



## **2019 Annual Meeting**

Wednesday, November 13, 2019

8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

*Four Points Sheraton Hotel - Ballroom  
Bellingham, WA*

### **Theme**

Thirty years since *Nestucca* and *Exxon Valdez*...we've come a long way

### **Goal**

Celebrate successes in spill prevention, response and preparedness by Task Force members and partners

### **Objectives:**

1. Share historical perspectives
2. Highlight Task Force successes in spill preparedness, prevention and response in past 30 years:
  - a. Regulatory
  - b. Communication/Education/Stakeholder Engagement
3. Highlight Task Force partners' successes in spill preparedness, prevention and response since Exxon Valdez
  - a. Federal
  - b. Tribal/First Nations
  - c. Industry
  - d. NGO
4. Future directions – how emerging issues and changes in the energy landscape are shaping the Task Force's work
5. Build relationships among participants and document stories / lessons learned

## AGENDA

Wednesday, November 13, 2019		
Time	Topic	Lead
8:00	<b>Welcome and Overview</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Welcome from Host Agency</li> <li>• Opening Prayer from <b>Councilmember Lawrence Solomon</b>, Lummi Nation</li> <li>• Overview of the day</li> </ul>	<b>Moderator:</b> Dale Jensen WA Dept. of Ecology
8:30	<b>Keynote Speaker</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Governor Christine Gregoire</b>, Founding Task Force Member, 1988</li> </ul>	<b>Moderator:</b> Dale Jensen WA Dept. of Ecology
9:30	<b>Session 1: Historical perspectives</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Jean Cameron</b>, Executive Coordinator 1991-2012</li> <li>• <b>Denise Koch</b>, Alaska Dept of Environmental Conservation</li> </ul>	<b>Moderator:</b> Hilary Wilkinson Task Force
10:15	<b>Break</b>	
10:30	<b>Session 2: Jurisdictional Updates</b> <i>Updates from the Task Force Jurisdictions</i> <b>Tom Cullen</b> , CA Dept of Fish and Wildlife, OSPR <b>Keith Kawaoka</b> , HI Dept. of Health <b>Lydia Emer</b> , OR Dept. of Environmental Quality <b>Denise Koch</b> , AK Dept. of Environmental Conservation <b>Pader Brach (for Mark Zacharias)</b> , B.C. Ministry of Environment and Climate Change Strategies <b>Dale Jensen</b> , WA Dept. of Ecology	<b>Moderator:</b> Dale Jensen WA Dept. of Ecology
<b>NOON</b>	<b>LUNCH</b>	
1:30	<b>Legacy Awards</b> <i>Recognizing individuals and organizations that perform exemplary work in the areas of oil spill prevention, preparedness, response and recovery</i>	<b>Moderator:</b> Hilary Wilkinson Task Force

2:00	<p><b>Session 3: Task Force Partners</b></p> <p><i>Celebrating Accomplishments since the Exxon Valdez and Nestucca barge incidents</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>George Galasso</b>, NOAA, Olympic Coast National Marine Sanctuary</li> <li>• <b>Steve Danscuk</b>, USCG</li> <li>• <b>Charlie Costanzo</b>, American Waterways Operators</li> <li>• <b>Mike Munger</b>, Cook Inlet Regional Citizens Advisory Committee</li> </ul>	<p><b>Moderator:</b></p> <p>Linda Pilkey-Jarvis WA Dept. of Ecology</p>
3:30	<p><b>Break</b></p>	
3:45	<p><b>Session 4: Revisiting Sea Traffic Management on the West Coasts of the U.S. and Canada</b></p> <p><i>How the 2002 BC-States' Offshore Vessel Traffic initiative has helped spur the Pacific Safety Initiative, and how technology is changing the game</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Capt. Ed Page</b>, Alaska Marine Exchange</li> </ul>	
4:15	<p><b>Session 5: Task Force – Featured Project: <i>Abandoned and Derelict Vessel (ADV) Work Group's Blue-Ribbon Program</i></b></p> <p><i>Highlight's of the Work Group's recommendations for a "Blue Ribbon" ADV program at the state and provincial level</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Steve Hampton</b>, CA OSPR</li> <li>• <b>Troy Wood</b>, WA DNR</li> <li>• <b>Hilary Wilkinson</b>, Task Force</li> </ul>	<p><b>Moderator:</b></p> <p>Hilary Wilkinson, Task Force</p>
4:45	<p><b>Closing Remarks</b></p>	<p>Dale Jensen, WA Dept. of Ecology</p>
5:00	<p><b>Annual Meeting + Salish Sea Forum Celebration Reception in the Ballroom</b></p>	