



FLOWER GARDEN BANKS NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY

Sanctuary Advisory Council Meeting

Thursday, November 9, 2023, 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM CST



Hybrid meeting in Building 305 at NOAA Galveston Lab 4700 Avenue U, Galveston TX 77551

AGENDA

- 8:45 AM** **Coffee Social** (in-person, optional)
- 9:00 AM** **Welcome & Announcements** *Kelly Drinnen*
- 9:15 AM** **Administrative Business and Announcements** *Jake Emmert*
Adoption of agenda
Approval of minutes from September 20, 2023 meeting
- 9:30 AM** **Constituent Updates**
- 10:00 AM** **2024 SAC Meeting Date Selections**
- 10:15 AM** **Sanctuary Update** *Michelle Johnston*
- 10:45 AM** **Break**
- 10:50 AM** **FY24 Action Plans** *Michelle Johnston/ Kelly Drinnen*
- 11:50 AM** **Lunch**
- 12:30 PM** **Cruise Ship Industry Discussion** *Joanie Steinhaus*
Potential action item
- 1:00 PM** **Public Comment Period**
- 1:15 PM** **Wind Energy** *Tershara Matthews/ Idrissa Boube/ Ruth Perry/ RWE*
- 2:00 PM** **Bleaching 101** *Kelly O'Connell*
- 2:20 PM** **SAC Summit** *Taylor Galaviz/ Sepp Haukebo*
- 2:30 PM** **New Business**
- 3:00 PM** **Adjourn**

This meeting is open to the public. Those wishing to make public comments can request to speak during the public comment period via the webinar's chat/question box or the meeting sign-up sheet.
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