



MARINE RESOURCES COMMITTEE DRAFT AGENDA

Scheduled for: **June 6, 2019**
 Time: **5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.**
 Place: **PW Civic Building, Garden Level Conference Room**

1.		Introductions
2.	5:00	June Agenda Action: Modify and approve agenda as needed. New business can be added if necessary.
3.		May Meeting Summary Action: Review and approve summaries as final.
4.		Public Comment Period
5.	5:10	Forage Fish in the Southern Salish Sea: Todd Sandell, PhD., Senior Forage Fish Biologist, Puget Sound Marine Fish Science Unit Objective: Dr. Todd Sandell will provide an overview of the “big 3” forage fish and their importance to the marine ecosystem, current trends in Pacific herring, and the latest news on Cherry Point herring and their recovery challenges.
6.	6:10	MRC Storytelling: Tarrell Kullaway, Northwest Straits Foundation Objective: Discuss ways to build and share personal MRC stories. Follow up from 2018 MRC Conference.
7.	6:40	Staff Update: Presentation to the NWSC, Bellingham SeaFeast, Drayton Harbor Cleanup, Grant Proposals *REMINDER – No meeting in July*
8.	6:45	MRC Subcommittee Updates: Olympia oyster monitoring update, Speaker Series, NWSC, Advisory, County Council
9.	6:55	MRC Partner Committee Updates: WWIN, Salmon Recovery, Port of Bellingham, BBAT
10.	6:55	Review Action Items and Adjourn

Upcoming Events:

- **Boulevard Park intertidal survey training** – Saturday, June 1st, 12 – 4pm, Co-Op Bakery Healthy Connections classroom.
- **Boulevard Park intertidal survey** – Monday, June 3 @ 10:30am (early bird at 9:30) and Tuesday, June 4 @10:30am (early bird at 9:30).
- **What’s the Point** – Saturday, June 15, 9am-1pm, Point Whitehorn Marine Reserve. For more information go to whatcomlandtrust.org or www.facebook.com/pg/CPARCitizen/events
- ***Speaker Series Event*** **North Puget Sound Geographic Response Plan Update, Department of Ecology** – Thursday, August 1, 5-6pm, Civic Annex Building, Garden Level Conference Room. More details coming soon!