

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife Fish and Wildlife Commission

Announcement of Special Meeting

Special Meeting Agenda

September 5 & 6, 2012

Natural Resources Building - 1111 Washington St SE Olympia WA 98501 First Floor, Room 172 and will be broadcast via TVW at <u>http://www.tvw.org/</u> the day of the meeting.

Please note the previously scheduled conference call scheduled on September 7, 2012 is cancelled.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2012

1:00 PM	1. <u>Call to Order</u> a. Commissioners' Discussion	15 min
1:15 PM	 2. <u>Director's Report</u> The Director will brief the Commission on various items including: Wolf Update 	30 min
	Staff Report: Phil Anderson, Director	
1:45 PM	3. <u>Open Public Input</u> The Commission is a direct link between citizens of Washington and the Department of Fish and Wildlife. Comments on Department programs and topics of concern are welcome during this portion of the meeting. NOTE : During this portion of the meeting, the public is encouraged to comment on issues that do not already have public input time on the agenda.	1 hr
2:45 PM	<u>Break</u>	15 min
3:00 PM	4. <u>Columbia River Fishery Management</u> Department Staff will brief the Commission on the recent communications, and the results of meetings with the Oregon and Washington Fish and Wildlife Directors to develop proposals for a two-state process and schedule. Based on these discussions, the Commission will provide guidance on appropriate next steps in this process.	2 hrs

Staff Report: Guy Norman, Regional Director

5:00 PM RECESS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2012

8:30 AM 5. Puget Sound Shrimp Policy Review – Briefing

The Fish Committee will provide a report on the Puget Sound Shrimp Policy Review followed by a briefing by Department staff who will seek guidance from the Commission on the process to review and update the Puget Sound shrimp fishery policies C-3610 and C-3008.

Staff Report: Rich Childers, Puget Sound Shellfish Manager, Fish Program

Public Input – This Item Only

10:00 AM Break

6. Miscellaneous and Meeting Debrief 30 min 10:15 AM The Commission will discuss items that arise immediately before or during the meeting and after the preliminary agenda is published.

10:45 AM Adjourn

MEMBERS

Contact the Commission office with questions at (360) 902-2267, or by email to commission@dfw.wa.gov

Miranda Wecker, Chair, Naselle (Western Washington position, Pacific County) Occupation: Director of the Marine Program, UW Olympic Natural Resources Center Current Term: 01/01/07 - 12/31/2012

Gary Douvia, Vice Chair, Kettle Falls (At-Large position, Ferry County) Occupation: Financial consultant Current Term: 01/15/07 - 12/31/2012

Larry Carpenter, Mount Vernon (Western Washington position, Skagit County) Occupation: Business owner, Master Marine Services, Inc. Term: 01/01/2011 - 12/31/2016

David Jennings, Olympia (At-Large position, Thurston County) Occupation: Environmental public health Current Term: 06/18/09 - 12/31/2014

Jay Kehne, Omak (Eastern Washington position) Occupation: Okanogan outreach associate, Conservation Northwest Term: 01/01/2011 - 12/31/2016

Conrad Mahnken, Ph.D., Bainbridge Island (At-Large position, Kitsap County) Occupation: Retired fisheries biologist Current Term: 01/01/2011 - 12/31/2016

Chuck Perry, Moses Lake (Eastern Washington position, Grant County) Occupation: Consultant, rangeland sustainability Current Term: 01/01/07 - 12/31/2012

Rolland Schmitten, Lake Wenatchee (At-Large position, Chelan County) Occupation: Marine resources consultant Current Term: 06/18/09 - 12/31/2014

Bradley Smith, Ph.D., Bellingham (Western Washington position, Whatcom County) Occupation: Dean, Huxley College of the Environ. Western Washington University Current Term: 06/18/09 - 12/31/2014

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15 min

1.5 hrs