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To whom it may concern:

The Oregon Ocean Policy Advisory Council (OPAC) is seeking qualified applications to serve on the Territorial Sea Plan (TSP) - Rocky Shores Working Group. This working group is tasked with amending Part 3 of the Territorial Sea Plan, the Rocky Shores Management

Strategy. OPAC is seeking applicants who can effectively represent one or more of the following interests:

- Conservation
- Education
- Commercial Fishing
- Recreational Fishing
- Coastal tourism
- Coastal Research
- Local Government
- **Tribal Government**

Interested individuals must submit a letter of interest and resume by December 14, 2017 using the subject line "TSP Rocky Shores Working Group Application" (contact information below). To learn more about the OPAC and the TSP Rocky Shores Working Group, visit www.Oregonocean.info/OPAC.

Ideal candidates will be Oregon residents who represent one or more of the interests listed above. Desirable attributes include familiarity with rocky shore resources, previous involvement with OPAC and/or OPAC working groups, and association with a group representing the listed interests as a member of a board, commission, or sub-committee.

The Territorial Sea Plan - Rocky Shores Working Group, a sub-committee of the Oregon Ocean Policy Advisory Council, is re-established as needed to update and amend the Territorial Sea Plan. This long overdue amendment will incorporate up-to-date natural and social science, as well as public comment, to best determine future strategies for managing rocky intertidal habitats. Current Working Group members represent, non-consumptive recreation, the public-at-large, and state and federal agencies.

Working Group members meet bi-monthly, and as needed during public scoping periods, to identify and draft management recommendations for adoption into the TSP. Working Group members are volunteers, and travel support to attend meetings and workshop is available.

*Please include the subject line "TSP Rocky Shores Working Group Application" when submitting application materials.

Send all application materials, and any questions to:

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