



Jefferson County  
**Marine  
Resources  
Committee**

**Tues, May 7, 2024  
6:00-8:00PM  
In-Person Meeting  
WSU Classroom (97 Oak Bay Rd)**

**MEETING AGENDA**

**Officers/Executive  
Committee:**

Gordon King, Chair  
Betsy Carlson, Vice Chair  
Jeff Taylor, NWSC Rep  
Sarah Fisksen, NWSC Alt

**MRC Members:**

Janette Mestre, District 1  
Brad Bebout, District 1  
Timothy Behrenfeld, Dist 1 Alt  
Brenda Johnson, District 2  
Jeff Taylor, District 2  
Frank Handler, District 2 Alt  
Sarah Fisksen, District 3  
Joanie Hendricks, District 3  
Tim Cross, District 3 Alt  
Betsy Carlson, Envir/Conserv  
Bryan DeCaterina, Env/Cons Alt  
Carol Hasse, Port of PT  
Gordon King, Commercial  
Emily Buckner, Marine Science  
Christopher Kelley, Marine Sci Alt  
Heidi Eisenhour, BoCC  
Troy McKelvey, Recreation  
Roy Clark, Recreation Alt  
Judy Surber, City of PT  
i Neil Harrington, Tribal

**Staff:**

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- 6:00** Call to Order & Introductions
- 6:05** Amendments to/ Approval of Agenda  
Amendments to/ Approval of February 2024 Minutes
- 6:08** Public Comment
- 6:10** **Guest Speakers:** Darby Flanagan- WDFW -status of Pinto Abalone populations and efforts
- 6:50** **Port Update**
- 6:55** **BoCC Update**
- 7:00** **Recent Meeting Reports & Issue Updates**  
NWSC April Meeting Update (Jeff)  
Strait ERN -Bob  
DEI update-Contract Consultant -Neil/Emily
- 7:05** **Administrative Updates**
- ï MRC Staff Hiring Subcommittee (Bob 5 min)
  - ï Local Youth Representative Discussion (Emily - 5 min)
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- 7:20** **Current and New Project Updates**
- ï Forage Fish (Dabob-Sarah)
  - ï Education & Outreach (Joanie)
  - ï Olympia Oysters (Neil)
  - ï Kelp (Emily)
  - ï Eelgrass buoys Troy)
  - ï Rain Gardens (Bob/Jeanette)
  - ï Remote Imaging (Chris Kelly)
- 7:47** Public Comment
- 7:50** Call for Future Agenda Topics/Speakers
- 7:52** MRC Member Roundtable/ Announcements
- 8:00** Adjourn

## Upcoming Meetings & Events:

May 19

REEF is holding a Fish ID training and then diving on the Point Hudson Jetty on May 19th 8am - 1pm. Registration portal: Jetty dive and REEF fish training May 19 Pt Hudson Pavillion, 8am -1pm: <https://www.wascuba.org/event-details/port-townsend-fish-count>

May 7, Jefferson MRC Meeting 6-8 pm WSU Classroom (97 Oak Bay Rd)

May 10, Searching for Seaweed workshop

May 25, Tri-Area repair event at the Jefferson County Library 10 - 1

2nd Wednesdays at 1pm and 4th Wednesdays at 5:30pm- Port of PT Meetings  
Mondays, 9am - Jefferson County BoCC [Meetings](#)

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## Ongoing projects in Jeff. Co:

- o [Pleasant Harbor MPR](#)
- ï [City of PT SMP update](#)
- ï [Jefferson County SMP update](#)
- ï [PT sewer outfall](#) (not up to date)
- ï [Point Hudson FLUPSY](#)
- ï [Point Hudson jetty reconstruction](#)
- ï Port of PT sea level rise mitigation project
- ï City of Port Townsend North Beach sewer outfall
- ï [Duckabush Estuary Restoration Project](#)