



**22nd South West Pacific Hydrographic Commission
Meeting**

Monday 3 March to Wednesday 5 March 2025

Palau Royal Hotel, Koror, Palau



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Monday 3 March 2025				
	08.30	SWPHC22 Day 1		
	15 mins	Registration and testing of virtual connection - Google Meet link https://meet.google.com/dob-owqu-uxz		
	08.45	Opening prayer Opening Ceremony		
		Health and Safety Administrative arrangements		SWPHC Sec (Rebecca Cusack)
	9.10	Opening Remarks		
1	5 mins	Welcome address by Chair of the SWPHC Confirm 2/3 of MS for quorum		SWPHC Chair (Hilary Thompson)
	10 mins	Address by Chief Guest		TBA
	5 mins	Address by IHO Director		IHO Dir (John Nyberg)
2	25 mins	Introductions Face to Face and virtual participants to introduce themselves	Name Country Position	All
	10.00-11.00	Photo and Morning Tea break		
3	5 mins	Approval of the Agenda Chair will invite participants to comment on the agenda and timetable in case updates are necessary. Agenda is adopted.	SWPHC22-03	SWPHC Chair
4	5 mins	Approval of Minutes of SWPHC21 Meeting Approval of the SWPHC21 minutes	SWPHC22-04	SWPHC Chair
5	25 mins	Matters arising from Minutes of SWPHC21 List of Actions from SWPHC21 is reviewed and updated	SWPHC22-05	SWPHC Sec
6	5 mins	SWPHC Statutes Any proposals for changes to the Statutes	SWPHC22-06	SWPHC Sec
	11.40	IHO matters		
7	25 mins	IHO Secretariat Report IHO Director will provide the report SWPHC and IHO Membership and outcomes of the IHO Council 8	SWPHC22-07	IHO Director (John Nyberg)
8	10 mins	Highlights of WENDWG15 Michael Andrew as Australian delegate will provide an overview of the Worldwide ENC Database Working Group (WENDWG)	SWPHC22-08a	Michael Andrew (AU) by VTC
	15 mins	Highlights of HSSC16 FR on behalf of HSSC Vice Chair will provide an overview of the HSSC16 meeting	SWPHC22-08b	G. Voineson on behalf of Vice-Chair (FR)



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	12.30-13.30	Lunch		
9		National Reports and Presentations Member States, Associate Members and Observers present the highlights of their National Report (Summary, AU, FJ, FR, NZ, PG, WS, SB, TO, UK, US, VU, CK, ID, KI, NR, NU, PW, MH, NC, TV)	SWPHC22-09(A-U)	
	15.00 -15.15	Afternoon Tea break		
9		National Reports and Presentations (continued)		
		Day 1 wrap up and Day 2 preparation		
		Closing prayer		
	17.00	Day 1 close		
	18.00	Official Dinner –Palau Royal Hotel		



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Tuesday 4 March				
		Testing of audio and visual connection Google Meet link https://meet.google.com/dob-owqu-uxz		
		SWPHC22 Day 2		
	0830	Opening Prayer		
10	60 mins	Relevant International / Regional organisations reports and activities Following organizations will highlight their activities and experiences relevant to SWPHC. IALA IMO (IMO Regulatory Framework and S-100 Roadmap) Secretariat of Pacific Communities JICA Hydrographic Training and ENC Implementation: Towards Safer Navigation in the Pacific Region	SWPHC22-10A SWPHC22-10B SWPHC22-10C SWPHC22-10D	IALA (Gerardine Delanoye IALA Academy) IMO (Jean Ver Pia Head Asia Pacific Sect), SPC (Salesh Kumar Technical Assessment Lead) JICA (Kei Takashita JICA Expert),
11	15 mins	Pacific One Maritime Framework	SWPHC22-11	SPC and Hilary Thompson
12	30 mins	IHO Strategic Plan Review WG 2027 to 2032 15 minute introduction then Kinetic activity to gather MS comments	SWPHC22-12	SWPHC Representative (Adam Greenland NZ)
	10.15- 10.30	Morning Tea break		
13	30 mins	Work Plan and Priorities Working Group Launch the Work Plan	SWPHC22-13	SWPHC WPPWG Chair (Adam Greenland NZ)
14	15 mins	Crowdsourced Bathymetry (CSB) / IHO Data Centre for Digital Bathymetry (DCDB) Director of the IHO DCDB will provide an update on CSB and IHO DCDB activities	SWPHC22-14	IHO DCDB Director (Jen Jenks US)
15	20 mins	GEBCO/Seabed 2030, Pacific Ocean Regional Center (PaC) SWPHC CSB Update on progress on mapping the world oceans; and data sharing within the region	SWPHC22-15	Kevin Mackay (Head of Seabed 2030 PaC)
16	15 mins	Regional coordination of UNCLOS Marine Scientific Research vessel activities in support of Seabed 2030 mission for GEBCO	SWPHC22-16	Kevin Mackay (Head of Seabed 2030 PaC)



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	12.00-1300	Lunch break		
17	60 mins	Palau Focus	SWPHC22-17	
		Overview – Palau Bureau of Marine Transportation	SWPHC22-17A	ATON Team
		Adequacy of Nautical Charting in Palauan Waters	SWPHC22-17B	CAPT Arvin Raymond - Pilot
		Palau Hydrographic Surveys - Coral Reef Research Foundation	SWPHC22-17C	Dr Patrick Collins
		Palau Hydrographic Surveys - Palau Automated Land and Resources Information System	SWPHC22-17D	David Idip
18	45 mins	Highlights of CBSC 16 SWPHC CB Co-ordinator will provide an overview of the CBSC 16 meeting Develop Capacity Building Strategy Workshop activity to develop our SWPHC Capacity Building Strategy	SWPHC22-18	SWPHC CB Co-ordinator (Amanda Williams US)
19	10 mins	Hydrographic Leaders Program Update On Cohort 2	SWPHC22-19	Sophia Weithaler
	15.00-15.15	Afternoon Tea break		
20	15 mins	Highlights of IHO MSDIWG15 MSDIWG Chair will provide an overview of the Marine Spatial Data Infrastructure Working Group (MSDIWG)	SWPHC22-20	MSDIWG Chair (Caitlin Boatright US)
21	15 mins	Update from SWPHC Marine Spatial Data Infrastructure Working Group (MSDIWG) Chair of MSDIWG will provide an update of the WG activities and MSDI regional initiatives	SWPHC22-21	SWPHC MSDIWG Chair (Helen Phillips UK)
22	60 mins	The IGIF Talanoa	SWPHC22-22	Nicholas Pion (PG), Daniel Miners and Helen Phillips (UK)
		Day 2 wrap up and Day 3 preparation		
		Closing prayer		
	17.00	Day 2 close		



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		Testing of audio and visual connection Google Meet link https://meet.google.com/dob-owqu-uxz		
	08.30	SWPHC22 Day 3		
		Opening Prayer		
23	15 mins	Satellite Derived Bathymetry Processing Chains SHOM will update the Commission on SDB processing developments	SWPHC22-23	G. Voineson (FR)
24	20 mins	Update from International Charting Coordination Working Group (ICCWG) Chair of ICCWG will provide an update of the WG activities since the last SWPHC meeting	SWPHC22-24	SWPHC ICCWG Chair (Rob Cario AU)
25	20 mins	S-100 Implementation – Distribution Status updates from Regional ENC Centres IC-ENC PRIMAR	SWPHC22-25A SWPHC22-25B	Primar – IC-ENC
26	30 mins	S-100 Implementation progress National Stakeholder Groups <ul style="list-style-type: none"> NZ S-100 WG AU S-100 WG 	SWPHC22-26	SWPHC S-100 Coord (Verena Bosselmann-Borsos NZ) (VTC) ICSM S-100 WG (G Balla AU VTC)
27	45 mins	SWP S-100 Coordination Report & Workshop PCA and PIC engagement activity – split into PCA groups kinetic activities	SWPHC22-27	SWPHC S-100 Coord (Verena Bosselmann-Borsos NZ)
	1045-1100	Morning Tea		
28	15 mins each presentation	Industry Showcase	SWPHC 22-28	Moderated by Vice Chair
	11.00-11.15	Carnival Cruises		Mike Drake - VTC
	11.15-11.30	Consulting Where		Andy Coote - VTC
	11.30-11.45	EOMAP		Magnus Wettle - VTC
	11.45-12.00	IIC		Dave Crossman
	12.00-12.15	Ocean Infinity		Andrew Price VTC
	12.15-12.30	Sail Drone		Brian Connon VTC
	12.30-12.45	Teledyne		Daniel Morash – pre-recorded



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	12.45-13.00	Woolpert		Mark Smits
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28	14.00-14.15	Fugro		Paul Seaton VTC
29	20 mins	IHO Engagement C-55 Updates CL engagement Important Deadlines - calendar slide IHO Council and Assembly WHD theme	SWPHC22-29	SWPHC Sec
30	45 mins	IBSC Update IBSC Standards Review – progress Education – CAT A Program UTAS/AMC Australasian Hydrographic Society Pacific and New Zealand highlights – Women in Hydrography	SWPHC22-30A SWPHC22-30B SWPHC22-30C	Rod Nairn (CDRE Rtd) Ms Jade Germein Bradley Cooper and Malindi Reihana-Ruka
	15.20-15.35	Afternoon Tea		
31	30 mins	SWPHC Disaster Response Framework Charter Executive – Sentinel Asia presentation Review of proposed changes to the SWPHC Disaster Response Framework	SWPHC22-31	Takeshi Shiraishi Disasters Charter Executive Sec and Sentinel Asia Sec Stuart Caie (NZ)
32		Appointment of Officers to WG etc	SWPHC22-32	
33	30 mins	Review of Actions and Decisions Review of the actions, decisions and recommendations of the Meeting	SWPHC22-33	
34		Date and venue of next meeting	SWPHC22-34	
	15 mins	Closing Remarks		
		Closing Prayer		
	16.45	Meeting Closes		