Oregon Territorial Sea Plan

Rocky Shores Management Strategy Update - Data Call

March 26, 2018



<u>Background</u>: The Oregon Coastal Management Program, in partnership with Oregon's Ocean Policy Advisory Council (OPAC) is currently seeking data and information to help with the update of the Rocky Shores Management Strategy. The strategy is the 3rd chapter of Oregon's Territorial Sea Plan (TSP) which provides an overarching framework to coordinate management of Oregon's rocky intertidal habitats. The update process requires a review of the resources inventory information available for management decision making, focused on the nearshore intertidal species, habitats, and human uses occurring along Oregon's coast. A data call is being issued to solicit new information to be considered during the update process.

Learn more about the

<u>TSP Rocky Shores update</u> and <u>view current data catalogs</u> at <u>www.OregonOcean.info</u>

Duration of Data Call

March 26, 2018 – June 1, 2018

Types of Data

Natural resources and human uses related data and information are the most important information to be considered as part of the plan amendment process. Information provided should have a geospatial (location) information component, and full documentation on the methods used in its generation. The type of information submitted may vary from existing published reports or surveys, to observational data, or other analyses. We are specifically looking for data and information that will increase Oregon's understanding of the changes to the natural and human dimensions at rocky shore sites since the TSP was first adopted in 1994.

Use and Documentation of Data

Incorporating up-to-date information will better the success of management along our coast, increasing the sustainability of these iconic natural areas into the future. Data selected for use as part of the Rocky Shores Management Strategy Update will be made public as a part of the process. However, the provider will maintain the ability to decide the conditions for its sharing and distribution. Further, all data that is received for this update will remain the property of the publisher and will be cited throughout the process.

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