

# GULF OF THE FARALLONES NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY

## ❖ ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING ❖

**Thursday, September 25, 2003**

Bldg. T989, end of West Crissy Field in the Presidio (behind Warming Hut), San Francisco

| TIME                       | AGENDA ITEM & NUMBER  | DISCUSSION LEADER                    |
|----------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|
| 9:15-9:30 a.m.             | Members arrive  |                                      |
| 9:30-9:45 a.m.             | 1. Call to order, roll call & review of agenda  | Barbara Emley, Council Chair         |
| 9:45-10:00 a.m.            | 2. Public Comment Period (3-5 minutes per person)   | Public                               |
| 10:00-10:15 a.m.           | 3. Approval of previous meeting minutes (April meeting, July retreat); member reports                             | Council                              |
| 10:15-10:30 a.m.           | 4. Manager's Report   | Ed Ueber, Sanctuary Manager          |
| 10:30-10:45 a.m.           | BREAK   |                                      |
| 10:45 a.m. –<br>12:15 p.m. | 5. Presentation of Biogeographical Report; questions and answers  | Wendy Morrison/<br>NCCOS             |
| 12:15-1:15 p.m.            | LUNCH   |                                      |
| 1:15-3:30 p.m.             | 6. Acting Assistant Manager's Recommendations   | Anne Walton, Sonia Altieri           |
| 3:30-4:00 p.m.             | 7. Cruise ship discharge presentation   | Caitlyn Gaffney/Ocean<br>Conservancy |
| 4:00-4:05 p.m.             | 8. Review of current GFNMS discharge regulations  | Ed Ueber                             |
| 4:05-4:35                  | 9. Brief overview of National Marine Sanctuary Act (to be continued at November 20 <sup>th</sup> Council meeting) | Ed Ueber                             |
| 4:35                       | MEETING ADJOURNS  |                                      |

**For Advisory Council Members:**

Please remember to bring your calendars;

Light refreshments will be served at 9:15 a.m.

See venue directions next page.

## **Directions:**

**National Park Service Building T989 is located just west of the Warming Hut on the approach to Fort Point, in San Francisco's Presidio. Please park in the West Crissy Field parking lot adjacent to the Warming Hut (at the foot of the old Fort Point Torpedo Wharf). Enter building through east facing door.**

### **Entering Presidio from Hwy 280/19th Avenue (Park Presidio):**

- Go north toward Golden Gate Bridge, past the Marina Blvd. exit. Immediately before the GG Bridge Toll Plaza, turn RIGHT at the "Last SF Exit". A sign directs you to the "Presidio/Golden Gate National Recreation Area."
- Drive through the Toll Plaza parking lot and bear right, to the stop sign at Lincoln.
- Turn LEFT onto Lincoln and follow the road down the hill.
- At the second left, (Cowles St. – flanked by two white-banded trees) turn LEFT downhill, past a horse paddock to McDowell Street. Turn LEFT on McDowell to Crissy Field Avenue.
- At the Crissy Field Ave. stop sign turn LEFT past the pet cemetery.
- At the next stop sign make a quick RIGHT onto Old Mason Street, then an immediate hard LEFT at the warehouses, and drive past the row of warehouses into the West Crissy Field Parking Lot by the Warming Hut. Park in the lot nearest the Warming Hut, and walk just beyond it to Bldg. T989.

### **Entering Presidio from Marin County:**

- Enter Golden Gate Bridge toll plaza using RIGHTMOST toll booth. Exit to the right immediately and make another hairpin RIGHT to go under the toll plaza tunnel and through the parking area.
- At the second stop sign (Lincoln Avenue) turn left and follow Lincoln down the hill to the second left turn.
- At the second left (Cowles St., flanked by two white-banded trees) turn LEFT downhill, past a horse paddock to McDowell Street. Turn LEFT on McDowell to Crissy Field Avenue.
- At the Crissy Field Ave. stop sign turn LEFT, and pass the pet cemetery.
- Make a quick RIGHT onto Old Mason Street, then an immediate hard LEFT at the warehouses, and drive past the row of warehouses into the West Crissy Field Parking Lot by the Warming Hut. Park in the lot nearest the Warming Hut, and walk just beyond it to Bldg. T989.

### **Entering Presidio from downtown SF along Marina Boulevard:**

Drive west on Marina Blvd. On San Francisco's north waterfront, staying in the rightmost lane. Continue straight into the Presidio along Old Mason Street. Stay on Old Mason along Crissy Field Green, bearing right. The road continues past the West Bluff picnic area and dead-ends in the West Crissy Field parking lot near the Warming Hut. Park, and walk just past the Warming Hut to Bldg. T989.