

**NOAA Science Advisory Board (SAB)
Teleconference
31 August 2017**

1:00– 4:15 PM Eastern Daylight Time

If you are interested in participating via webinar, please see note following the agenda.

**Location: SSMC 3, Room 01215
1315 East-West Highway
Silver Spring, MD 20910**

1:00 PM Call to Order
Lynn Scarlett, The Nature Conservancy and Chair, NOAA SAB

SAB Consent Calendar

Lynn Scarlett, The Nature Conservancy and Chair, NOAA SAB

- July 5, 2017 teleconference meeting minutes
- Working Group status reports

DECISIONAL: SAB approves items on the list

1:05 PM NOAA Update
Benjamin Friedman, Deputy Under Secretary for Operations Performing the duties of Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere and NOAA Administrator

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1:35 PM Discussion of Next Steps for Short-Term Topics for SAB Advice
Lynn Scarlett, The Nature Conservancy and Chair, NOAA SAB
Benjamin Friedman, Deputy Under Secretary for Operations Performing the duties of Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere and NOAA Administrator

DECISIONAL: SAB and NOAA agree on next steps

2:30 PM Discussion of Data from the Review of SAB Working Groups and Next Steps
Lynn Scarlett, The Nature Conservancy and Chair, NOAA SAB
Benjamin Friedman, Deputy Under Secretary for Operations Performing the duties of Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere and NOAA Administrator

Standing Working Group Chairs

DECISIONAL: SAB decides whether to accept the report and what recommendations to send to NOAA

3:00 PM Break

FINAL – August 30, 2017

- 3:15 PM** **The Weather Research and Forecasting Innovation Act of 2017**
Mary Erickson, Deputy Assistant Administrator, National Weather Service
Gary Matlock, Deputy Assistant Administrator for Science, Office of Oceanic
and Atmospheric Research
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- 4:00 PM** **Public Comment**
- 4:10 PM** **Review of Actions**
Cynthia J. Decker, Executive Director, SAB
- 4:15 PM** **Adjourn**

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