

# Oregon Ocean Policy Advisory Council

## Draft Meeting Summary – December 8, 2016

### Issues Decided/Positions Taken

- The Draft Meeting Summary of the June 13, 2016 Ocean Policy Advisory Council (OPAC) was approved by consensus without edits.
- The Council held elections for the Chair, Vice-Chair, and at-large Executive Committee Member. The Council chose by consensus to re-elect the existing OPAC members in their officer positions, specifically: Chair, Scott McMullen; Vice-Chair, David Allen; and the at-large Executive Committee Member, Jena Carter.
- The Council approved to support, by consensus, the interim draft of the Oregon Marine Debris Action Plan (Dated Nov 29<sup>th</sup>, 2016), and agrees to forward the document to Governor's office for further review and consideration.
- The Council approved by consensus a statement of support on funding from all entities for implementation of the Oregon Marine Debris Plan.

Note: The OPAC letter to the Governor, sent Jan 6, 2017, regarding the Oregon Marine Debris Action Plan has been added as an addendum to this meeting summary.

### Presentations

- *John Hansen*, West Coast Regional Planning Body Coordinator, provided an update following the inaugural meeting of the RPB in October, 2016.
- *Charlie Plybon and Nir Barnea*, provided OPAC a briefing on the Marine Debris Workshop planning.
- *Cristen Don* provided an update on the marine reserves program activities at the Otter Rock marine reserve.
- *Kreg Lindberg* provided a presentation on the socio-economic research associated with the marine reserves program.
- *Andy Lanier* provided a briefing on the TSP Rocky Shores Inventory work group effort.
- *Shelby Walker* provided an update on the activities of the ad-hoc working group.
- *Louise Solliday* provided an update on the Ocean Science Trust rulemaking activities.

### OPAC Members Attendance

Members Present (voting): **David Allen** (Coastal City Official, OPAC vice-chair); **Jena Carter** (Statewide Conservation or Environmental Organization); **Walter Chuck** (Ports, Marine Transportation, Navigation); **Jaime Fereday** (Coastal Public At-Large); **Meagan Flier** (Oregon Coast Indian Tribes); **Loren Goddard** (Oregon Coastal Zone Management Association); **Robin Hartmann** (Coastal Conservation or Environmental Organization); **John Holloway** (North Coast Charter, Sport or Recreational Fisheries); **Scott McMullen** (North Coast Commercial Fisheries, OPAC Chair); **Jim Pex** (South Coast Charter, Sport or Recreational Fisheries); **Charlie Plybon** (Coastal Non-Fishing Recreation); **Terry Thompson** (North Coastal County Commissioner); [12/15]

Members Absent: **Brad Pettinger** (South Coast Commercial Fisheries); **Jonathan Allan**, (Department of Geology and Mineral Industries); **Susan Morgan** (South Coastal County Commissioner)

Members Present (ex officio): **Caren Braby** (Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife); **Jason Miner** (Office of the Governor); **Patty Snow** (Department of Land Conservation & Development); **Gerry Hutson** (Department of State Lands); **Laurel Hillmann** (OPRD); **Jennifer Purcell** (Department of Environmental Quality)[6/11]

Staff: **Andy Lanier** (DLCD, OPAC Staff); **Dave Fox** (ODFW); **Tommy Swearingen** (ODFW); **Brittany Huntington** (ODFW), **Jessica Watson** (ODFW); **Kelsey Adkisson** (ODFW); **Daniel Sund** (ODFW); **Lorinda DeHaan** (DLCD, OPAC Staff); **Steve Shipsey** (Department of Justice).

### **Public Comment and Attendance**

Public Comment speakers (with affiliation if provided): **Ryan Cruse** (Surfrider);

- Others in Attendance (with affiliation if provided): **Adele Dawson** (Surfrider); **Jan Hodder** (Oregon Institute of Marine Biology, U of O); **John Hansen** (West Coast RPB Coordinator); **Jamie Doyle** (Sea Grant); **Jason Busch** (Oregon Wave Energy Trust); **Ryan Cruse** (Surfrider); **Lisa Wallace** (Surfrider); **Debra Edwards** (Surfrider); **Jon Tipple** (Surfrider); **Linda Serbus** (Surfrider); **Vince Pappalardo** (Surfrider); **Jaytuk Steinruck** (Tolowa Deeni Nation); **Louise Solliday** (Oregon Ocean Science Trust); **Brittany Hornung** (Surfrider); Sara Guiltinan (Bureau of Ocean Energy Management); **Robert Hayden**; **Ben Entiknap**; **Jessica Keys**; **Mark Brennan** (Siuslaw News)

Acronyms and Initials:

DLCD-Department of Land Conservation and Development; DOGAMI- Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries; DSL- Department of State Lands; OMD – Oregon Military Department; ODFW- Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife; OPRD-Oregon Department of Parks and Recreation; DOJ – Department of Justice; FACT-Fishermen’s Advisory Committee of Tillamook, WCGA – West Coast Governors Alliance; TNC – The Nature Conservancy; RPB – Regional Planning Body

### **Distributed Materials**

1. OPAC April 5, 2016 - Draft Meeting Summary
2. Oregon Ocean Science Trust Memo
3. Oregon Ocean Science Trust Summit Draft Report
4. Marine Debris Draft Action Plan
5. Territorial Sea Plan Working Group Memo
6. OPAC OA Ad-hoc Work Group Update

### **Additional Resources**

1. [Department of Land Conservation and Development Website](http://www.oregon.gov/lcd/) (<http://www.oregon.gov/lcd/> )
2. [OPAC Website](http://www.oregon.gov/LCD/OPAC): (<http://www.oregon.gov/LCD/OPAC>)

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Kate Brown, Governor

January 6, 2017

Governor Kate Brown  
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RE: Oregon Marine Debris Action Plan

Governor Brown,

At the December 8, 2016 meeting of Oregon's Ocean Policy Advisory Council, OPAC heard a report from our Marine Debris Exploratory Working Group on its activities and on a draft action plan regarding marine debris. The working group has been working with the Pacific NW Regional Coordinator for NOAA's Marine Debris Program to develop an action plan that addresses current and future needs for addressing marine debris in Oregon. I have included a copy of Draft 4 of that plan, which is still being revised. The purpose of the Oregon Marine Debris Action Plan is to facilitate collaborative and effective actions to prevent and reduce the adverse impacts of marine debris in Oregon.

Oregon's Ocean Policy Advisory Council encourages the State of Oregon and all of its agencies to support securing funding from Federal, State or private entities to implement the Oregon Marine Debris Action Plan.

Respectfully,

Scott McMullen, Chair

Enc.: The Oregon Marine Debris Action Plan (Interim Draft 4 Reorganized)

CC via email:

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