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Alaska Mariculture Task Force Final Meeting

AGENDA

Friday, June 25, 2021 @ 9am – 12pm AST

DUE TO COVID-19: ONLINE MEETING ONLY

Join via internet: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81448005333>

Join via phone: 1-669-900-6833

Meeting ID: 814-4800-5333

- 1) Roll call
- 2) Conflicts of interest declared
- 3) Review and approve agenda (5 mins)
- 4) Review and approve minutes: May 21, 2021 (5 mins)
- 5) Public introductions & comments (15 mins)
- 6) Updates by MTF members (30 mins):
 - a. AFDF updates (Decker)
 - b. Alaska Sea Grant updates (Eckert)
 - c. NOAA updates (Bishop, Hollarsmith)
 - d. ASGA updates (Wyatt)
 - e. Native Mariculture Development Association (Douville, Decker)
 - f. University updates (Stekoll)
 - g. Other updates
- 7) Workgroup Updates (5 mins):
 - a. Legislative Workgroup (McCarty, Rabung, Drobnica, Decker, Hetrick) – below
 - b. Regulatory Workgroup (Rabung, McCarty, Wyatt, Decker, Sullivan, Stryker) – none
 - c. AQUAA Act Workgroup (Decker, McCarty, Rabung, Pryor, Eckert, Bishop) – none
 - d. AMA Workgroup (McCarty, Decker, Smith, Wyatt, Sheridan, Scheer, Marsh) – below
 - e. Alaska Native Workgroup (Douville, McCarty, Decker, Rabung, Marsh, Wyatt, J. Andersen, Gallegos, Andersen, Whissel, Hetrick-Price, Hayden, Lindoff, Booth, Medicine Crow, Blake, Edenshaw) – none
- 8) Old Business (45 mins):
 - a. EVOS TC proposal - status report (Eckert)
 - b. Legislative Workgroup – Update on mariculture bill - SB 64 / HB 41 (McCarty,

Decker)

- c. Signing of HB 115 (McCarty, Decker)
- d. Mariculture Investments for Economic Stimulus (McCarty, others)
- e. [Final Report to Governor Dunleavy](#) – completed (McCarty and Decker)
- f. Recap of final report: indicators of progress, accomplishments from five-year action plan, and future challenges and opportunities

9) New Business (60 mins):

- a. MTF Presentation to Governor Dunleavy
- b. AMA update and approval of AMA applications
- c. Next steps for AMA:
 - Open separate bank account, invoice & collect for membership
 - Notify all founding members
 - Plan for first AMA meeting
 - AMA structure; election of Executive Committee leadership

10) Thank you's & acknowledgments, closing comments & final adjournment (15 mins)

Attachments/Links:

- [MTF Members](#)
- [MTF Five-Year Action Plan](#)
- Minutes – May 21, 2021 – DRAFT - TBD
- [Board of Agriculture and Conservation – Fact Sheet](#)
- [Final Report to Governor Dunleavy](#)
- AMA Workgroup Update
- List of AMA member applications
- [AMA members applications](#)
- AMA Bylaws – Adopted 10/29/20
- [Senate Bill 64, sponsored by Senator Gary Stevens](#)
- [House Bill 41, sponsored by Rep. Dan Ortiz](#)
- [House Bill 115, sponsored by Rep. Andi Story & signed by Governor Dunleavy](#)
- [AQUAA Act \(09/25/20\)](#)
- [Guide to Federal Aquaculture Grant Services](#)

Articles/Other:

- [Alaskan companies launch new canned octopus featuring kelp hot sauce](#)
- [Alaska Mariculture Task Force transitioning to non-profit organization](#)
- [Founding members are wanted to help shape and develop Alaska's mariculture industry](#)
- [Kelp farm permits still more popular than shellfish](#)
- [Kelp processing brings jobs to Kodiak](#)