

**FLORIDA KEYS NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY ADVISORY COUNCIL**

*Hyatt Place*  
1996 Overseas Highway  
Marathon, FL 33050  
Tuesday, October 16, 2018

**FINAL AGENDA**

**SANCTUARY ADVISORY COUNCIL MISSION STATEMENT**  
*(adopted unanimously, December 6, 2005)*

*The Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary Advisory Council is an interactive liaison between the residents and visitors of the Florida Keys and the staff and management of the FKNMS. In this role, and with the understanding that a healthy ecosystem is essential to the economy and quality of life in the Florida Keys, the SAC will promote restoration and maintenance of biodiversity and ecological resiliency in the South Florida environment. We will strive to achieve a vibrant, ecologically sustainable ecosystem and economy through application of the best available science and balanced, conservation-based management.*

- 9:00**            **Call to Order**  
Pledge of Allegiance  
Roll Call  
Approve Minutes from June 19, 2018 Meeting  
Adopt Agenda for this Meeting  
Chairperson's Comments
- 9:15**            **Sanctuary Advisory Council Core Group Update**  
*Bruce Popham, Sanctuary Advisory Council Core Group*
- 9:30**            **Sanctuary Resource Status: One Year After Hurricane Irma**
- Mangrove (20 minutes)**  
*Kara Radabaugh, Florida Fish and Wildlife Research Institute*
- Hardbottom (10 minutes)**  
*John Hunt, Florida Fish and Wildlife Research Institute*
- Seagrass & Water Quality (20 minutes)**  
*Jim Fourqurean, Florida International University*
- 10:20**           **Discussion, Q&A**
- 10:40**           **Break**

- 11:00**      **Coral Disease in the Florida Reef Tract: Update on status and response**  
*Andy Bruckner, Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary*
- 11:30**      **Harmful Algal Blooms and Implications for the Florida Keys**  
*Kate Hubbard, Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission*
- 12:00**      **Lunch**
- 1:15**      **Everglades Restoration** (potential action item)  
*Caroline McLaughlin, FKNMS Advisory Council Conservation & Environment*  
*Jerry Lorenz, FKNMS Advisory Council South Florida Ecosystem Restoration*
- 2:00**      **Public Comment**
- 2:15**      **Upcoming Meeting and Closing Remarks**  
*Clint Barras, FKNMS Advisory Council Vice-Chair*
- 2:20**      **Adjourn**

**Sanctuary Advisory Council Constituent Outreach Working Session**  
(members and alternates only)

- 2:30**      **Welcome Back and Goals for Working Session**
- 2: 35**      **Presentation: NOAA/FKNMS Strategic Communication Plan**
- 2:40**      **Presentation: Draft Constituent Outreach Plan**
- 3:00**      **Break-Out Groups: Filling out the Constituent Outreach Plan: Audiences and Engagement Opportunities**
- 4:00**      **Reconvene for Next Steps**
- 4:15**      **Adjourn**