

47th U.S. Coral Reef Task Force Steering Committee Meeting
Wednesday, October 25th, 2023
1:00 - 5:00 PM

- 1:00 – 1:10 **Welcome and Opening**
- 1:10 – 1:25 **All Islands Committee Report Out**
- 1:25 – 1:35 **Federal Staff Meeting Report Out**
- 1:35 – 1:45 **Review of Business Meeting Agenda**
- 1:45 – 2:15 **Discussion: Executive Session Preparation-Resolutions**
- Coral Reefs as National Natural Infrastructure
 - Resolution on Coral Disease
 - Watershed Partnership Initiative-Amendment / Salt River Onboarding
- 2:15 – 2:45 **Working Group Updates**
- Watershed Working Group – Rob Ferguson
 - Fisheries and Ecosystem Working Group - Gerry Davis
 - Coral Reef Restoration Working Group – Brian Beck
 - Climate Change Working Group – Lexie Sturm
 - Coral Disease Working Group - Caroline McLaughlin & Dana Wusinich-Mendez
 - Enforcement Working Group - Mike Lameier
 - Communications Working Group - Caroline Donovan
 - WG Co-Chairs Meeting - Whitney Hoot and Dana Wusinich-Mendez
- 2:45 – 3:00 **BREAK**
- 3:00 – 4:30 **Coral Reef Conservation Act-Reauthorization Next Steps for USCRTF**
- Updates on the National Resilience Strategy
 - Coral Reef Action Plan Template Review *ad hoc* Working Group
 - Coral Reef Units
 - Coral Reef Research Centers and Institutions
 - Exigent Circumstances
- 4:30 – 4:40 **48th USCRTF Meeting Update**
- 4:40 – 4:50 **Updates from members to share**
- Identification of dates for DC Business Meeting (April 18 or 26?)
- 4:50 – 5:00 **Closing**