

Aquaculture Development Committee (ADC)

AGENDA

9 November 2026 | 9:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Virtual

Join Zoom Meeting:

- Link: <https://csus.zoom.us/j/86750621991?from=addon>
- Meeting ID: 867 5062 1991
- Dial: +1 (669) 900-6833

1	9:30	Welcome, Intros, Agenda Review	Lovell / Drawbridge / Wylie
2	9:40	ADC Governance & Bylaws Update Goals of discussion: - Summarize approach, review draft, identify any governance questions requiring full ADC input - Preview next steps: refine based on input, seek adoption at next meeting	By Laws Subcommittee
3	9:50	Industry Engagement in Permitting Improvements Goals of discussion: - Assess interest and discuss possible approaches: - o e.g. industry contributes case studies, identifying permitting pinch points to inform State Marine Aquaculture Action Plan (Action Plan) Actions 1.2 and 1.4 - o e.g. ADC convenes a separate permitting-focused session(s) to review a) case-studies, b) Appendix B in Guide to Leasing, c) agency roles and responsibilities, d) other permitting models, etc.	Lovell / Drawbridge
4	10:05	State Marine Action Plan a. Adoption & Implementation Overview b. Early Implementation Efforts c. ADC Implementation Priorities Goals of discussion: - Review Action Plan Adoption (June 16, 2026) and shift towards implementation - Clarify the roles of OPC, ADC, ALT, Aquaculture Interagency Working Group, participating agencies, and other partners. Describe agency coordination	Cieri / Gardner / All

		approach, progress tracking, and opportunities for ADC participation - Receive updates on Actions underway: - o Consolidated permitting process and portal (Action 1.4¹), the State Aquaculture Science Plan (Action 3.2²), and pilot-scale permitting work (Action 3.3³) - o For each: how do ADC members want to be involved, contribute directly, or stay informed and track progress? - Identify which Actions ADC members consider most urgent or consequential and why - o For the top priorities: how can the ADC help elevate or advance them (e.g., a written recommendation to the Director, a subcommittee or working group, requesting agency updates at future meetings, etc.)?	
5	11:05	Break	
6	11:10	Brief Sector & Emerging-Issue Updates Goals of discussion: - Share updates on time-sensitive developments, including: - o Humboldt Heavy Lift Terminal - o White Sturgeon Listing - o Freshwater Fish Topics • Importations • Dept. Catfish Contracts - o NOAA CIFARM Initiative - o New Office of Seafood, USDA	Lovell / Drawbridge
7	11:45	Public Comment	Wylie
8	11:55	Review Action Items	Wylie
9	12:00	Adjourn	Lovell / Drawbridge

¹ **Action 1.4** (governance) - Develop a clear and **consolidated aquaculture permit application process** that identifies timelines for review alongside a centralized portal for permit application, reporting, and compliance.

² **Action 3.2** (development): **Develop a state Aquaculture Science Plan** that identifies best available ecological and socioeconomic science and outlines additional science needs to inform aquaculture governance; fund at least three research projects to inform knowledge gaps and support innovation.

³ **Action 3.3** (development) - Evaluate the development of a **Pilot-Scale Aquaculture Permit Program** informed by frameworks from other states.