

# Sanctuary Advisory Council Meeting



Friday, May 20, 2016

9:00 am – 3:15 pm

Santa Barbara Zoo, Discovery Pavilion<sup>1</sup>  
500 Ninos Drive · Santa Barbara, CA 93103

## DRAFT AGENDA

All times subject to possible adjustment. Public attendance and comment welcome<sup>2</sup>. Meeting materials may be accessed in advance of the meeting at: [http://channelislands.noaa.gov/sac/meeting\\_announcements.html](http://channelislands.noaa.gov/sac/meeting_announcements.html).

- 9:00-10:15AM 1. **Administrative Business and Announcements**
- A. Welcoming from Santa Barbara Zoo leadership
  - B. March 18, 2016 Draft Key Outcomes (Council Action Requested: Consideration of Adopting)
  - C. Sanctuary Superintendent's Report, by Chris Mobley (No Council Decision Requested)
  - D. Council Chair's Report: Recent Council Chairs National Conference Call (No Council Decision Requested)
  - E. Council Officer Elections (Council Action Requested)
    - Voting members can be nominated for council Chair, Vice Chair or Secretary; election to follow.
  - F. Council Member Announcements (No Council Decision Requested)
- 10:15-11:00AM 2. **Navy Point Mugu Sea Range Operations**
- Informational presentation about the Navy's Point Mugu Sea Range, by John Ugoretz (Marine Resources Manager, San Nicolas Island, NAVAIR Ranges Sustainability Office)
  - Council questions and discussion.
- 11:00-11:45AM 3. **Ship Strike Risk in the Santa Barbara Channel Region** (No Council Action Requested)
- Jessica V. Redfern (Program Leader, Marine Mammal Spatial Habitat and Risk Program (SHARP), NOAA Southwest Fisheries Science Center) will present preliminary findings from a ship strike risk analysis.
  - Council questions and discussion.
- 11:45-12:00AM 4. **Public Comment** (1st of 2) (may be extended by discretion of the Chair, or used as a break)
- 12:00-12:15PM 5. **Ocean Acidification** (No Council Decision Requested)
- Brief updates from Laura Francis, CINMS Education Coordinator, on advancements in ocean acidification education and communications, including new developments coming out of the recent *Ocean in a High CO2 World Symposium*.
  - Council Questions.
- 12:15-1:15PM **LUNCH BREAK**
- 1:15-2:00PM 6. **Marine Shipping Working Group Report** (Possible Council Action)
- Discussion about council handling of Marine Shipping Working Group final report.
  - Possible council action: council decision regarding forwarding of MSWG report.

<sup>1</sup> See bottom of next page for driving directions, parking information, and zoo entrance details. Carpooling encouraged.

<sup>2</sup> Members of the public may address the council during the two designated public comment periods on the agenda. In addition, the Chair may allow public comment during other agenda items, following council discussion, if comments are related to the issue at hand, and as time allows. Please raise your hand and wait to be recognized by the Chair.

- 2:00-2:30PM      7. **Project Overview: Archaeological and Biological Assessment of Submerged Landforms (No Council Decision Requested)**
- Representatives from the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM) and/or San Diego State University (SDSU) will present on a planned study of submerged landforms. (See online fact sheet: <http://www.boem.gov/PC-14-04-Fact-Sheet/>)
  - Council Questions.
- 2:30-2:45PM      8. **Public Comment (2nd of 2)** (may be extended at the discretion of the Chair or used as a break).
- 2:45-3:10PM      9. **Working Group Reports (No Council Decisions Requested)**  
Brief reports/announcements from active sub-groups:
- A. **Channel Islands Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) on Enforcement**
  - B. **Research Activities Panel** (Bob Warner or Mark Steele)
  - C. **Marketing Subcommittee** (Michael Cohen)
  - D. **Sanctuary Education Team** (Amanda Allen or Cliff Rodrigues)
  - E. **Recreational Fishing Working Group** (Capt. David Bacon)
  - F. **Commercial Fishing Working Group** (Stephanie Mutz or John Hoadley)
  - G. **Conservation Working Group** (Kristi Birney or Greg Helms)
  - H. **Chumash Community Working Group** (Luhui Isha Ward, Mati Waiya)
- 3:10-3:15PM      10. **Meeting Close-Out (No Council Action Requested)**
- Upcoming 2016 Advisory Council Meetings:
    - Friday, July 15 – Oxnard; Friday, September 16 - Santa Barbara; Friday, November 18 – Ventura
- 3:00PM            **ADJOURN**

**DIRECTIONS\*: Santa Barbara Zoo, Discovery Pavilion, 500 Ninos Drive, Santa Barbara, CA**

Coming northbound on U.S. 101 to Santa Barbara:

- 1) Take the Cabrillo Blvd exit, EXIT94C, on the left.
- 2) Turn LEFT onto E Cabrillo Blvd., proceed for 0.89 miles
- 3) Turn right onto Ninos Drive -- the entrance to Santa Barbara Zoo will be on your right.

Coming southbound on U.S. 101 to Santa Barbara:

- 1) Exit on MILPAS Street
- 2) Turn RIGHT onto MILPAS Street (headed south *toward the ocean*) for approximately ¼ mile
- 3) Turn LEFT on Calle Puerto Vallarta (this becomes Por la Mar Drive)
- 4) The road will curve to the right, becoming Ninos Drive.
- 5) The entrance to Santa Barbara Zoo will be on your left.

**PARKING:**

- Free parking is available at the zoo. If there is an attendant at the parking lot gate, tell them you are here for the Sanctuary Advisory Council meeting.

**ZOO ENTRANCE and MEETING ROOM LOCATION:**

- Inform the entrance gate staff that you are attending the Sanctuary Advisory Council meeting in the Discovery Pavilion. There should be no admission fee requested.
- The Discovery Pavilion is a short walk from the entrance – proceed straight ahead, passing the gift shop on your left and the restaurant on your right – the Pavilion will be on your left.
- Zoo map: [http://www.sbzoo.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/02/ZooMaponly\\_11x14\\_1113\\_web.pdf](http://www.sbzoo.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/02/ZooMaponly_11x14_1113_web.pdf)

\* *Carpooling encouraged. The Santa Barbara Zoo is a smoke-free facility.*