

**Title:** “Towards effective management of marine mammals in the Pacific Islands: The Marine Mammals Management Toolkit”

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The Marine Mammal Twinning, part of the EU-funded Ocean Governance Project, is pleased to host a webinar in collaboration with the Secretariat of the Regional Environment Programme. The webinar will introduce the Marine Mammals Management Toolkit as an innovative tool for effectively managing marine mammals in and around MPAs across the Pacific Islands.

**Date:** 31st August 2023

**Time:** 11:00 (GMT+13)

**Duration:** 90 min

**Language:** English

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### Agenda

Timing	Description
3'	Introduction to the Webinar, overview of the agenda and housekeeping
10'	Introduction from host: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Secretariat of the Regional Environment Programme (SPREP) <b>Speaker:</b> <i>Karen Baird – Threatened and Migratory Species Advisor, SPREP</i></li> </ul>
10'	Overview of cetacean diversity and threats in the Pacific <b>Speaker:</b> <i>Karen Baird – Threatened and Migratory Species Advisor, SPREP</i>
10'	Introduction to the Marine Mammals Management Toolkit <b>Speaker:</b> <i>Fiona Dyrhaug – Marine Mammal Twinning</i>
20'	Guided use of the Self-Assessment Tool and SAT-LITE and interpretation of results <b>Speaker:</b> <i>Tom Dallison – Marine Mammal Twinning</i>
10'	Testimonial of the application of the Marine Mammals Management Toolkit <b>Speaker:</b> <i>Benjamin Haskell – Deputy Superintendent, NOAA / Stellwagen Bank National Marine Sanctuary</i>
10'	Questions-and-Answers session
5'	Concluding remarks from SPREP <b>Speaker:</b> <i>Karen Baird – Threatened and Migratory Species Advisor, SPREP</i>