorn Slough Report Card:
http://www.elkhornslough.org/research/waterquality_reportcard.htm
- Leadership changes at Big NOAA, and how affects little NOAA (MBNMS)
- RAP Membership:
 - Revisit RAP member policies including representation: discipline vs institution; available at: http://montereybay.noaa.gov/sac/rap/history/rap_policies.html
- SAC Charter revision
- Acoustic and seismic surveys
 - Continuation of SAC resolution to ban seismic air gun surveys
 - Seismic testing off Connecticut (per Storlazzi)
 - Center of Excellence for acoustics in development at GFNMS, Leila Hatch (SBNMS) involved (per DeVogelaere)
 - Report-out on RAP review of acoustics paper "NOAA ocean and sound strategy"
- Speaker series on science (Oceans Live; *Your Sanctuary* TV)
- ~~New hire at Monterey Bay Aquarium, Brendan Kelly, Director of Conservation Research and Chief Scientist (per Lindholm);~~
<https://newsroom.montereybayaquarium.org/bios/brendan-kelly-director-of-conservation-research-and-chief-scientist>
- Proposed regulation changes relative to CDFW Scientific Collecting Permits

2015 RAP Meeting Schedule and Locations

Date	Host	Location
January 9	Lindholm	CSU Monterey Bay
March 13	Wasson	ESNERR – cancelled
May 8	Carr/Pomeroy	Long Marine Lab, UCSC – cancelled
July 10	Lindholm	CSU Monterey Bay
September 11	Scorse	Monterey Institute of International Studies
November 13	Cheriton/Storlazzi	U.S. Geological Survey

RAP Meeting Location (7/10/15):

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Divarty Street
California State University Monterey Bay
Seaside, CA

Campus Map: Directions available online.

<http://library.csumb.edu/maps-directions>

http://about.csumb.edu/sites/default/files/53/attachments/files/3939_general_campus_map_update_13_01.pdf

Parking and Fees: Due to construction on the new business building, Divarty Street is closed to thru traffic and parking lot 508 is also closed. We recommend you park in lots 13 and 19 across the street by the Science Center. Parking fees apply and there is a permit machine between the two lots. Visitor parking is \$1.00 per hour up to 3 hours or \$4.00 for a full day. There are yellow permit dispensers in each campus parking lot. Permit dispensers accept credit/debit cards as well as dollar bills.
