



SALISH SEA SHARED WATERS FORUM

November 14, 2019
Four Points Sheraton
Bellingham, WA

DRAFT AGENDA

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER/PANELIST
Thursday November 14, 2019		
8:00	Welcome and Introductions	Dale Jensen , Director, Spills Program, WA Dept. of Ecology Mark Zacharias , Deputy Minister, BC Ministry of Environment and Climate Change Strategy Sarah Brace , Executive Coordinator, Pacific States/BC Oil Spill Task Force
8:20	Tribal Welcome	
8:50	Session 1: Oil movement Overview – the Big Picture Goal of session: Provide an overview of the current and projected traffic growth and proposed projects in the region and share updates on key voluntary and regulatory initiatives.	Speakers TBD
10:00	Break	
10:30	Session 2: Tribal Perspectives on Treaty-Protected Fishing Goal of session: Discuss vessel traffic and treaty protected fishing.	Speakers TBD
12:00	Lunch - Provided	
1:30	Session 3: Marine Emergency Response Systems Goal of session: Provide an overview of the current emergency response system in the Straits and highlights from recent studies in Canada's Pacific region.	Speakers TBD

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2:30	Break	
3:00	Session 3: Marine Emergency Response Systems (continued) Goal of this session: Learn about the measures in place and consider how an emergency response system might be improved in the cross-border environment.	Speakers TBD
4:45	Key take-ways and Wrap up	Dale Jensen , Director, Spills Program, WA Dept. of Ecology
5:00	Adjourn	



