
PACIFIC ISLANDS REGIONAL LISTENING SESSION

Date: Thursday, June 16, 1:00 – 4:00 pm

Location: Neal S. Blaisdell Center
777 Ward Avenue
Honolulu, Hawaii 96814

Agenda:

12:00 – 1:05 pm Registration and Traditional Opening Protocol

1:05 – 1:20 pm Keynote Address
The Honorable Neal Abercrombie, Governor of the State of Hawaii

1:20 – 2:00 pm Plenary Remarks

Panelists:

Mr. LeLei Peau, *Deputy Director*, Department of Commerce for the American Samoa Government, and *Member*, National Ocean Council Governance Coordinating Committee

Mr. Michael Tosatto, *Pacific Islands Regional Administrator*, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

Mr. Don Palawski, *Deputy Project Leader*, Hawaiian and Pacific Islands National Wildlife Refuge Complex, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior

Commander Brian Hofferber, *Chief of Waterways Management*, 14th Coast Guard District, U.S. Coast Guard

Commander Rick McGuire, *Environmental Counsel for Commander*, U.S. Pacific Fleet, Department of the Navy

Ms. Teresa Christopher, *Ocean Policy Advisor*, National Ocean Council

Moderated by:

Mr. Andy Winer, *Director of Strategic Initiatives and Partnerships*, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

2:00 – 3:55 pm Public Comment Session - with satellite connections to Hilo, Guam, Kauai, Maui, American Samoa and CNMI

3:55 – 4:00 pm Closing Remarks

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