

# Achieving Coastal 30x30

for People, Nature, and Climate



Join us for a 3-part online series where we will share information on coastal 30x30 projects and funding priorities to benefit people, nature, and climate.

## Explore Coastal 30x30 Solutions

Wednesday, March 8, 2023

10am – 12pm PST

Hear speakers from NOAA, California Ocean Protection Council, and other coastal leaders share details on Coastal 30x30 framing and priorities.

Framing coastal 30x30 and national priorities:

- **Lauren Wenzel**, Director, NOAA's Marine Protected Areas (MPA) Center
- **Michael Esgro**, Senior Biodiversity Program Manager & Tribal Liaison, California Ocean Protection Council

Case Studies:

- **Mary Schoell**, Project Coordinator, Narragansett Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve, Rhode Island
- **Doug Harper**, Executive Director, Malama Maunalua, Hawai'i
- **Gabriela Polo**, Director, Coastal Quest
- **Robert J. Mayer**, Ph.D., PI & Project Director, Vida Marina, University of Puerto Rico

## Learn About Coastal 30x30 Funding Priorities

Friday, March 10, 2023

10am – 12pm PST

Hear from the philanthropic community along with NOAA and the California State Coastal Conservancy about funding priorities and programs.

- **Joelle Gore**, Stewardship Division Chief, NOAA Office for Coastal Management
- **Mary Small**, Deputy Executive Officer, California State Coastal Conservancy
- **Yamilett Carrillo**, Director, Senior Program Manager, Binational Resilience Initiative, San Diego Foundation
- **Sara Lowell**, Marine Program Director, Marisla Foundation

## Join Our Coastal 30x30 Community for a Conversation About Funding

Monday, March 13, 2023

10am – 11:30am PST

Meet others in the community and learn about blending financing and current funding opportunities.

- **Paul Detjens**, Senior Civil Engineer/Program Manager, Contra Costa County Flood Control and Water Conservation District
- **Wesley Crile**, Coastal Dune Restoration and Management Coordinator, University of Hawai'i Sea Grant
- **Kevin Whilden**, Co-founder and Director, SeaTrees by Sustainable Surf
- **Makalea Ane**, Community Program Manager, The Nature Conservancy Hawai'i
- **Kim Falinski**, Marine Science Advisor, The Nature Conservancy Hawai'i