



**AGENDA**  
**AWSC Meeting — Open Public Meeting**  
**December 5<sup>th</sup> 2017**  
**Location: Board Room, Dena'ina Convention Center**

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| 8:30          | Call to order   |
| 8:30 – 9:00   | Invocation and Introductions  |
| 9:00 – 9:30   | Review of staffing and funding activities since last meeting:<br><i>Chairman Goodwin and Executive Secretary Jenny Evans</i>  |
| 9:30 – 10:00  | Review of 1) key reports and actions (e.g., Maritime Insurance in the Arctic; Heavy Fuel Oil) pertaining to the Arctic Waterways, 2) subcommittee activities since last meeting (SOC and Communications), and 3) updates to the Arctic Waterways Safety Plan<br><i>Chairman Goodwin, Martin Robards, Jenny Evans, and Katya Wassillie</i> |
| 10:00 – 10:45 | Roundtable for stakeholder updates on 2017 activities and key events planned for 2018 – and particularly any opportunities for improving communication and reducing potential conflict.   |
| 10:45 – 11:00 | Break   |
| 11:00 – 11:30 | USCG Arctic Overview & Introduction of Key USCG Personnel. Role of AWSC in USCG Planning.<br><i>Rear Admiral Michael McAllister, District 17 Commander<br/>Sector Anchorage, Captain MacKenzie<br/>Chief of Prevention, Captain Hilbert<br/>Tribal Liaison, Clint Scott</i>   |
| 11:30 – 12:00 | USCG Update on Port Access Route Study<br><i>LCDR Mike Newell</i>   |
| 12:00 – 12:30 | Arctic Maritime Traffic Statistics and Routes for 2016<br><i>Candace Nachman, NOAA Fisheries</i>  |



12:30 – 2:00	Lunch
2:00 – 4:00	Update from Research Vessel Sub-Group Meetings <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Research SOC — <i>Konar</i> (10 minutes)</li><li>• VOTE on SOC</li><li>• Introduction to Research Presentations — <i>Candace Nachman</i> (3 mins)</li><li>• NPRB Arctic Integrated Ecosystem Research Program (IERP) Update — <i>Danielle Dickson, Dr. Seth Danielson and Dr. Ed Farley</i> (20 mins)</li><li>• NOAA and DBO Updates – <i>Candace Nachman</i> (20 mins)</li><li>• UAF/NSF Updates — <i>Lauren Frisch</i> (70 mins)</li></ul>
4:00 – 4:30	Bering Strait Risk Assessment by Ocean Conservancy <i>Sarah Bobbe</i> (including lightering per prior AWSC recommendations).
4:30 – 4:45	Aleutian Islands Waterways Safety Committee Update <i>Aaron Poe</i>
4:45 – 5:00	Arctic Executive Steering Committee as a venue to output AWSC priorities and working topics <i>Jessica Lefevre</i>
5:00 – 5:30	Public Comment
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