

Channel Islands National Marine Sanctuary Advisory Council  
Marine Shipping Working Group  
List of Working Group Members & Technical Experts

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**Working Group Members**

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Channel Islands National Marine Sanctuary (CINMS) staff will support the working group, including: Superintendent Chris Mobley, Deputy Superintendent Michael Murray, Resource Protection Coordinator Sean Hastings, and California Sea Grant Fellow Morgan Visalli.

The CINMS and SAC process for formalizing participation on a working group began with sending an invitation to each identified participant at the onset of the Working Group.<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Examples of the invitation letter can be provided upon request.