



WEST COAST OCEAN
DATA PORTAL

Portal Coordination Team Monthly Call
November 7, 2018

Call Participants:

- PCT members: Andy L., Tanya H., Deanna C., Joel S., Sara G., Frank P.,
- Guests: Kate S., John H., Mark H.,

Draft Agenda

- West Coast Ocean Alliance Update
- Grant Funding Review
- Work Program Refresh
- Round Table updates from call participants

Regional Update:



West Coast OCEAN ALLIANCE

4 goals established:

- **COMPATIBLE AND SUSTAINABLE OCEAN USES**
- **EFFECTIVE AND TRANSPARENT DECISION-MAKING**
- **COMPREHENSIVE OCEAN AND COASTAL DATA**
- **INCREASED UNDERSTANDING OF AND RESPECT FOR TRIBAL RIGHTS, TRADITIONAL KNOWLEDGE, RESOURCES AND PRACTICES**

WCODP Funding Picture in 2018

- Moore Foundation Grant (2018):
 - \$75k for Task 1: Partnership of data and science experts to support regional ocean activities; Technical Consultant to support ODP.
 - \$40k for : 0.5 FTE to be contracted to support ongoing administration of West Coast Ocean Data Portal
- Moore Foundation Grant (2019):
 - \$40k for Task 1: Partnership of data and science experts to support regional ocean activities; Technical Consultant to support ODP.
 - \$20k for : 0.5 FTE to be contracted to support ongoing administration of West Coast Ocean Data Portal

WCODP Funding Picture in 2018

- BOEM Grant (2018):
 - \$100k - Operations, Maintenance, and Administration for West Coast Ocean Data Portal for the Pacific Region
 - ~~Develop Scope of Work for funding allocation~~
 - Work with BOEM and SSCWRP to arrange funding agreements (in progress)
 - Develop RFP for a WCODP Coordinator at .5 FTE
 - Prioritize list of system enhancements

Moore Grant

\$115k for Task 1: Partnership of data and science experts to support regional ocean activities;
Technical Consultant to support ODP.

\$175k

\$60k for : 0.5 FTE to be contracted to support ongoing administration of West Coast Ocean
Data Portal

BOEM Grant

Web Hosting and server maintenance for WCODP for 12 months.

\$100k

Annual network meeting of WCODP team members.

Regional Data Set generation or synthesis. A concise report documenting data collection
methods, analysis and geodatabase development. Publish a GIS service of the dataset so it can
be consumed by the WCODP.

Work Program Overview

- WCOA – Regional Portal needs/tasks
 - Re-organize front end of the WCODP for supporting the work of the WCOA
 - Regional search facets, thematically grouped data resources, regional information data products
 - Sub-regional Tasks:
 - Review Data records in the catalog, with a focus on updating and connecting to new resources.
 - WA: Connections to WA agency source providers made, and records from their databases harvested by the WCODP
 - Connect to Data Basin for California Wind: <https://caoffshorewind.databasin.org/>
 - OR/N. CA – Spatial Coordination Framework – BOEM is ready and waiting to help with structure and function of the framework.

Portal Work

- RFP Development team: Tanya (Tech), Allison, Andy, John H., Steve W.
 - Looking at 2-3 months out.
- Portal Front End Reorganization:
 - Jenn P., Tanya, Allison, Kate S., - Needs outreach and communications experience to add to the group.

Member Updates:

- ESRI Ocean Summit – Frank – report back to us following the event.
- RAE –TCS Summit: WCODP will be represented at the meeting in December 10-13.
- National Ocean Policy Scoping Survey of Federal Ocean Data Gaps
 - WCODP participated in this, and will be waiting for next steps for hosting workshops or follow-up.
- GeoHack – (also an ocean hack week) focused on understanding data sources/tools
- <https://geohackweek.github.io/schedule.html>
- <https://oceanhackweek.github.io/schedule.html>
- Decade of Ocean Science -
<http://unesdoc.unesco.org/images/0026/002651/265198e.pdf>