Crab related press releases, information and news article links

Press releases:

2018-11-27 McGuire hosts Fisheries Hearing in San Francisco Focused on California’s Whale Protection Efforts and State of the State on 2018-19 Crab Season

2018-11-21 McGuire Hosts Hearing on CA’s Crab Season & Whale Protection Efforts Next Week!

2018-9-25 Governor signs McGuire’s bill that will benefit fishermen, fish buyers, the State’s economy and the environment

2018-3-8 McGuire hosts Legislature’s 45th Annual CA Fisheries Forum this afternoon

2018-3-5 McGuire hosts Legislature’s 45th Annual CA Fisheries Forum

2018-2-8 McGuire, fishermen, environmental organizations and leaders to rally in opposition to offshore oil proposal

2018-2-5 McGuire Introduces Resolution Opposing Trump’s Offshore Oil Proposal - see SR 73

2017-10-26 Senator McGuire to hold Fisheries Hearing Friday in Eureka

2017-3-22 McGuire announces Legislature's 44th Annual Fisheries Forum

2016-10-3 Speakers announced for hearing on crab season domoic acid levels and first ever State Hearing on Aquaculture to be held in Bodega Bay

2016-9-28 press release: First ever State Hearing on Aquaculture to be held in Bodega Bay next week

2016-9-23 Governor Brown signs McGuire’s Whale Protection Bill

2016-8-9 State of the CA Crab Fishery Hearing Tomorrow

2016-8-3 State of the CA Crab Fishery: Domoic Acid Levels, ‘16 Harvest & New Rules In Place

2016-6-30 Senator McGuire’s whale protection bill one step closer with approval in Assembly committee this week

2016-5-18 Senator McGuire’s whale protection bill gains urgency in wake of several dramatic entanglements

2016-5-2 Senator McGuire issues statement on partial opening of Dungeness crab season
2016-4-26 Update on Crab Disaster Declaration and Domoic Acid Ocean Conditions at Fisheries Hearing April 28

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2016-3-31 Senator McGuire introduces bill to protect whales and keep ocean free of lost crab gear

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Commercial Dungeness Crab Season to Open in Sonoma County – CDFW 12-3-2018

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New regulations to reduce the risk of marine life entanglements in commercial Dungeness crab fishing gear – CDFW 11-15-2018

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California Department of Public Health Shellfish Biotoxin Information line at: (510) 412-4643 or toll-free at (800) 553-4133 for updated crab consumption advisories, or check CDFW’s [Finfish and Shellfish Health Advisories](#) web page.

**CDFPH Food and Drug Branch – Domoic Acid**

**Domoic Acid Frequently Asked Questions - CDPH**

**CDFPH Marine Biotoxin Monitoring Program**

**Oregon Department of Agriculture Recreational Shellfish Biotoxin Closures** or call ODA’s shellfish safety information hotline at 800-448-2474

**Sign up for the CDFW Marine Region News service to receive the latest information about the crab seasons**

**California Department of Public Health website for press advisory, analytical data summaries and resources**

**CDPH Issues Warning about Dungeness and Rock Crabs Caught in Waters Along the Central and Northern California Coast**

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