

DRAFT Agenda
Marine Protected Areas Federal Advisory Committee
National Science Foundation
4121 Wilson Boulevard, Room 555
Arlington, Virginia
April 24 - 26 2007

Tuesday, April 24

- 8:00 Sign-In by All Participants
- 8:30 Call to Order
- 8:35 Committee Business
- Approval of Minute of October 2006 meeting
 - Approval of Minutes of February 2007 conference call
 - Review of Agenda
 - Election of Parliamentarian
- 9:00 Ocean Conservation in the 21st Century
The Honorable Sam Farr (California)
- 9:30 Ocean Science at NSF: Applications to MPAs and Ecosystem Approaches to Management
Dr. Julie Morris, Director of the Division of Ocean Sciences
- 10:00 FAC/Public Comments on Draft Framework and Next Steps – *Joseph Uravitch and Jonathan Kelsey, MPA Center*
- 10:30 Break
- 10:45 Chair's Direction to Ad Hoc Subcommittees
- Subcommittee A: Developing Categories for the National System
 - Subcommittee B: Developing Management Criteria
 - Subcommittee C: Prioritizing Conservation Objectives – Natural Heritage
 - Subcommittee D: Prioritizing Conservation Objectives – Cultural Heritage
 - Subcommittee E: Prioritizing Conservation Objectives – Sustainable Production
- 11:00 Ad Hoc Subcommittees Meet
- 12:00 Working Lunch
- 1:30 Ad Hoc Subcommittees Reports and Committee Feedback
- 3:00 Break
- 3:15 Subcommittees Meet
- 4:15 Public Comment
- 5:00 Adjourn

Wednesday, April 25

8:00 Call to Order

8:05 Recap of Ad Hoc Subcommittee Status

8:15 Ad Hoc Subcommittees Meet

10:00 Break

10:15 Ad Hoc Subcommittee Reports and Committee Feedback/Action

11:45 Working Lunch

Presentation and Discussion on a Future Vision for Coastal Management – *Donna Wieting, Deputy Director, NOAA's Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management*

2:00 Recess / Travel Time to Capitol Hill

6:00-8:00 Reception (Russell Senate Office Building, Room 253)

Thursday, April 26

8:00 Call to Order

8:05 Public Comment

9:05 Ad Hoc Subcommittees Meet

10:00 Break

10:15 Ad Hoc Subcommittee Reports and Committee Feedback/Action

12:00 Lunch

1:00 Ad Hoc Subcommittee Reports and Committee Feedback/Action

3:00 Break

3:15 Regroup in Standing Subcommittees & Identify Workplan through October 2007 Committee Meeting

- Subcommittee 1: Identifying Regional Priorities for Conservation
- Subcommittee 2: Incentives and Implementation for an Effective National System of MPAs
- Subcommittee 3: MPA Natural and Social Science

4:15 Reports from Standing Subcommittees

4:40 Committee Business

- Follow up for next meeting
- Logistics for next meeting
- Other items

5:00 Adjourn