## Community Meeting & Panel Discussion for the Fort Bragg Marine Science Institute



DATE: Friday, November 4, 2005

**PLACE: Fort Bragg Town Hall** 

(corner of Main & Laurel Streets)

TIME: 7:00 p.m.

The panel discussion will be facilitated by Susan Lohr of Lohr & Associates. Panelists include: Jan Hodder from the Oregon Institute of Marine Biology; Ron Lawrenz from the Science Museum of Minnesota; Steve Tonsor from the University of Pittsburgh; Art McKee from Flathead Lake Biological Station; Paul Siri, former operations director of Bodega Marine Lab; and Peter Connors from Bodega Marine Lab.

- Come hear the panelists' ideas about a "vision" for a Marine Science Institute on the Mill Site in Fort Bragg.
- → Meet a panel of experts who have worked together for 10 years helping to establish marine labs and field stations across the nation.
- Find out what has worked in other places.
- → Listen to practical suggestions about the scale of the facility and its programs, financing, timeframes, and other considerations.

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