Who Are We?

- General authority police agencies
- Statewide jurisdiction and beyond
- Focus is on natural resource protection
- 600 community based uniformed officers
- Investigative units/Special Ops Teams
- Enforce federal regulations adopted into state law
At-Sea/In-River Vessel Strength

Patrol vessels are deployed throughout the west coast states where a federal fisheries nexus exists, ranging in size and purpose (offshore, near-shore, and river boats)

- WDFW – 67 vessels, the Corliss is the largest at 56’
- OSP – 47 vessels, the Guardian is the largest at 50’
- CADFG – 126 vessels, the largest is the Blue Fin at 65’
Joint Enforcement Agreement (JEA)

- Authorized by the Magnuson Stevens Management and Conservation Act
- JEAs provide the authority for the states to enforce federal fishery management regulations and to receive funding for such efforts
- 30-Year working relationship with NOAA as ex officio NOAA agents
- Funding began in 2002
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JEA 2012 Priorities

Washington
- Endangered Species
- Groundfish
- North Pacific Halibut
- International Fisheries
- Marine Mammals
- Marine Sanctuaries
- WOC Salmon

Oregon
- Groundfish
- Endangered Species
- North Pacific Halibut
- International Fisheries
- Highly Migratory Sp.
- Marine Mammals

California
- Groundfish
- Salmon/Steelhead
- Marine Sanctuaries
- Marine Mammals
Endangered Species Act

- Species Protection
- Habitat Protection
  - Illegal mining activity
  - Illegal water diversions
  - Removal/Fill
  - Marijuana Operations
Land Area Affected by Endangered Species Act Listings of Salmon & Steelhead

* 28 distinct population segments:
  5 endangered, 23 threatened

* 176,000 sq. miles in Washington, Oregon, Idaho & California

* 61% of Washington’s land area,
  55% of Oregon’s, 26% of Idaho’s, &
  32% of California’s
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ESA Enforcement Data

Contacts:
- Commercial: 1,286 (974)
- Recreational: 40,976 (24,035)

Enforcement Actions:
- Warnings: 1,967 (1,471)
- Citations: 1,507 (1,193)
- NIC: 1,292
- Custodial Arrests: 26 (12)
- Referrals: 9 (16)
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Groundfish

- Overfished/Prohibited Species
- Area Closures – RCAs, Marine Sanctuaries
- Catch Accounting
- Trip Limits
- Gear Restrictions
Groundfish Enforcement Data

Contacts:
- Commercial: 5,371 (3,621)
- Recreational: 25,184 (17,870)

Enforcement Actions:
- Warnings: 1,049 (1,231)
- Citations: 712 (531)
- Arrests: 2 (5)
- Referrals: 10 (17)
- NIC: 188
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Halibut

- Licenses/Permits
- Bag and Possession Limits
- Gear Restrictions
- Closed Time/Area/Fathom Lines
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Halibut Enforcement Data
(WA and OR data)

Contacts:
- Commercial: 352 (1,033)
- Recreational: 1,949 (1,079)

Enforcement Actions:
- Warnings: 146 (141)
- Citations: 63 (51)
- NIC: 62
- Referrals: 2
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International Fisheries/Lacey Act

Two approaches to enforcement:

- On the water patrols
- Market place/shipper inspections
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International/Lacey Enforcement Data

Contacts:
- Commercial: 1,107 (922)
- Dealers Inspected: 890

Enforcement Actions:
- Warnings: 52 (42)
- Citations: 77 (26)
- NIC: 32
- Referrals: 2
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Marine Mammals

Issues:
- Unlawful Take
- Harassment
- Stranding

Contacts:
- Commercial: 22
- Recreational: 185 (222)

Enforcement Actions:
- Warnings: 5 (9)
- Citations: 2 (13)
- NIC: 7
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Marine Sanctuaries
CA/WA

Issues:
- Unlawful Take
- Harassment
- Stranding

Contacts:
- Commercial: 368 (22)
- Recreational: 1,205 (155)

Enforcement Actions:
- Warnings: 39 (21)
- Citations: 27 (10)
Enforcement Data

Hours:
- Dockside Hours: 35,769
- At-Sea Personnel: 13,124
- Air-Personnel: 148

Contacts:
- Commercial Contacts: 8,569 (7,170)
- Recreational Contacts: 73,051 (48,007)

Enforcement Actions:
- Warnings: 3,573
- Citations: 2,584
- Custodial Arrests: 36
- Not In Compliance: 1,581
- Referrals: 24
Oregon

- **97,131 square miles**
- **112,000 miles of streams – 6,000 lakes**
- **363 miles of coastline - 72,400 square miles of Pacific Ocean**
- In 2012, the ODFW sold 833,144 total angling, hunting, and shellfish licenses
- Population exceeds 3.8 million and is increasing
1981-83 Biennial Actual Program Revenues

$10.9 million Total Funds

- **ODFW** $8,331,971 (76%)
- **General Fund** $2,369,878 (22%)
- **Marine Board** $134,428 (1%)
- **Misc Receipts** $132,601 (1%)

Authorized FTE = 122
2013-2015 Biennial Estimated Program Revenues
$40.5 million Total Funds

- ODFW
  - $23,969,878
  - 59%

- General Fund
  - $2,774,488
  - 7%

- Marine Board
  - $1,907,178
  - 5%

- Lottery Funds
  - $6,812,205
  - 17%

- Federal Funds
  - $2,233,376
  - 5%

- Other
  - $2,821,609
  - 7%

Authorized FTE = 118
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Legislative Changes

- GPS Trackers
- Commercial Fishing Offenses
  - Class A Violations when committed with no culpable mental state
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- Consumer protection measure
- Collaboration between WDFW, WDAG, Commercial fishing / processing industry
- Increases penalties for mislabeling
- Created labeling standard
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QUESTIONS?