

Northwestern Hawaiian Islands Coral Reef Ecosystem Reserve

RESERVE ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING

Daniel K. Inouye International Airport Interisland Conference Center

Conference Room 2 Kamani

Wednesday, March 20, 2019 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Video Conference: meet.google.com/ddi-auec-chh Teleconference: (US)+1 406-840-4539 PIN: 935-127#

AGENDA

8:30 Coffee and Talk Story	8:30	Coffee an	d Talk Story
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- 9:00 Welcome (Paul)
 - Opening protocol (Staff)
 - Roll call; Introductions; review & approval of agenda (Paul)
 - Review & approval of October 11, 2018 meeting minutes (Paul)
 - Brief review & summary of previous issues, action items, and status

In Progress

- o RAC/SAC Action: Letter to ONMS Director John Armor regarding EOs 13792 and 13795 (on hold)
- ONMS Action: Sanctuary designation and monument management plan (on hold)
- o State of Hawai'i action: Keep RAC informed on 30x30 Initiative throughout process.
- ONMS Action: Keep RAC informed of NFWF funding and activities.
- o NMFS Action: Keep RAC informed of any changes to the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act
- o USFWS Action: The RAC requests an update on funding and ability to maintain Henderson Airfield on Midway Atoll
- o Fall 2018/Winter 2019 Recruitment

9:45 Monument Co-Trustee/Management Agency Update/Highlights

- NOAA (ONMS/NMFS) reports (Clark and Ka'aekuahiwi-Pousima)
- State of Hawai'i (DAR) reports (Carnevale)
- USFWS (Refuges/ES) report (Toniolo and Polhemus)
- OHA report (Lindsey)
- Update on Enforcement activities (Roberts and Jim On)

11:00 Break

- 11:15 Briefings and Discussion of Potential Actions
 - Access to Monument for management operations and research
- 12:00 Public Comment
- 12:15 Lunch
- 1:00 Updates and Presentations
 - Council Vice-Chair election
 - Science Symposium Report (Martinez/ONMS)
 - Marine Debris Presentation (NMFS)
 - Hawaiian Monk Seal and Hawaiian Green Sea Turtle Updates (Littnan/NMFS)
- 1:45 Action Item: Access to Monument for management operations and research
- 2:30 RAC Work Plans (Clark and Evans)
- 3:15 Public Comment
- 3:30 Pau