

North Coast Local Interest Marine Protected Area (MPA) Workgroup Meeting

Humboldt Bay Harbor, Recreation and Conservation District
601 Startare Drive, Eureka, CA 95501 (Woodley Island)
Monday, May 11, 2009
2:00 – 4:00 pm

Meeting Purpose: *The Humboldt Bay Harbor, Recreation and Conservation District is forming a North Coast Local Interest MPA Work Group. The Work Group will facilitate coordination of interested entities within the State's Marine Life Protection Act (MLPA) Initiative North Coast Study Region. The purpose of this meeting will be to develop a common understanding of the MLPA Initiative, discuss the roles of local agencies, and discuss processes for nominating regional stakeholders and developing external MPA proposals. The meeting is open to the public.*

AGENDA

1. Introductions
2. Meeting Overview (Adam Wagschal)
3. General Overview of the MLPA Initiative (Adam Wagschal)
4. MLPA Initiative Observations and Expectations (Jim Martin)
5. Roles of Local Agencies (Elected Officials and Agency Staff)
6. Discuss Selection of Regional Stakeholders
7. Discuss Development of External MPA Proposals
8. Action Items
9. Establish Meeting Frequency

Note: The meeting room is wheelchair accessible. Accommodations and access to Harbor District meetings for people with other handicaps must be requested of the Director of Administrative Services at 443-0801 five (5) working days in advance of the meeting.