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Staff Workshops on Assembly Bill 3: Offshore Wind Seaport Readiness – Day 2

Siting, Transmission, and Environmental Protection Division

November 13-14, 2025



Logistics

- Remote-only workshops
- Recordings will be posted
- Public comments
 - Verbal comments at the end of the workshop
 - Written comments by December 19, 2025





Workshops Schedule – Day 1

1. Welcome and Logistics (9:00)
2. Opening Remarks (9:05)
3. AB 3 Overview and Update (9:15)
4. Overview of California Offshore Wind Port Planning (9:30)
5. Panel 1: Seaport Readiness and Planning (9:45)
6. Break (11:00)
7. Panel 2: Maritime Co-Use and Coordination (11:05)
8. Public Comments (12:20)



Workshops Schedule – Day 2

1. Welcome and Logistics (9:00)
2. Opening Remarks (9:05)
3. Panel 3: Economic and Workforce Opportunities and Tribal and Community Benefits (9:15)
4. Panel 4: Minimizing Impacts and Incorporating Equity and Environmental Justice in Seaport Development (10:30)
5. Lunch Break (11:45)
6. Panel 5: Port Funding and Financing Priorities and Strategies (12:45)
7. Public Comments (1:45)



Opening Remarks – Day 2

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Panel 3: Economic and Workforce Opportunities and Tribal and Community Benefits

Moderator: **Josh Sonnenfeld**, Senior Policy Researcher, UC Berkeley Labor Center

- **Heidi Moore-Guynup**, Director Tribal and Government Affairs, Blue Lake Rancheria
- **Kerry Venegas**, Executive Director, Changing Tides Family Services
- **Cesar Lara**, Director of Workforce Strategy, California Federation of Labor Standards



Panel 4: Minimizing Impacts and Incorporating Equity and Environmental Justice in Seaport Development

Moderator: **Javier Padilla**, Coastal Program Manager, California Coastal Commission

- **Lonyx Landry**, INRSEP Coordinator & Advisor, Cal Poly Humboldt
- **Fernando Marquez Duarte**, Contracted Interpreter & Policy Researcher, People's Collective for Environmental Justice
- **Colleen Clifford**, Manila Resident, Peninsula Community Collaborative (PCC)
- **Sylvia van Royen**, GIS & Policy Analyst, Humboldt Waterkeeper



Aerial map of the San Francisco Bay Area. The map shows the coastline of the bay, with several locations labeled. The labels are: Arcata (top right), Manila (top center), Samoa Port Site (center left), Tuluwat (center right), Fairhaven (bottom left), and Eureka (bottom center). The map shows the bay's water, the surrounding land, and the locations of the labels. The labels are in a stylized font, with some in white and some in black. The map is oriented with the bay on the left and the land on the right.

Arcata

Manila

Samoa
Port Site

Tuluwat

Fairhaven

Eureka



Lunch Break

60 minutes





Panel 5: Port Funding and Financing Priorities and Strategies

Moderator: **Eli Harland**, Supervisor, California Energy Commission

- **Sean Boyd**, Managing Director, Ernst & Young Infrastructure Advisors, LLC
- **Mike Taylor**, Head of Ports U.S. Renewables, Equinor
- **Johannes Maus**, Senior Vice President at Macquarie Asset Management, Macquarie



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Assembly Bill 3 California Offshore Wind Advancement Act

[Assembly Bill \(AB\) 3](#) (Zbur, Chapter 314, Statutes of 2023), or the California Offshore Wind Advancement Act (COWAA), requires the California Energy Commission (CEC), in consultation with specified state agencies, including the [State Lands Commission](#), [California Coastal Commission](#), [California Workforce Development Board](#), [Ocean Protection Council](#), [Department of Fish and Wildlife](#), [Governor's Office of Business and Economic](#)

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Closing Remarks

Submit written comments to the AB 3 docket (Docket # 25-AB-03):

- Go to the program webpage “[Assembly Bill 3 California Offshore Wind Advancement Act](#)”
- Click on “**Submit Comment (25-AB-03)**” (on the right-hand side)
- Comments are due **December 19, 2025, by 5:00pm**

Technical questions, contact assemblybill3reports@energy.ca.gov

More information is available on the AB 3 webpage:
<https://www.energy.ca.gov/data-reports/reports/assembly-bill-3-california-offshore-wind-advancement-act>