

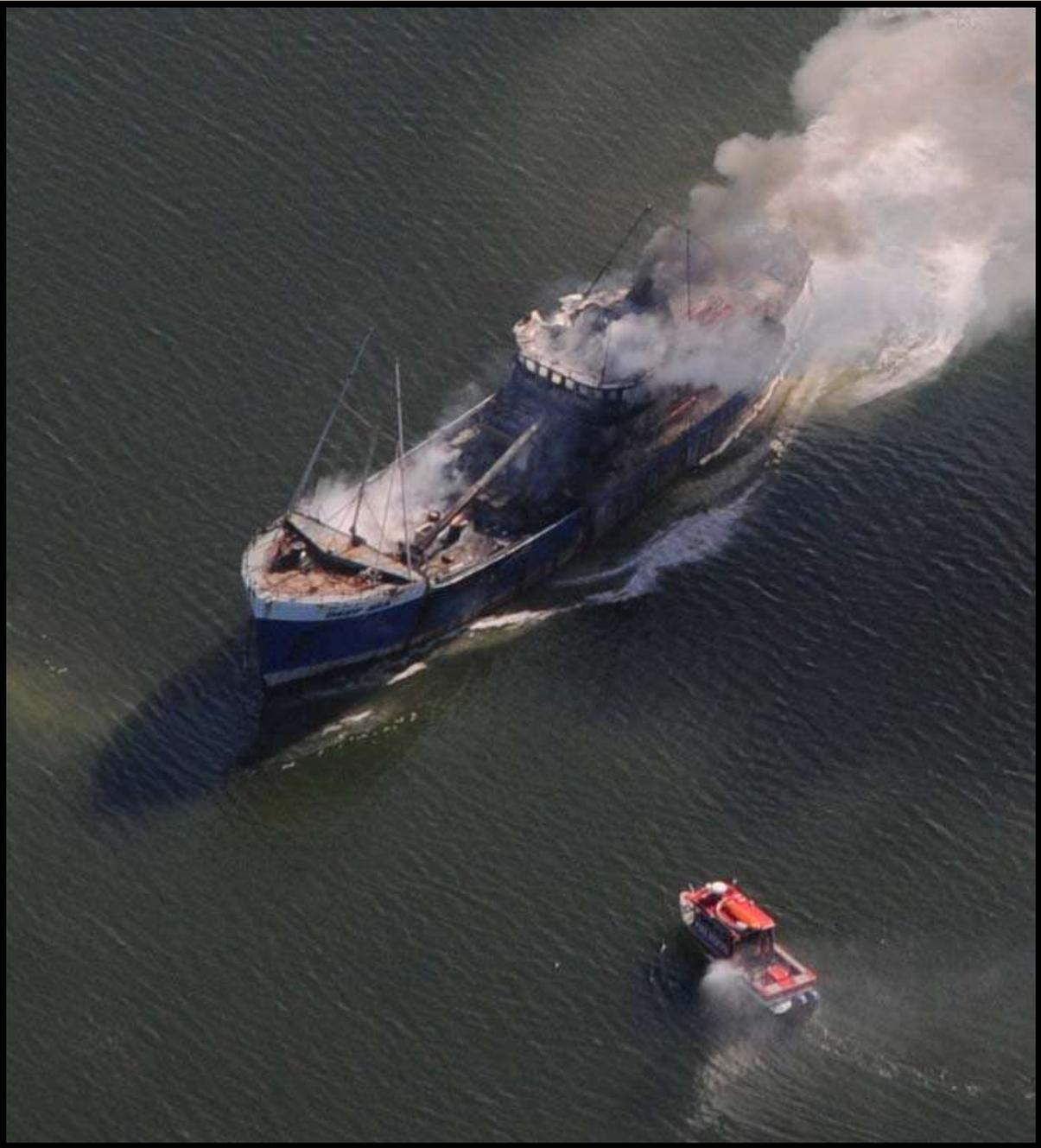


# **APPLICANT WORKSHOP**

## ***Improving Community Oil Spill Preparedness & Response in Regions Most at-Risk***

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August 21, 2012  
(RFP 12-0021)





**Fishing Vessel Deep Sea FIRE in Penn Cove**



*Deep Sea in PENN Cove*

# ***PUGET SOUND MARINE and NEARSHORE GRANT PROGRAM***

- Funded by EPA through National Estuary Program
- Co-led by WDFW and WADNR
- Focus on marine and nearshore protection and restoration



Washington  
Department of  
**FISH and  
WILDLIFE**



WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF  
**Natural Resources**

# ***PURPOSE of WORKSHOP***

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- Provide background on spill issues and the funding opportunity
- Help to ensure proposals are targeted and successful
- Provide consistent answers to questions by applicants
- Meet agency team

# ***GOALS of the FUNDING OPPORTUNITY***

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- Develop local component of the state's oil spill preparedness & response
- Support efforts in regions at greatest risk of large spills
- Protect natural resources at higher risk of damage due to spills
- Facilitate restoration of ecological resources
- Support **Puget Sound Action Agenda** priorities

# ELIGIBLE AREAS

North Puget Sound,  
Strait of Juan De Fuca,  
and San Juan Islands

- North of Admiralty Inlet
- East of Cape Flattery
- West of Deception Pass



# ***ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS***

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*Within the* PUGET SOUND REGION

- Tribal governments
- Local governments
- Non-profit conservation organizations or NGO's
- Institutes of higher learning

# FUNDING

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- \$185,000 for multiple awards
- \$30,000 - \$60,000 per award
- Match is not required, but
- leverage contributes to cost effectiveness
- Funds administered by WDFW



*Both federal and state  
terms and conditions apply*

# ***ROLE of STATE AGENCIES***

***A consortium of WA state agencies will guide successful applicants***



- Department of Ecology
- Department of Fish and Wildlife
- Department of Natural Resources
- Puget Sound Partnership

# ***ELEMENTS of a SUCCESSFUL PROPOSAL***

***Successful proposals will include:***

- **Key Project Elements**
- **All Required Elements**
- **Contribute to the existing response structure**
- **Complete proposal**
- **Meet deadline**

# ***ELEMENTS of a SUCCESSFUL PROPOSAL***

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## **Key Project Elements - *cornerstone of the project:***

- **Northwest Area Committee** Participate in NWAC – annual meetings, strategic planning and committee work groups.
- **Incident Command System - Training** Train pre-designated Local On-Scene Coordinators (LOSC) and other local officials in principles of Incident Command System (ICS), response technology, and the fate and effects of oil spills.
- **Early On-Scene Reconnaissance** Assist state, local and federal emergency response personnel by completing initial field assessments to confirm scale of spills.
- **Biological and Environmental Baseline Data Collection** Train personnel in standardized field procedures, then collect and analyze samples documenting current (pre-oil spill) conditions. This may include ephemeral data collection.

# ***KEY PROJECT ELEMENTS – Cont.***

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- **Geographic Response Plans** GRP activities may include: testing response strategies and installing oil spill boom anchor locations in high risk areas, identifying ecological and economic resources at risk and identifying logistical resources. Note that no GRPs in the study area are scheduled for major revision during the contract period.
- **Public Workshops** Including educating and informing local community members and identifying local response priorities.
- **Oil Spill Drills & Exercises** Participation in these activities is normally reserved for pre-designated Local On-Scene Coordinators (LOSC) only.
- **Other related elements in the RFP** These elements must “make a difference” to the environment, contribute to the state’s existing oil spill preparedness and response system, and build long-term local expertise and interest in oil spill work. The proposals should not expect extensive participation by state spill program personnel, nor that on-going state priorities will be significantly changed or re-scheduled.

# ***ELEMENTS OF A SUCCESSFUL PROPOSAL***

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## **Required Project Elements:**

- Current role & capacity in spill preparedness, response, and NRDA, and how funding would improve capacity and local support
- Roles of project sponsor and partners
- How the project
  - fits within the existing spill prevention, preparedness, and response regime
  - coordinates with local emergency management agencies and MRCs
  - provides improved, sustainable local participation in oil spill issues

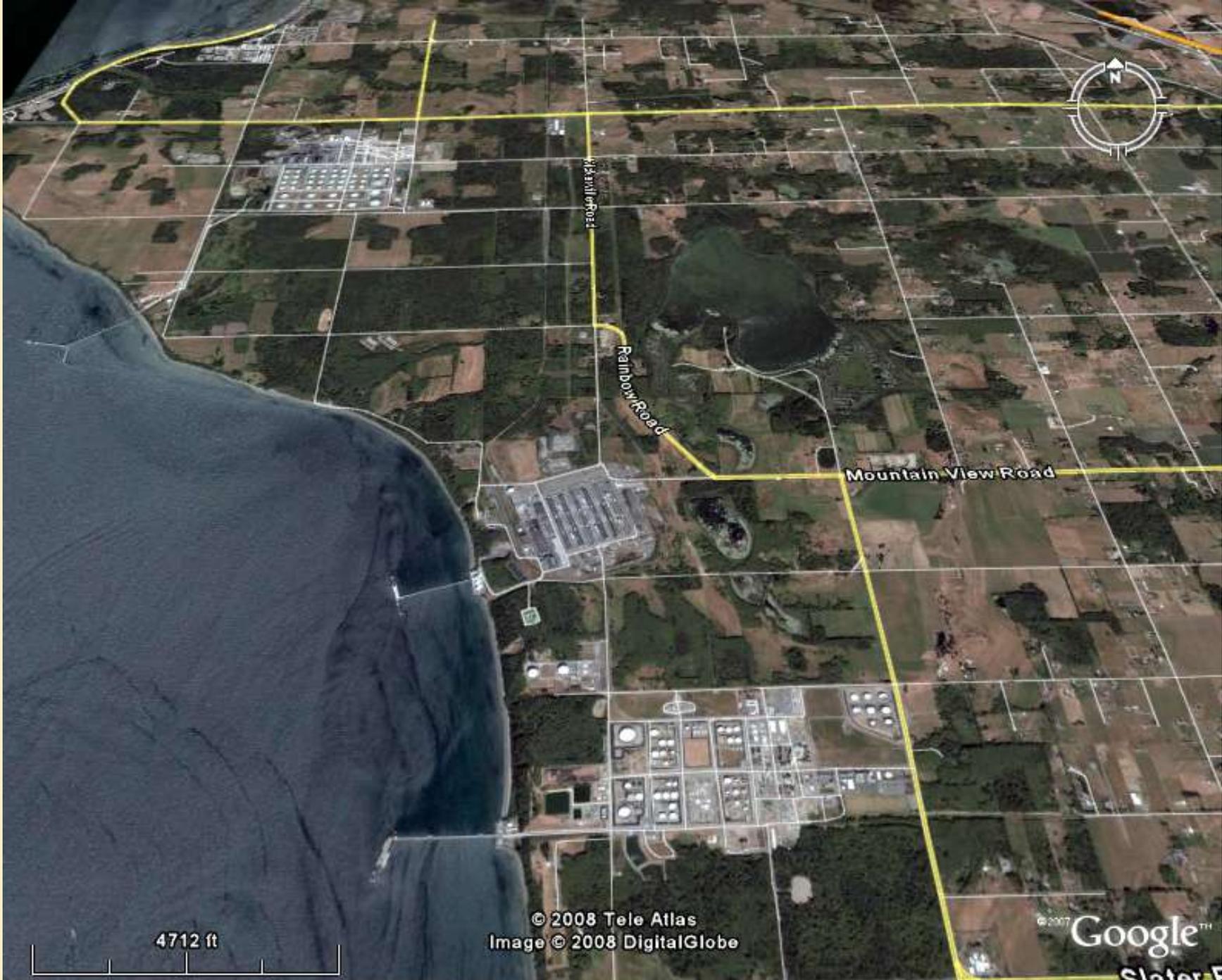
# ***ELEMENTS OF A SUCCESSFUL PROPOSAL***

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## **Required Project Elements:**

- Health & safety plan and training covering field-related work
- Public outreach strategy for public involvement & risk communication
- Performance measures
- Coordination with consortium of state agencies
- Draft project report
- A final project report
- Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP)
- EPA standard reports





Kissell Road

Rainbow Road

Mountain View Road

4712 ft

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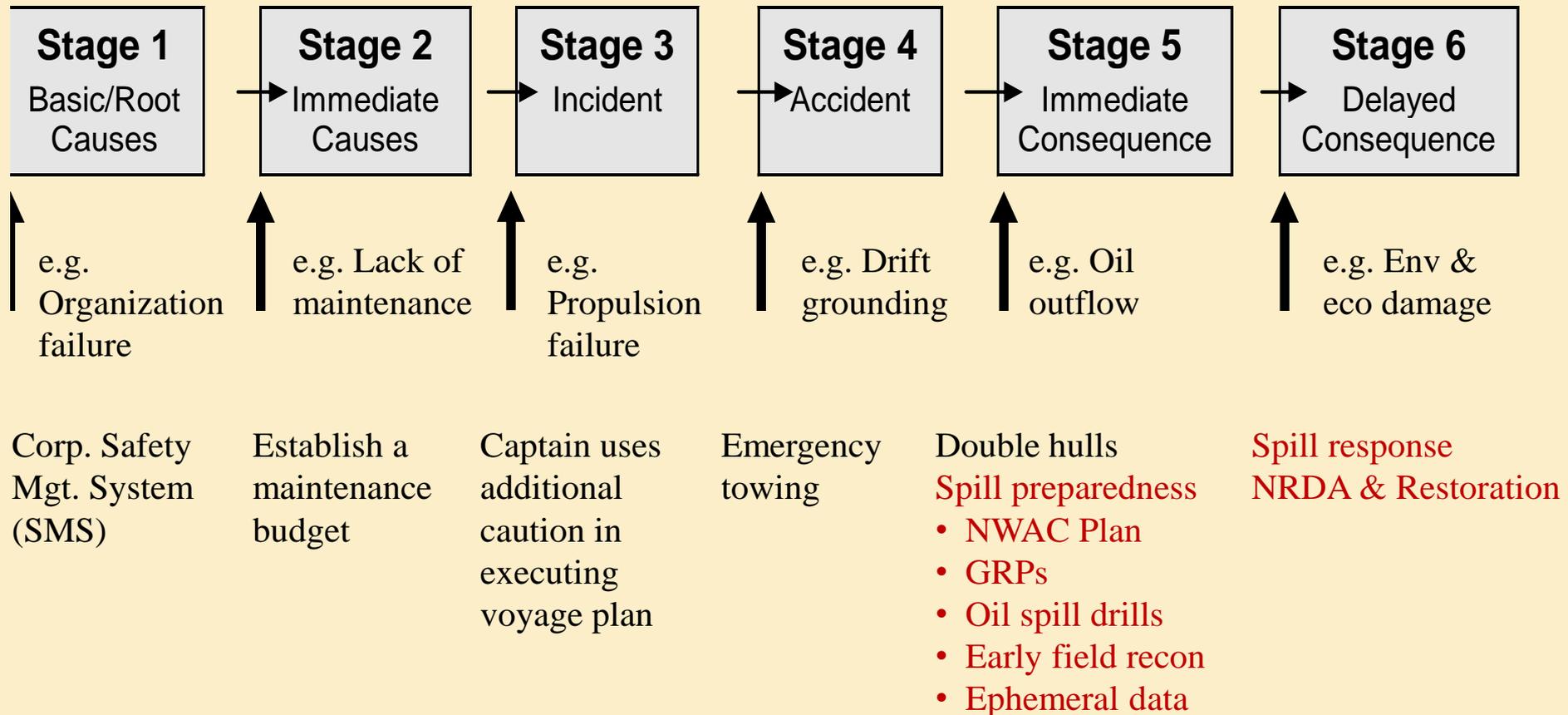
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# ACCIDENT CAUSAL CHAIN & INTERVENTIONS

This graphic illustrates where the local RFP fits in the broader context of oil spill risk management





**Log Ship *New Carissa* on the beach  
near Coos Bay, Oregon (1999)**



**The *Prestige* oil tanker released 20 million gallons of oil into the ocean (2002).**

# ***EPA TERMS and CONDITIONS***

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- **Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP)**
  - Collect or analyze new or existing environmental data
- **EPA standard Report (FEATS)**
  - Due in October and April

# TIMELINE

Due

- September 14, 2012 *Noon*

Award

- September 28, 2012

Implement

- January 2013 – July 2014

# REIMBURSEMENT OPTIONS

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- Prefer Deliverables-based
  - Payment made when deliverable received
  - Fixed cost determined in SOW
  
- Cost Reimbursement
  - Pay for cost, not to exceed grant maximum

# QUESTIONS?

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Questions can be sent to:

[PSMarineNSGrants@dfw.wa.gov](mailto:PSMarineNSGrants@dfw.wa.gov)

For more information, visit:

[http://wdfw.wa.gov/grants/ps\\_marine\\_nearshore/rfp/](http://wdfw.wa.gov/grants/ps_marine_nearshore/rfp/)

Q&A will be posted on the website around August 29.

# Thank You

## Agency Partners:

- *Fish and Wildlife*
- *Natural Resources*
- *Ecology*
- *Puget Sound Partnership*

