



NORTHWEST STRAITS  
marine conservation initiative

## *Marine Resources Committee Training Conference*

Rosario Resort – Orcas Island  
November 2-3, 2007

### **NOVEMBER 2, Friday:**

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<b>TIME</b>	<b>SESSION</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
8:50AM	<b>Ferry departs Anacortes</b> <i>12:05PM ferry available for those not attending field trip or Commission meeting</i>	
10:30AM-12:30PM	<b>Optional field trip: Pocket Estuary Restoration</b> <i>Robin Clark, People For Puget Sound</i> <i>Barbara Rosenkotter, San Juan County Lead Entity</i>	Deer Harbor
2:00PM-3:15PM	<b>Northwest Straits Commission business meeting</b>	Decator/Lopez
4:00PM-5:00PM	<b>CONCURRENT SESSIONS</b>	
Track A	<b>Northwest Straits Initiative “101”</b> <i>Kathy Fletcher, Tom Cowan</i>	Cypress
Track B	<b>The Northwest Straits Foundation</b> <i>Joan Drinkwin</i>	Decator/Lopez
5:30PM-6:30PM	<b>Posters, Exhibits, and Networking</b> <i>Staffed MRC displays, exhibitor booths and informal networking.</i>	
6:30PM	<b>Dinner</b>	
7:00PM-8:30PM	<b>Welcome and opening remarks</b> Kevin Ranker, San Juan County Council member Keynote speaker: Randy Shuman <i>Emerging issues in Water Quality</i>	Cypress

**NOVEMBER 3, Saturday:**

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<b>TIME</b>	<b>SESSION</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
7:30AM-8:30AM	<b>Breakfast</b> <i>Please check out of rooms before morning sessions.</i>	Blakely/Shaw
8:30AM-8:40AM	<b>Opening remarks and housekeeping</b>	Cypress
8:40AM-10:05AM	<b>Concurrent sessions</b>	
TRACK A:	<b>Derelict Crab Pot Prevention and Outreach</b> <i>Ginny Broadhurst, Chrys Bertolotto, Kristen Cooley, Don Meehan</i>	Decator/Lopez
TRACK B:	<b>Citizen-Based Underwater Environmental Monitoring with volunteer divers and ROVs</b> <i>David Shull, Christy Semmons</i>	Cypress
10:05AM-10:25AM	<b>Break</b>	
10:25AM-11:45PM	<b>Tidal Energy: Impacts &amp; Issues in the Marine Environment</b> <i>Daryl Williams, Tulalip Tribes Craig Collar, Snohomish Public Utility District Scott McCreery, BP - moderator</i>	
11:45PM-12:45PM	<b>Lunch</b> <i>Informally facilitated table discussions and networking.</i>	Blakely/Lopez Decator
12:45PM-2:00PM	<b>Puget Sound Partnership</b> <i>David Dicks, Executive Director, Puget Sound Partnership Kathy Fletcher - moderator</i>	Cypress
2:00PM-3:45PM	<b>MRC Project Exchange: Water Quality</b> <i>Randy Shuman- introduction to water quality issues Don Meehan - moderator</i>	Cypress
3:45PM	<b>Wrap up and Adjourn</b> <i>Shuttle to ferry departs at 4:15pm. Ferry departs at 5:10pm</i>	