



California's Marine Life Protection Act Initiative Second Phase Participants

Implementation of the California Marine Life Protection Act (MLPA) Initiative's second phase will be carried out by a set of public and private partners. These include the MLPA Blue Ribbon Task Force, and the staff and contractors hired to support the initiative, in cooperation with scientists, stakeholders and the general public. This list identifies some of the organizations, entities and people that will be, or are likely to be, engaged in the MLPA Initiative.

Institutional Partners

- California Resources Agency
- California Department of Fish and Game
- Resources Legacy Fund Foundation
- California Fish and Game Commission

MLPA Initiative Groups

- MLPA Blue Ribbon Task Force
- MLPA Statewide Interests Group
- Science advisory team
- Regional science sub-team
- Regional stakeholder group
- MLPA Steering Committee
- MLPA I-Team (task force and DFG staff and advisors)

Stakeholders

- Ocean industries, including commercial fishing
- Ocean recreation, including diving, sport fishing, whale-watching
- Conservation groups
- Educational and research institutions
- Other government agencies
- General public

Contractors

- Facilitation
- Outreach and communication
- Document editing and preparation
- Technical research
- GIS support
- Legal analyses