



Jefferson County Marine Resources Committee Vacancies (Dec 2020)

The Jefferson County Marine Resources Committee (MRC) is seeking to fill the following volunteer positions on the MRC:

- **District 1 Representative** (See district map below)
- **District 1 Alternate**
- **District 3 Alternate**

About the Jefferson County Marine Resources Committee



The MRC is a project-based, volunteer advisory group appointed by the Jefferson County Board of County Commissioners (BoCC). MRC members represent the diverse interests of the community, including the three Commissioner Districts, Tribal and local government, as well as environmental, marine science, commercial, and recreational interests. Our work is focused on the marine waters of East Jefferson County and nearly 200 miles of shoreline from Gardiner to Brinnon. We work on addressing issues related to marine life, habitats, and water quality by advising the BoCC and through science-based actions,

stewardship projects and public outreach.

The Jefferson MRC is one of seven MRCs that are part of the Northwest Straits Initiative through which it receives support for projects that reflect local priorities. Our current projects focus on stormwater & rain gardens, native Olympia oyster restoration, eelgrass protection, kelp and forage fish monitoring, sustainable harvesting practices, and nearshore restoration. For more information about the MRC and our projects, visit www.jeffersonmrc.org.

For Applicants

Applicants should have demonstrated interest, experience and/or affiliation with marine- and shoreline-related activities, organizations or businesses. The following are of particular interest: familiarity with water quality issues, communication skills, maritime trades or marine-related businesses, and restoration/conservation practitioner experience and educational interests.

MRC members serve four-year terms and must commit to attending monthly meetings (currently held virtually), participate in project work groups, review and respond to emerging issues, maintain email correspondence between meetings, and respect diverse views. Alternates for each position participate in all MRC meetings, discussions and activities and vote on issues only when the Representative for that position is absent.

Applicants must submit: (1) a resume, (2) letter of interest, and (3) an application form by **January 15, 2021**. For more information, contact Monica Montgomery at monica.montgomery1@wsu.edu. Thank you for your interest.

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