



## American Samoa Ocean Planning Team Kick-Off Meeting

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January 6-7, 2015  
9:00 am – 4:30 pm

Department of Port Administration  
Seaport Conference Room  
Pago Pago, American Samoa

**HOST:** American Samoa Government  
**ORGANIZERS:** Pacific Islands Regional Planning Body  
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### OBJECTIVES:

1. Increase our understanding of the benefits and requirements of coastal and marine spatial planning (ocean planning) for American Samoa and the Pacific Islands region.
2. Identify opportunities for ocean planning to build upon existing American Samoa ocean management groups and strategies.
3. Develop a work plan for drafting the American Samoa coastal and marine spatial plan.
4. Confirm membership in the American Samoa Planning Team.
5. Pilot a viable planning process to develop jurisdictional plans for later regional integration.

### DAY 1

9:00 Welcome  
10:00 Background on Coastal and Marine Spatial Planning  
10:30 Break  
10:45 Coastal and Marine Spatial Plans: What are they? What might be included?  
*Participants will begin capturing ideas for review during Day 2*  
12:00 Lunch (no host)  
1:00 Coastal and Marine Spatial Planning Training  
3:45 Break  
4:00 Wrap-up  
4:30 Adjourn

**DAY 2**

- 9:00 Review of Day 1 and groundrules
- 9:30 Review of CMS Plan elements
- 9:45 Small Group Discussion: Review of captured ideas (working break)
- 10:45 Report out: Adopt elements and start formulating a plan outline!
- 11:00 Group Discussion: Brainstorm tasks
- 12:00 Lunch (no host)
- 1:00 Review and adopt work tasks
- 2:30 Break
- 2:45 Commitments and Membership: Who are team leads? Are we missing anyone?
- 3:15 Generate a timeline to complete tasks
- 4:00 Wrap Up
- 4:30 Adjourn