

# North Coast Community Group External MPA Array Proposal Coordination Meeting

Benbow Hotel and Resort  
445 Lake Benbow Drive  
Garberville, California  
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Tuesday, December 15<sup>th</sup> 2009

## Day Session

10:00 am - 5:00 pm

## Evening Session

6:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Seasons greetings! Please join us for a North Coast community group coordination meeting along the South Fork of the Eel River at Benbow Hotel and Resort. Lodging and a catered lunch are complimentary for at least one representative from each community group that filed a letter of intent to submit an External MPA Array Proposals with the California Natural Resources Agency.

We may be able to cover costs for more than one person from each group so please RSVP soon. Please see the attached directions and proposed meeting agenda. If you have any questions or suggestions for the meeting please call (707) 954-1085.

### **If you plan to attend...**

- **Please RSVP for you and guests as conference room space is limited the conference (707.954.1085).**

### **If you need lodging**

- **Reserve a complimentary room under "North Coast MPA" list at the Benbow Hotel & Resort (707.923.2124).**

## Lodging Information & Directions

**Complimentary room availability is listed below and reservations are required. Other guest reservations are required for discounted room rates.**

Room Type	Tue	Rate
	12/15/09	
Two Twins	4	\$120
Petite Queen	2	\$120
Standard Queen	13	\$120
Standard King		\$135
Deluxe Queen		\$135
Deluxe King		\$135
<b>Total Rooms</b>	19	

Other information:

Wireless internet available.

### GETTING TO BENBOW

#### From the North

Take US-101 S / REDWOOD HWY

Approximately 2.5 miles south of the town of Garberville, take the BENBOW EXIT #636.

Turn RIGHT onto LAKE BENBOW DR.

Stay on LAKE BENBOW DR. (approx. 1/8 mile) to Hotel.

End at 445 Lake Benbow Dr

Garberville, CA 95542-3616, US

#### From the South

US-101 N / REDWOOD HWY

Approximately 9 miles north of the town of Piercy, take the BENBOW EXIT #636.

Take the BENBOW DR ramp toward BENBOW LAKE.

Turn LEFT onto LAKE BENBOW DR.

Turn RIGHT to stay on LAKE BENBOW DR. (Go under freeway)

Stay on LAKE BENBOW DR. — curves to the right — follow (approx. 1/8 mile) to Hotel.

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**PROPOSED AGENDA**

\*\*Coffee, snacks and refreshments provided

\*A digital projector and screen for presentations is available

**Day Session**

**10am-5pm**

- 10:00 am Meeting overview and ground rules description by Dr. Elizabeth Watson**
- 10:15 am Introductions and community group status reports**
- 11:15 am Timeline and strategy for integrating community MPAs with a regional array**
- 12:30 pm --- Catered Deli Lunch ---**
- 1:00 pm Brief review of MLPA goals and Master Plan Guidelines for MPAs**
- 1:30 pm Overview of the Draft Regional Profile and Atlas**
- 3:00 pm --- Break ---**
- 3:15 pm MarineMap user group set-up and coordination**
- 4:00 pm December 16-17 Science Advisory Team meeting discussion topics**
- 5:00 pm Adjourn**

**Evening Session**

**6pm-9pm**

- **Draft Regional Profile Atlas presentations and comment.**
- **MarineMap exploration, data survey and/or community demonstrations.**