



GRAY'S REEF NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY - ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING

NOVEMBER 8, 2016 VIA WEBINAR only – to register go to:

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Agenda

(All times are subject to possible adjustment)

- 10:00 AM Welcome, Roll Call, Introductions and Agenda Review – Rick DeVactor, Sanctuary Advisory Council Chair; Sarah Fangman, Gray's Reef National Marine Sanctuary (GRNMS) Superintendent
- Approve September 2016 Meeting Summary (council action) – Rick DeVactor
 - Climate Change (National Summit Follow-up) – Lauren Wenzel, Director National Marine Protected Areas (MPA) Center - "How can MPAs help address climate change"
This is an ongoing discussion regarding climate change. Today's session will explore how MPAs like Gray's Reef NMS offer a distinct advantage in addressing the impacts of climate change, by providing a focal area for management and science to reduce stressors, monitor conditions and trends, and engage the public.
 - Recreational Fishing Working Group – Tim Tarver
 - Resource Protection Program Evaluation
 - Presentations to ONMS leadership and other sanctuary sites – Sarah Fangman
 - Developing the new plan – Becky Shortland
 - Council Members' Report
 - NOAA Fisheries – Rick DeVactor
 - Tennessee Aquarium Conservation Institute new building – Anna George
 - Ecotourism and Gray's Reef – Mona Behl
 - GRNMS Report – Sarah Fangman 10 min
 - GRNMS Foundation Report – Vicki Weeks 10 min
 - Next Meetings (virtual, January 12; proposed - Social Values Survey Results; in-person March 2, 2017; Science Advisory Group March 1, 2017)
- 11:45 AM Public Comment
- 12:00 Noon Adjourn