

**Potential Opportunities  
for Coastal Group Engagement with State Agencies  
March – December 2012**

The following list of potential projects and tasks that provide opportunities for input from and/or engagement of the coastal group. This is intended as an idea list that can be combined with other ideas and issues not specifically identified below that the group may wish to discuss or put on their work plan for the coming year. *Projects in italics are tentative.*

<b>Project</b>	<b>Outcome(s)</b>	<b>Timeframe</b>
State Strategy for Marine Spatial Planning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identify and analyze specific needs and options for supporting the planning process.</li> <li>• Prioritize and plan for any near-term or long-term funding opportunities.</li> </ul>	Spring-Fall: finish in September.
<i>Participatory Mapping Workshops (NOAA)</i>	<i>Series of human use “footprint” maps and GIS data for Washington’s marine waters.</i>	<i>Spring-Fall: Workshops must be done before end of September.</i>
<i>State work plan for implementing Washington’s Ocean Action Plan.</i>	<i>Revised work plan that captures multiple issues and activities of agencies.</i>	<i>Flexible</i>
Leaders Information Session on Marine Spatial Planning (1 day)	Build knowledge in broader coastal audience and with local leaders on Marine Spatial Planning concept and process for Washington.	Early May 2012 <i>One day between May 8-11?</i>
Hands-on Marine Spatial Planning 5-day training	Build skills and experience of resource managers, planners, and stakeholders in marine spatial planning process steps and tools.	Fall/Winter 2012: TBD <i>Week of October 22<sup>th</sup>?</i>