



**GREATER FARALLONES NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY  
ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING**

Friday, December 15, 2023

9:00am – 4:30pm PT

Hybrid Meeting<sup>1</sup>

The Red Barn Classroom, Point Reyes National Seashore  
75 Bear Valley Road, Point Reyes Station, CA 94956 and Google Meet

**DRAFT AGENDA<sup>23</sup>**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Lead</b>
9:00-9:45	GFNMS Advisory Council Business <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Welcome, roll call, and review agenda</li> <li>- <b>Action item:</b> Approve July meeting highlights</li> <li>- Council officer elections</li> <li>- Council recruitment update</li> <li>- Member reports</li> </ul>	<b>George Clyde,</b> GFNMS Secretary <b>Tishma Patel,</b> Council Coordinator
9:45-10:30	Greater Farallones and Cordell Bank National Marine Sanctuaries Superintendent's Report	<b>Maria Brown,</b> GFNMS/CBNMS
10:30-10:40	Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary Superintendent's Report	<b>Lisa Wooninck,</b> MBNMS
10:40-10:50	<b>BREAK and take a group photo</b>	<b>Tishma Patel</b>
10:50-11:00	<b>PUBLIC COMMENT</b>	<b>Tishma Patel</b>
11:00-11:45	<b>Presentation Update on Pacific Fisheries Management Committee (PFMC) Action and GFNMS Deep Sea Coral Research and Restoration Sites</b>  <b>Potential Action Item:</b> Deep Sea Coral Research and Restoration Sites	<b>Karen Reyna,</b> Resource Protection Coordinator
11:45-12:45	<b>LUNCH</b> (provided to council members and presenters)	
12:45-2:15	<b>Action Item:</b> Rocky Shores <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Review of current activities, regulations, and recommendations for upcoming management plan review</li> <li>- Recommendations requested from members of the GFNMS Advisory Council</li> </ul>	<b>GFNMS/CBNMS Staff</b>
2:15-2:45	<b>Presentation Review of ACCESS Project: 20 years of offshore monitoring</b>	<b>Dani Lipski,</b> Research Ecologist

<sup>1</sup> See page 3 for venue address and online joining instructions

<sup>2</sup> The councils may take action on any of the above items on the agenda. Times of agenda items are subject to change. Public comment period will remain as advertised.

<sup>3</sup> Meeting materials will be available at [https://farallones.noaa.gov/manage/sac\\_meetings.html](https://farallones.noaa.gov/manage/sac_meetings.html)

	<b>Action Item:</b> Joint GFNMS and CBNMS Advisory Council Letter of Support for ACCESS	<b>Jaime Jahncke,</b> California Current Director, Point Blue Conservation Science
2:45-2:55	<b>BREAK</b>	
2:55-4:25	<b>Action Item:</b> Kelp Forest <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Review of current activities, regulations, and recommendations for upcoming management plan review</li> <li>- Recommendations requested from members of the GFNMS Advisory Council</li> </ul>	<b>GFNMS/CBNMS Staff</b>
4:25	<b>WRAP UP &amp; ADJOURN</b>	George Clyde

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### To join in person:

- This meeting will be held in-person at The Red Barn Classroom, 75 Bear Valley Road, Point Reyes Station, CA 94956. Please arrive at least 10 minutes early to allow time for parking.

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+1 669-220-6157  
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- *Registration requested.* To register to provide a verbal comment during the meeting or to submit a written comment to be read aloud to the council, please complete this form: <https://forms.gle/oLPt91dcH7p7Z1sw5> by December 14 at 5:00pm PT.
- Members of the public will remain in ***LISTEN ONLY*** mode throughout the meeting, except  
for during public comment from 10:50-11:00am PT.

Requests for meeting materials related to items on this agenda and general questions can be directed to Council Coordinator, Tishma Patel, at [tishma.patel@noaa.gov](mailto:tishma.patel@noaa.gov).

## **Directions to The Red Barn Classroom**

75 Bear Valley Road, Point Reyes Station, CA 94956

### FROM SAN FRANCISCO

From San Francisco, go north on U.S. Highway 101 across the Golden Gate Bridge. Follow U.S. 101 about 9 miles (14 km) north of the Golden Gate Bridge to the Sir Francis Drake-San Anselmo exit, exit 450B. Make sure you are in the lane for San Anselmo (the second lane from the right) and exit onto Sir Francis Drake Boulevard heading west. Follow Sir Francis Drake west approximately 21 miles (33 km)—passing through San Anselmo, Fairfax and Samuel P. Taylor State Park—until it intersects with Highway 1 at Olema. Turn right on Highway 1 and proceed north about 0.1 miles (0.2 km) to the intersection with Bear Valley Road. Turn left onto Bear Valley Road. After turning onto Bear Valley Road, and head west about 1/2 mile (0.8 km). Look for a big red barn on the left and a sign for "Visitor Center; Headquarters; Information" on the right with an arrow pointing left. Turn left after passing by the red barn, and proceed up the two-lane, paved driveway toward the Bear Valley Visitor Center. You will see the Red Barn on the left and after about 0.1 miles, there is a brown road sign pointing left to the Red Barn Classroom. Turn left onto the gravel driveway and proceed across the bridge to the parking lot. The Red Barn Classroom is on the end closest to this parking lot.

### FROM THE EAST BAY

Follow Interstate 580 west across the Richmond-San Rafael Bridge. Shortly after the bridge, take the Sir Francis Drake Blvd. exit (the second exit after the bridge). Follow Sir Francis Drake west approximately 22 miles (35 km)—passing through San Anselmo, Fairfax and Samuel P. Taylor State Park—until it intersects with Highway 1 at Olema. Turn right on Highway 1 and proceed north about 0.1 miles (0.2 km) to the intersection with Bear Valley Road. Turn left onto Bear Valley Road, and head west about 1/2 mile (0.8 km). Look for a big red barn on the left and a sign for "Visitor Center; Headquarters; Information" on the right with an arrow pointing left. Turn left after passing by the red barn, and proceed up the two-lane, paved driveway toward the Bear Valley Visitor Center. You will see the Red Barn on the left and after about 0.1 miles, there is a brown road sign pointing left to the Red Barn Classroom. Turn left onto the gravel driveway and proceed across the bridge to the parking lot. The Red Barn Classroom is on the end closest to this parking lot.

### FROM PETALUMA

From Highway 101, take the East Washington Street exit in Petaluma. Follow East Washington Street southwest about 0.6 miles (1 km) to Lakeville Street. Turn left and proceed southeast one block to D Street. Turn right onto D Street, which will become the Point Reyes-Petaluma Road, and head southwest for about 16 miles (25 km) to the junction with Platform Bridge Road. Continue straight onto Platform Bridge Road and wind your way south for 2.4 miles (3.8 km) to the junction with Sir Francis Drake Boulevard. Turn right onto Sir Francis Drake Boulevard and drive west for 1.8 miles (2.9 km) to the intersection with Highway 1 at Olema. Turn right on Highway 1 and proceed north about 0.1 miles (0.2 km) to the intersection with Bear Valley Road. Turn left onto Bear Valley Road, and head west about 1/2 mile (0.8 km). Look for a big red barn on the left and a sign for "Visitor Center; Headquarters; Information" on the right with an arrow

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**GFNMS ADVISORY COUNCIL  
NON-GOVERNMENT SEATS**

**Commercial Fishing**

**Sarah Bates/Primary**  
**Richard Ogg/Alternate**

**Community-at-Large San Francisco/San Mateo**

**Bart Selby/Primary**  
**Vacant/Alternate**

**Community-at-Large Marin**

**George Clyde/Primary**  
**Richard James/Alternate**

**Community at-Large Mendocino/Sonoma**

**Steve Tubbs/Primary**  
**Vacant/Alternate**

**Conservation**

**Francesca Koe/Primary**  
**Kathi George/Primary**  
**Scott Artis/Alternate**  
**Vacant/Alternate**

**Education**

**Bibit Traut (Vice Chair)/Primary**  
**Mary Miller/Alternate**

**Maritime Activities - Commercial**

**Jacqueline Moore/Primary**  
**Kai Martin/Alternate**

**Maritime Activities - Recreation**

**Mark Bartolini/Primary**  
**Peter Molnar/Alternate**

**Research**

**Jaime Jahncke/Primary**  
**Ellen Hines/Alternate**

**Youth**

**Amelia King/Primary**  
**Vacant/Alternate**

**GFNMS ADVISORY COUNCIL  
GOVERNMENT SEATS**

**California Department of Natural Resources**

**Jenn Eckerle/Primary**  
**Abby Mohan/Alternate**

**National Marine Fisheries Service**

**Jennifer Boyce/Primary**  
**Vacant/Alternate**

**National Park Service**

**Craig Kenkel/Primary**  
**Ben Becker/Alternate**

**U.S. Coast Guard**

**LTJG Nazere Jones/Primary**  
**Vacant/Alternate**

**U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service**

**Matthew Brown/Primary**  
**Gerry McChesney/Alternate**

**Channel Islands National Marine Sanctuary**

**Chris Mobley/Primary**  
**Mike Murray/Alternate**

**Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary**

**Lisa Wooninck/Primary**  
**Dawn Hayes/Alternate**

**Greater Farallones and Cordell Bank  
National Marine Sanctuaries**

**Maria Brown/Superintendent**  
**Brian Johnson/Deputy Superintendent**