



*As a collaborative network, we work toward a healthy and resilient ecosystem that sustains all life and human wellbeing on the North Olympic Peninsula and along the Strait of Juan de Fuca.*

**DRAFT April 2024 Quarterly Meeting Agenda**

Friday, April 19, 2024 - 10:30 AM – 2:00 PM

Red Cedar Hall, Blyn WA

All meeting materials, including agenda, zoom link and documents can be found here:

[Meetings — Strait Ecosystem Recovery Network](#)

Time	Topic	Lead/Presenter
10:30 am	<b>Welcome &amp; introductions around the room and zoom</b>	<i>Kara Cardinal (Co-chair Heidi Eisenhour will be late to the meeting)</i>
10:50 am	<b>Climate Resilient Riparian Systems Lead (CR2SL) partnership between Ecology, Bonneville Environmental Foundation, and the State Conservation Commission</b>	<i>Colin Hume, Puget Sound Recovery Lead, WA Department of Ecology</i>
11:10 am	<b>PSP Ecosystem Coordination Board Local Forum - final topic selection discussion - Thursday, May 9 @ Dungeness River Nature Center</b>	<i>Kara Cardinal, Strait ERN Coordinator</i>
11:30 am	<i>Stretch break!</i>	
11:40 am	<b>Roundtable Updates:</b> Opportunity for Strait ERN members to share about current work, project updates, collaborative requests, and support/resources needed	<i>All Strait ERN members</i>
12:20 pm	<b>Strait ERN Updates:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Puget Sound Partnership Leadership Council Update</li> <li>● Ecosystem Recovery Board nominations</li> <li>● Update on Strait ERN “mini-grant” RFP process &amp; schedule</li> </ul>	<i>Russell Hepfer, Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe Vice Chairman Kara Cardinal, Strait ERN Coordinator</i>
12:30 pm	<i>Lunch break &amp; networking</i>	

1:00 pm	<b>Presentation &amp; discussion: Marine Carbon Removal Technologies</b>	<i>Sara Nawaz, Institute for Responsible Carbon Removal, American University</i>
1:20 pm	<p><b><u>Habitat SIL Funding:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Funding will increase capacity and workforce development to meet Puget Sound habitat recovery goal</li> <li>● Funding will support new science, synthesis, and analysis for improved protection and restoration of kelp and eelgrass in Puget Sound.</li> <li>● <b>Open Now - closes May 22, 2024</b></li> </ul> <p><b><u>Stormwater SIL Funding:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Innovative Best Management Practice Installations in Toxic Hotspots and Transportation Areas (<b><i>Open Now - closes May 22, 2024</i></b>)</li> <li>● Assisting Local Governments Protect and Improve Water Quality and Salmon Recovery through Smart Growth Planning (<b><i>Opens April 8, 2024</i></b>)</li> </ul>	<i>Kara, SIL and/or PSP Rep, group discussion</i>
1:45 pm	<b>Closing thoughts/announcements/events/discuss future meeting dates</b>	<i>All Strait ERN members</i>

**Proposed future meeting dates:**

- **Friday September 20, 2024**

This meeting will be recorded only for the purpose of drafting Notes and Next Steps.  
Times/speakers subject to change depending on schedule & availability.

**Full Zoom info:**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82357725933>

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