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FALL MEETING ~ SANTA CRUZ September 11th ~ September 13th, 2024

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Wednesday ~ September 11

2:30 – 4:30 p.m. Board of Directors Meeting ~ *Surf View Room*

5:00 – 7:00 p.m. *Welcome Reception ~ Surf View*

Thursday ~ September 12

8:00 a.m. *Registration & Continental Breakfast ~ Surf View Room*

8:30 a.m. **Welcome and Santa Cruz Port District Overview**, Mr. Stephen Reed, Chairman, Santa Cruz Port District and Ms. Holland MacLaurie, Port Director, Santa Cruz Port District
Washington Briefing, Ms. Julie Minerva, Partner, Carpi & Clay

Break

10:15 a.m. **USACE Discussion**, Mr. Tommy Williams, Deputy District Engineer, San Francisco District, USACE

11:00 a.m. **Marine Protections and Ecosystem Benefits**, Ms. Jennifer Siu, Physical Scientist, Wetlands & Ocean Division, EPA, Region IX

11:30 a.m. **Working Waterfronts**, Ms. Laura Casali, Marine Scientist, Stantec / Executive Committee Member, National Working Waterfronts Network (NWWN).

12:00 – 1:00 p.m. *Lunch,*

1:00 p.m. **Port Infrastructure Development**, Mr. Peter Simons, Director, Office of Port Infrastructure Development, U.S. Maritime Administration

1:30 **Member Workshop: Collaborating on Successful Corps Dredging Projects, Part 1**, Ms. Alev Bilginsoy, Outreach Coordinator, San Francisco District, USACE and Ms. Jamie Yin, Biologist, San Francisco District, USACE

Break

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2:45 p.m.

Member Workshop: Collaborating on Successful Corps Dredging Projects, Part 2,
Ms. Alev Bilginsoy, Outreach Coordinator, San Francisco District, USACE and
Ms. Jamie Yin, Biologist, San Francisco District, USACE

Break

4:15 p.m.

Chevron Ruling: Understanding the Supreme Court's Decision in *Loper Bright/Relentless*, Mr. Christian Marsh, Partner, Downey Brand, LLP

4:45 p.m.

Blue Glue: New Pathways for Cities, Ports and People Ms. Janelle Kellman, Esq.
Former Mayor Sausalito, Founder Center for Sea Rise Solutions, Candidate CA
Lieutenant Governor

*Followed by walk to Santa Cruz Wharf for Reception (5:30 p.m.) and
Dinner (6:00 p.m.) at Firefish Grill (25 Municipal Wharf)*

Friday ~ September 13

8:00 – 8:30 a.m.

Breakfast ~ Surf View Room

8:30 a.m.

Overview of Moss Landing Harbor District and the City of Monterey Harbor,
Mr Scott Bodensteiner, Haley & Aldrich and Ms. Nichole Rodriguez, Harbor Operations,
City of Monterey

9:00 a.m.

BioBase Survey Software, Mr. Ray Valley, Aquatic Biologist & President, BioBase and
Mr. Blake Anderson, Harbor Master, Santa Cruz Port District

Break

10:00 a.m.

Facility Condition Surveys, Mr. Brad Porter, Marine Engineer, Moffatt & Nichol

10:30 a.m.

CoSMoS Update, Ms. Andrea O'Neill, Oceanographer, USGS

11:00 a.m.

Adjourn

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