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MEMORANDUM FOR: Participants in Drakes Estero/Johnson Oyster  
Company Meeting

FROM: *Diane Windham*  
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SUBJECT: Meeting of January 15, 1991

The purpose of this memo is to confirm the meeting date referenced above and to briefly outline topics to be discussed at this meeting. The date of January 15 has been selected because it is well after the holidays and should be convenient for all. For a centralized location, the meeting will be held at the headquarters of Point Reyes National Seashore, at 10 a.m.

The main topics we will be discussing are as follows:

- Configuration of Johnson Oyster Company's lease boundaries in relation to harbor seal haul out areas
- Types of activities that are not compatible with harbor seals, especially during pupping season
- Altering these activities so that potential harbor seal conflicts are avoided
- Marine litter problems in the Estero and how to improve litter pick-up programs

As there several "user groups" involved, it is hoped these discussions will lead us to mutually agreeable resolutions that are beneficial to Drakes Estero. I look forward to seeing you all on the 15th. If you have any questions, please call me at (707) 578-7513. Thank you for your participation.

*Note - meeting  
DATE ERROR,  
should be  
Jan 15, 1992*

