



False Killer Whale Pre-Take Reduction Team Informational Meeting

November 19-20, 2009

Hawaiian Islands Humpback Whale National Marine Sanctuary Office
6600 Kalanianaʻole Highway, #301, Honolulu, Hawaii

AGENDA

DAY ONE: NOVEMBER 19, 2009		
9:15 a.m.	Arrival and Greetings	
9:30 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome and Meeting Purpose • Introductions • Agenda Review and Meeting Procedures 	Lisa Van Atta, PIRO CONCUR
10:00 a.m.	Overview <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Project Impetus and Goals • Meeting objectives • Distinction between pre-TRT informational meeting and TRT deliberations 	Lance Smith, PIRO CONCUR
10:15 a.m.	Take Reduction Program: General Overview <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Overview of MMPA Requirements ○ TRT Charge ○ Respective Roles: TRT Members, NOAA Fisheries staff ○ Structure of TRPs ○ Intended look/feel of work product • Questions 	Kristy Long, NMFS Office of Protected Resources
11 a.m.	Break	
11:15 a.m.	TRT Process: False Killer Whale-Specific Overview <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Background and Impetus ○ TRT/TRP Approach/Process ○ TRT/TRP Timeline ○ TRT structure, membership, schedule, etc. • Questions 	Nancy Young, PIRO
12:00 p.m.	Lunch	

DAY ONE: NOVEMBER 19, 2009 (CONTINUED)		
1:15 p.m.	Stepping Back – Part One: Stock Assessment Process - Understanding the Science <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ MMPA background, PBR framework, dealing with uncertainty <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Regulatory requirements, SAR process ▪ PBR framework ▪ Dealing with uncertainties and assumptions • Questions 	Karin Forney, Science Center
1:45 p.m.	Stepping Back – Part Two: Stock Assessment Process - Understanding the Science <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Assessment research <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Abundance estimation methods ▪ Stock structure identification • Questions 	Erin Oleson, Science Center
2:15 p.m.	<i>Break</i>	
2:30 p.m.	Stepping Back – Part Three: Stock Assessment Process - Understanding the Science <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentations - Karin <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Assessment research (using FKW examples) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Human-caused mortality and serious injury ▪ Serious injury determination criteria • Questions 	Karin Forney, Science Center
3:00 p.m.	Understanding the Underlying Data, Analyses, and Issues <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Hawaii longline observer program ○ Nature of interaction between longline fishery and cetaceans • Questions 	Mike Marsik and Jamie Marchetti, PIRO Karin Forney, Science Center
4:00 p.m.	Summary and Day Two Agenda Review <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review key themes from Day One meeting • Preview Day Two Agenda 	Nancy Young, PIRO CONCUR
4:15 p.m.	Adjourn	
5:00 p.m.	Happy Hour / Dinner at Longhi's in Ala Moana Center	

DAY TWO: NOVEMBER 20, 2009		
9:00 a.m.	Arrival and Greetings	
9:15 a.m.	Welcome and Agenda Review <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recap key themes from Day One • Day Two Agenda Review 	Nancy Young, PIRO CONCUR
9:30 a.m.	Understanding the Underlying Data, Analyses, and Issues <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Overview of HI longline fisheries ○ Overview of HI shortline fisheries ○ Mortality and serious injury determinations ○ Bycatch estimates • Questions 	Russ Ito, Science Center Paul Dalzell, WPRFMC Karin Forney, Science Center
10:30 a.m.	Break	
10:45 a.m.	Understanding the Underlying Data, Analyses, and Issues <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ FKW Biology ○ Assessments • Questions 	Robin Baird, Cascadia Erin Oleson, Science Center
11:45 a.m.	Lunch	
1:00 p.m.	Understanding the Underlying Data, Analyses, and Issues <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Synthesis of 'starting point' for TRT process • Discussion and questions 	Nancy Young, PIRO
2:00 p.m.	Next Steps <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Timing and Meeting Schedule for Convening TRT • Potential Venue(s) • Other 	Nancy Young, PIRO CONCUR
2:15 p.m.	Adjourn	