

GRAY'S REEF

GRAY'S REEF NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY - ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING

MAY 24, 2016 VIA WEBINAR only – to register go to: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3084177768992034051

<u>Agenda</u>

(All times are subject to possible adjustment)

- 10:00 AM Welcome, Introductions and Agenda Review Michael Denmark, Sanctuary Advisory Council Vice-chair; Sarah Fangman, Gray's Reef National Marine Sanctuary (GRNMS) Superintendent
 - Approve March 2016 Meeting Summary (council action) Michael Denmark
 - · Advisory Council Charter Becky Shortland
 - National Summit Follow-up climate change actions for the advisory council Climate change and the role of sanctuary advisory councils were topics of the National Sanctuary Advisory Council (AC) Summit in January and again on the April AC Chairs webinar attended by Michael Denmark. Discussion of the topic also occurred during the March 3, Gray's Reef AC meeting. This session will offer another opportunity to learn more about climate change in general, communicating the topic, as well as more discussion to consider a role for the Gray's Reef advisory council.
 - Recreational Fishing Working Group (possible council action) The council has been considering the benefits of establishing a recreational fishing working group. During the March meeting, council members requested a bit more information regarding other recreational fishing groups that exist. Becky Shortland will report on those findings and the council may choose to take action to establish the working group and select a chairperson.
 - Council Members' Report
 Ocean acidification workshop Olympic Coast Scott Noakes
 Soundscape Inventory Becky Shortland
 International Training Mary Conley and Sarah Fangman
 Recent SAFMC advisory panel meeting; effects of sound and seismic testing on fish Pat Geer
 Other items
 - GRNMS Foundation Update Chris Hines
 - Next Meeting
- 11:45 AM Public Comment
- 12:00 Noon Adjourn