

**California Marine Life Protection Act Initiative**  
**Future Meetings Schedule for the MLPA South Coast Study Region**  
*Revised October 31, 2008*

Known meeting locations are identified in parentheses; other meeting locations will be announced as they become known. Please check the MLPA website ([www.dfg.ca.gov/mlpa](http://www.dfg.ca.gov/mlpa)) for the most current information, including meeting times, agendas and materials.

Italicized dates in brackets are work sessions rather than formal, public meetings. Work sessions are not videotaped and do not include a formal public comment period. Members of the public are welcome to attend work sessions as observers.

**2008**

November 4	Blue Ribbon Task Force (Sheraton Gateway Hotel, Los Angeles)
November 12	Master Plan Science Advisory Team (Sheraton Gateway Hotel, Los Angeles)
November 18-19	South Coast Regional Stakeholder Group (Crowne Plaza Hotel, Ventura)
December 10 December 11	Blue Ribbon Task Force in the afternoon only Joint meeting with the California Fish and Game Commission (Sacramento)
December 17	Master Plan Science Advisory Team

**2009**

January 13-14	South Coast Regional Stakeholder Group (San Diego area)
January 22	Blue Ribbon Task Force (conference call)
January 23 January 27	Master Plan Science Advisory Team (1/2 day conference call) Second half of meeting, full day, in person
<i>[January 29]</i>	<i>South Coast Regional Stakeholder Group - work session]</i>
<i>[February 10]</i>	<i>South Coast Regional Stakeholder Group - work session]</i>
February 24	Master Plan Science Advisory Team
February 26	Blue Ribbon Task Force

March 3-4	South Coast Regional Stakeholder Group
April 1 April 3	Master Plan Science Advisory Team (full day, in person) Second half of meeting, 1/2 day conference call
April 15-16	Blue Ribbon Task Force
April 28 <i>[April 29]</i>	South Coast Regional Stakeholder Group <i>South Coast Regional Stakeholder Group – work session]</i>
May 5	Master Plan Science Advisory Team
<i>[May 20]</i> May 21	<i>South Coast Regional Stakeholder Group – work session]</i> South Coast Regional Stakeholder Group
June 4	Blue Ribbon Task Force
June 18	Master Plan Science Advisory Team
June 29, 30 and July 1, 7, 8, 9	Public workshops regarding draft marine protected area proposals for the south coast study region
July 21-22	Blue Ribbon Task Force
August 4 <i>[August 5]</i>	South Coast Regional Stakeholder Group <i>South Coast Regional Stakeholder Group – work session]</i>
<i>[September 9]</i> September 10	<i>South Coast Regional Stakeholder Group – work session]</i> South Coast Regional Stakeholder Group
October 6	Master Plan Science Advisory Team (joint meeting with the Master Plan Science Advisory Team for the MLPA North Coast Study Region)
October 20-22	Blue Ribbon Task Force – with South Coast Regional Stakeholder Group for part of the meeting
December 10	California Fish and Game Commission – Blue Ribbon Task Force delivers south coast marine protected area recommendations