



Call Agenda

Call Time and Location

Friday, September 30, 2016 | 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Conference Call Number: 866-430-7034

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Call Objectives

- Hear about the Our Oceans conference and the national discussion on ocean acidification
- Share updates on 2017-19 biennium state ocean acidification budget requests
- Discuss development of an MRAC legislative strategy
- Preview of upcoming Blue Ribbon Panel refresh and how MRAC will be involved

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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>
10:10 a.m.	Recap of the Our Oceans conference	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Recap of the Our Oceans conference and implications for Washington State ▪ Launch of the Ocean Alliance website 	Jessie Turner <i>Cascadia Law Group</i>
10:20 a.m.	OA activities update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ MRAC members update on ocean acidification-related activities 	
10:30 a.m.	2017-19 biennium ocean acidification state budget requests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Review ocean acidification state budget requests ▪ Updates on decision packages 	Martha Kongsgaard
11:00 a.m.	MRAC legislative strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Discuss needs for legislative strategy to support ocean acidification requests 	Martha Kongsgaard
11:15 a.m.	Blue Ribbon Panel refresh	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Hear about the upcoming Blue Ribbon Panel, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Purpose and goals of the refresh ○ Initial planning decisions ○ How MRAC can participate 	Angie Thomson
11:30 a.m.	Adjourn		

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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