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February 9, 2018

The California State Parks, Division of Boating and Waterways (DBW), invites you and/or your representative to join the California Boating and Waterways Commission's public tour and meeting on Wednesday and Thursday, February 21 and 22, 2018, in Long Beach, California.

Tour: 1:00 PM, February 21, 2018, Davies Boat Launch Facility, 6204 East Marina Drive, Long Beach, California, 90803

Proposed improvements to this site will be identified for completion with the requested \$300,000 planning grant. The requested grant is scheduled for presentation to the Commission for its advice and comment on February 22, 2018, at its regular meeting.

Due to the possibility of inclement weather, participants are encouraged to wear comfortable shoes and layered clothing for this part of the tour.

2:00 – 4:00 PM, Long Beach Security Division's Department Operations Center, 1249 Pier F Avenue, Long Beach, CA, 90802

Two workshops will be held related to Aquatic Centers and Boating Facility Grants.

Meeting: 8:00 AM – 2 PM, February 22, 2018, at City of Long Beach City Hall, Council Chambers, 333 West Ocean Boulevard, Long Beach, California, 90802

The Commission will provide advice and comment on the \$300,000 planning grant for the proposed Davies Boat Launch Facility improvements as well as a \$200,000 planning grant for proposed improvements to Ramp #1 at the Lake Skinner Boat Launch Facility in Riverside County.

The Commission will hear presentations on the following subjects:

- Clean Marinas, by Jim Hayes, CleanMarina.org
- State of the Marina (Freshwater) Industry in California, by Mark Sandoval, Marine Recreation Association
- State of the Marina (Salt Water) Industry in California, by Kevin Ketchum, Marine Recreation Association
- DBW Programs: Abandoned Watercraft Abatement Fund Program, Boating Safety Equipment Enforcement Program, California Vessel Operator Card (aka Boater Card), and the Aquatic Invasive Plant Control Program

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The meeting agenda may be found at www.dbw.ca.gov 10 calendar days before the tour date. We hope you will be able to join us for the tour and/or meeting. If you are unable to attend, the meeting will be live webcast, with archived video provided, following the meeting at www.cal-span.org.

All meetings are open to the public and accessible to those with disabilities.

If you are interested in joining us, or if you are in need of special accommodations, please RSVP to Lupe Perez-Samaniego, Administrative Assistant, by February 15, 2018. Ms. Perez-Samaniego may be reached at (916) 327-1778, or via email to Lupe.Perez-Samaniego@parks.ca.gov.

Best,

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