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FYI

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Please share with friends that might be interested in protecting the Refuge.



# Dungeness National Wildlife Refuge

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## **Community Meeting**

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**Place: Sequim City Hall Council Chamber**

**Date: Saturday, November 16, 2019**

**Time: 3:00p.m. - 5:00p.m**

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For decades, citizens have been ignored as shellfish aquaculture lobbying paved the way for the unlimited proliferation of this industrial conversion of shorelines. Now it's at the front door threatening to permanently devastate the pristine beauty and essential wildlife sanctuary of our Dungeness National Wildlife Refuge.

### **Major Concerns**

Bird and marine life degradation from:

- ~ significant lost forage area
- ~ loss of eelgrass
- ~ forage fish spawning habitat
- ~ oyster predators, pests, and disease
- ~ on-bottom oyster bag microplastic debris

**Lost pristine views of the Refuge replaced by**

**80,000 black plastic on-bottom oyster bags!**

**Important Things You Can Do**

1. Attend the Community Meeting to get more information.
2. Attend the Public Hearing and comment:

Thursday, November 21, 2019, at 1:00p.m.

Clallam County Courthouse, Commissioners Meeting Room

3. Submit written opposition to the industrial project.

Review and refer to MDNS & SEPA Memo JTS Oyster Farm.

<http://www.clallam.net/features/emailClallam.asp?em=permits&caseid=SHR2017-00011>



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