

# Dungeness Crab Fishing Gear Working Group Conference Call

## Public Agenda

Thursday, September 26, 2019 — 1:00pm-3:00pm

Listen only/screen share details: (424) 228-8722 No PIN necessary  
[www.uberconference.com/strategiearth](http://www.uberconference.com/strategiearth)

*Interested members of the public are invited to attend this working meeting **as listeners only** via the conference line. There will not be opportunities for public comment. All participants will be asked to identify themselves at the start of the call. For more information about the Working Group, including meeting materials and summaries, visit: <http://www.opc.ca.gov/whale-entanglement-working-group>.*

### Meeting Goal

- To continue reviewing and discussing Working Group feedback on the draft integrated Risk Assessment and Mitigation Program (RAMP), continue planning for the 2019-20 Dungeness crab fishing season, and confirm Project Team activities and related near-term coordination needs.

### Meeting Objectives

- Confirm the Working Group's feedback on the draft integrated RAMP to inform CDFW's development of the RAMP rulemaking and draft Conservation Plan (CP).
- Outline planning needs for the 2019-2020 Dungeness crab fishing season and confirm meeting schedule.
- Introduce draft agenda topics for the October 2019 meeting and identify coordination and work needs in advance of the meeting.
- Review Working Group activities, confirm Project Team priorities, and confirm scheduling needs.

### Agenda

- |                |   |
|----------------|---|
| <b>1:00 pm</b> | <b>Agenda Review and Updates</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Walk through agenda and confirm meeting objectives</li><li>● Learn about updates related to Working Group operations, entanglements, recent Gear Demonstration Day, and other activities</li></ul>   |
| <b>1:15 pm</b> | <b>Working Group Feedback on CDFW Integrated RAMP Straw Proposal</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Review feedback received by Working Group participants following September 4-5, 2019 in-person meeting</li><li>● Confirm next steps, timelines, etc.</li></ul>   |
| <b>2:05 pm</b> | <b>2019-20 RAMP Planning</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Continued discussion to plan for the 2019-20 California Dungeness crab fishing season, including, but not limited to, the Risk Assessment Framework (RAF)</li><li>● Discuss planning for October 2019 meeting to conduct the 2019-20 pre-season risk assessment</li><li>● Confirm next steps, scheduling, etc.</li></ul> |
| <b>2:40 pm</b> | <b>Working Group Activities</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Review updated Work Plan</li><li>● Confirm priority Project Team activities through to the end of the year</li><li>● Next Steps, scheduling, etc.</li></ul>   |
| <b>3:00 pm</b> | <b>Adjourn</b>  |