

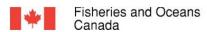






# AQUACULTURE MANAGEMENT

Shellfish Aquaculture Management Advisory Committee (AMAC)		
Meeting Date:	April 25, 2022 Time 9 am – 4 pm	
Location	: MS Teams Meeting	
OBJECT	IVE Advice on shellfish aquaculture management	
Materials Distribut		
	AGENDA	
9:00	Welcome, Introductions (Saul Milne) (10 min)	
9:10	Overview of Agenda (Saul Milne) (5 min)  Overview of agenda and meeting objectives	
9:15	Review Notes and Action Items from last meeting (Melinda Scott) (5 min)	
9:20	<b>DFO Regional and National Update</b> (Brenda McCorquodale) (20 min)	
9:40	<ul> <li>BC Update         <ul> <li>(30 min)</li> <li>Ministry of Agriculture and Food (MAF) – Myron Roth</li> <li>Ministry of Forests (FOR) – Rudi Mayser/Jessica Outhwaite</li> <li>Ministry of Land, Water and Resource Stewardship (LWRS) – Mike Turner</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
10:10	Sector Check-Ins (30 min)      First Nations     Local Government     Industry Associations     Industry     ENGOs	





10:40	Break
	(15 min)
10:55	Canadian Shellfish Sanitation Program (CSSP) and Bivalve Traceability Initiative (BTI) Update (Gabrielle Kosmider) (30 min)
11:25	Response to AMAC CSSP Working Group Recommendations (Gabrielle Kosmider) (15 min)
11:40	Conservation & Protection Update (Fishery Officer) (15 min)
11:55	Lunch (65 min)
13:00	Sewage and Septic Management in the Baynes Sound Area (Comox Valley Regional District (CVRD)) (30 min)
13:30	British Columbia Shellfish Growers Association (BCSGA) British Columbia Salmon Restoration and Innovation Fund (BCSRIF) Update (Nico Prins) (15 min)
13:45	Shellfish Compliance Report (Melinda Scott) (5min)
13:50	Overview of Recent Shellfish Debris Clean-up Efforts (Capt. Josh Temple) (30 min)
14:20	Break (15 min)
14:35	Area Based Aquaculture Management (ABAM) (Elysha Gordon) (30 min)
15:05	SF AMAC Terms of Reference (Melinda Scott) (15 min)
15:20	Roundtable and next meeting date (Saul Milne) (30 min) Next meeting: October 2022
15:50	Adjournment

## **Invited participants:**

Mediator: Saul Milne AMAC members:

## **Industry Licence-Holders (7 seats)**

Keith Reid, Odyssey Shellfish Ltd. J.P. Hastey, Nova Harvest Ltd

Alex Munro, Taylor Shellfish Canada (Fanny Bay Oysters) and Raincoast Sea Farms Inc.

Ken Hanuse, Cortes Island Shellfish Growers

Kathleen Nicholls, Limberis Seafood Processing Ltd.

\*\*\* 2 Vacant seats

## **Industry Associations (2 seats)**

Nico Prins, BC Shellfish Growers Association; *Designated Alternates: Steve Pocock, Brian Yip* Richard Harry, Aboriginal Aquaculture Association; *Designated Alternate: Marguerite Parker* 

## First Nations (7 seats)

Jennifer Woodland – Nuu-Chah-Nulth Seafood LP

Grace Adams - Tla'amin Nation, Tla'amin Management Services LP

Noah Plonka – Toquaht First Nation, Barkley Sound Shellfish

Ken Thomas – Penelakut Tribe; *Designated Alternate: Josh James* 

Daniel Rabu – We Wai Kai Nation, Pacific Coastal Shellfish Ltd

Frank Dragon – Kyuquot First Nation

\*\*\* 1 Vacant seat

## Conservation and Environmental Non-Governmental Organizations (ENGOs) (3 seats)

Bill Heath – Watershed Society of Comox Valley

Capt. Josh Temple – Coastal Restoration Society

\*\*\* 1 Vacant seat

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#### **Local Government (2 seats)**

Daniel Arbour - Union of British Columbia Municipalities (UBCM) – Association of Vancouver Island and Coastal Communities (AVICC) South Coast Delegate (Electoral Area A, Baynes Sound / Denman & Hornby Islands, Comox Valley Regional District)

Dannielle Alan - North Central Local Government Association (NCLGA) North Coast Delegate (Area H Director Regional District of Fraser Fort George)

### Ex-officio:

#### **DFO**

Brenda McCorquodale, Director, Aquaculture Management Division
Reagan Newcomb, Manager, Aquaculture Resource Management
Gabrielle Kosmider, Senior Coordinator, Aquaculture Resource Management - CSSP
Melinda Scott, Senior Coordinator, Aquaculture Resource Management - Shellfish
Chris Marrie, Senior Biologist, Aquaculture Environmental Operations - Shellfish
Janice Mattu, Coordinator, Aquaculture Resource Management - Shellfish
Jennifer Perry, Project Officer, Aquaculture Resource Management - Engagement
Kerra Shaw, Manager, Area Based Aquaculture Management
Elysha Gordon, Senior Coordinator, Area Based Aquaculture Management
Joanne Liutkus, Introductions and Transfers Committee Co-chair
Johanna Jenkins, Senior Compliance Program Officer
Greg Plummer, Senior Compliance Program Officer - C&P CSSP Coordinator
Chris Pearce, Research Scientist, Nearshore Ecosystems Section
Lisa Hedderson, Regional Ghost Gear Coordinator

## **Government of British Columbia**

Myron Roth, Ministry of Agriculture and Food Alex Clancy, Ministry of Agriculture and Food Kevin Romanin, Ministry of Agriculture and Food Jessica Outhwaite, Ministry of Forests Rudi Mayser, Ministry of Forests Mike Turner, Ministry of Land, Water and Resource Stewardship

#### **Transport Canada**

Jennifer Wurz, Navigation Protection Officer

#### Guest:

Russell Dyson, Chief Administrative Officer, CVRD

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