



BEACH ECOLOGY COALITION

To enhance ecosystem conservation
and beach management
to balance natural resource
protection and recreational use.

Agenda, Beach Ecology Coalition

14th Annual Spring Meeting

May 18, 2017

Dockweiler Youth Center

12505 Vista Del Mar, Playa Del Rey 90293



Hosted by the Los Angeles County Department of Beaches and Harbors. The program, refreshments, and parking are free to participants.

- 9:00-9:30a *Arrive, coffee and continental breakfast, a time to socialize*
- 9:30 **Welcome and Introductions** – Dennis Simmons, President
- 9:45 **Urban Beach Management in Los Angeles: Multiple Stakeholders, Multiple Uses** – Kenneth Foreman, Sr, Operational Services, LA County Beaches & Harbors
- 10:20 **MPA Fishing Guide, 5- year Review** – Dana Murray, Heal The Bay
- 10:30 **Western Snowy Plovers in LA and Orange County**-- Stacey Vigallon, LA Audubon
- 10:55 **Grunion Greeters in 2017**—Melissa Studer, Beach Ecology Coalition
- 11:15 **Best Management Protocols for Beaches** – Karen Martin, Pepperdine University
- 11:30 Lunch (provided), **open discussion** and networking about beach issues
- 12:30- 1:30p Field trip to see the Western Snowy Plover exclosure at Dockweiler Beach
- 1:45p – 2:45p **Meeting of the Board of Directors**, Beach Ecology Coalition

Dockweiler Youth Center is just below the flight path of LA International Airport, at Dockweiler Beach. At the end of Imperial Highway turn left and drive south. When you see the Youth Center, enter the lot to receive a free parking permit on site. <http://beaches.lacounty.gov/dockweiler-youth-center/>

So that we can have an accurate count **please RSVP by Tuesday 5/16** names and e-mails of attendees to Karen.Martin@pepperdine.edu, office 310-506-4808, mobile 310-713-4808.

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