

Alaska Association of Harbormasters and Port Administrators

September 26-30, 2022

Hosted by the Port of Nome

*Unless otherwise stated, all sessions will take place at the Mini Convention Center

Monday, September 26, 2022

1430 – 1630	Board of Directors Meeting		Council Chambers, City Hall
1700 – 2000	Welcome Reception – catered CEC		Bering Sea Bar

Tuesday, September 27, 2022

0700 – 0800	Breakfast and Registration		
0800 – 0830	Welcome Remarks	Mayor John Handeland Melanie Bahnke, President Kawerak, Inc.	
0830 - 0840	U.S. Senator Dan Sullivan		Recorded Message
0840 – 1000	Arctic Deep Draft Port at Nome	USACE; City; PND; CRW/NJUS	
1000 – 1020	Break		
1020 – 1055	CGCYBER: Why Cyber Matters (Introduction by CAPT Leanne Lusk Sector Anchorage – Captain of the Port	LCDR DuBose or LT Fredericksen	
1055 – 1105	Coast Guard D17 - Alaska	RADM Nathan Moore District 17 CDR	Recorded Message
1105 – 1140	Coast Guard District 17 – Overview	CAPT Michelle Bas Chief of Prevention	
1140 – 1215	Economic Trends, Challenges & Opportunities	Mike Fisher, VP Northern Economics	
1215 – 1330	Lunch – catered CEC		
1330 – 1415	Call of the Ports (Part One)		
1415 – 1500	Coast Guard – Sector ANC Operations Update & Marine Transportation System Recovery	CDR Jereme Altendorf, Arctic Coordinator CDR John Downing, Chief of Prevention, Mr. Dan Payne	
1500 – 1520	Break		
1520 – 1605	Call of the Ports (Part Two)		
1605 – 1700	Port and Harbor Facilities Tour		
1730 – 2000	Exhibitors Reception – catered BSB/		

Wednesday, September 28, 2022

0700 – 0800	Breakfast and Registration – catered CEC		
0805 – 0815	U.S. Senator Lisa Murkowski		Recorded message
0815 – 0855	Ports & Harbors Infrastructure	Ryan Anderson Commissioner - ADOT	
0855 – 0935	Infrastructure Funding Programs	Garrett Boyle Executive Director Denali Commission	
0935 – 0955	Break		
0955 – 1035	Changing Arctic Fisheries	Duane Stevenson NOAA Marine Fisheries	
1035 – 1115	Wharf Construction Alternatives at the Port of Alaska	David Ames, Program Manager PAMP, Jacobs Engineering	
1115 – 1130	Harbor Grant Program Applications & Rankings	Joanne Schmidt, ADOT Planner	
1140 – 1330	Lunch - (shuttle vans will transport – others are welcome to walk (see map)		Old St. Joe's (Restored) Church
1330 – 1430	Arctic Tales	(pending)	
1430 – 1830	Nome Adventures*		
1830.....	Pizza Bash	(location pending)	

Thursday, September 29

0700 – 0800	Breakfast and Registration		
0800 – 0835	Vessel Traffic Trends in Western Alaska and the Arctic	Steve White, Executive Director, Alaska Marine Exchange	
0835 – 0905	NOAA Charting and Navigation Updates	Hadley Owen	
0905 – 0945	An Adventure into Nome’s History	Charlie Lean – Fisheries Biologist 50-year Nome resident	
0945 – 1015	Port & Harbor Infrastructure Funding	Catherine Simons USDOT - MARAD	
1015 – 1030	Break		
1030 – 1105	Abandoned & Derelict Vessels	Aaron Timian Program Coordinator Alaska DNR - ADV	Virtual
1105 - 1140	Cruise Ship Tourism in the Arctic and across the state	Renee Limoge Reeve – VP of Govt & Community Relations Cruise Line International Assoc.	
1135 – 1210	Resource Development in the Arctic	Loren Prosser – Project Manager Blake Bogart – Logistics/Site Mgr Graphite One Alaska, Inc.	
1210 – 1315	Lunch		
1315 – 1350	A Transitioning Bering Strait Region	Gay Sheffield – UAF Alaska Sea Grant	
1350 – 1430	Harbor Monitoring & Clean Harbor Activities in Alaska’s Harbors	Maryann Fidel; Sarah Apsens – Water Quality Alaska DEC	
1430 – 1445	Break		
1445 – 1520	Pollution Survey Results & Pilot Project	Tav Ammu Alaska Clean Harbors	
1520 – 1600	Changing Weather and Ice in the Arctic	Rick Thoman Climate Specialist IARC/UAF	Virtual
1730 – 2030	Dinner Banquet – catered CEC/BSB		

Friday, September 30

0700 – 0800	Breakfast		
0800 – 0845	Maintaining Ongoing Operations during Modifications at the Port of Alaska	David Ames, Program Manager PAMP, Jacobs Engineering	
0845 – 1045	General Membership Meeting		
1045	Closing Comments		

THANKS FOR COMING TO NOME!!!