MONITOR NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY



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CALENDAR ANNOUNCEMENT

Monitor National Marine Sanctuary Advisory Council to meet in Wanchese, NC

Monitor National Marine Sanctuary's advisory council will meet on December 6, 2018, at UNC Coastal Studies Institute in Wanchese, North Carolina. The meeting is open to the public.

The meeting will include updates for council members and the public on the state of the sanctuary, updates on potential boundary expansion, updates to the council, and *Monitor* conservation.

- WHAT: Sanctuary Advisory Council Meeting
- WHEN: December 6, 1:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m. Public comment period scheduled at 1:15 to 1:30 p.m.
- WHERE: UNC Coastal Studies Institute 850 NC 345 Wanchese, NC 27981 Call in: 1-866-873-2206, passcode: 4282677#

The meeting agenda can be downloaded from the Monitor National Marine Sanctuary website, <u>http://monitor.noaa.gov</u>. For further information, please contact Will Sassorossi, sanctuary advisory council coordinator, by email at <u>william.sassorossi@noaa.gov</u> or by phone at 757-591-7329.

The advisory council was established in 2005 to assure continuous public participation in the management of the sanctuary and to provide advice to the sanctuary superintendent on cultural resource protection, critical issues involving sanctuary use or resources, sanctuary research objectives, and education and outreach programs. The volunteer council represents a variety of local user groups, the general public and state and federal government agencies.

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