

## **Rockfish Town Hall**

## **Research & Presentation Project**

EQ: What is the relationship between rockfish populations and coastal communities?

#### **BACKGROUND:**

We've learned all about rockfish and how scientists study them to ensure their numbers remain healthy along the Oregon coast. Now we can look at rockfish from other perspectives in our community.

### **SCENARIO:**

People in our coastal town are coming together in a town hall meeting to discuss the importance of rockfish in our community. Choose a role as a stakeholder and investigate how rockfish are important to you (in this role). Be prepared to share what you've learned by writing a statement to share at the town hall.

### **EXPECTATIONS for SUCCESS:**

Your statement should be at least two paragraphs long. Please include:

An introduction that describes your role as a stakeholder

At least three facts or pieces of information (story, recipe or data)

Persuasive language written to convince other community members

Bonus: include a graphic to share

#### STAKEHOLDERS:

Recreational fisherman: ODFW report

Seafood restaurant owner/chef: Sample Recipes

**Economist:** Pacific Fishery Management Councilmember

Tribal member:

**PFMC & Tribes** 

Nat Geo article: Confederated Tribes of the Coos, Lower Umpqua and Siuslaw

Sea Otters & Oregon Coastal Tribes

Tribal collaboration with fishery management article

Tribal fishing 101 (salmon)

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## Commercial fisherman:

Commercial rockfish fishing

**ODFW** link for commercial fisheries

Conservationist: Ocean ecosystem conservation

Marine scientist (biologist, statistician, engineer, et al)

Tourist: Visit Oregon Coast

# **RUBRIC/SUCCESS CRITERIA for TOWN HALL STATEMENT**

4: exceeds proficiency	3: proficient	2: developing proficiency	1: not yet proficient
Compelling introduction that accurately describes	Introduction that describes stakeholder role.	Introduction may be present.	Less than two paragraphs in length.
role as a stakeholder.	At least three pertinent	Includes one or two facts or pieces of	Facts or information aren't present or
Three or more facts or pieces of information (story, recipe or data)	facts or pieces of information (story, recipe or data) are	information (story, recipe or data).	relevant.
are included.	included.	Persuasive language is attempted.	
Strong, convincing persuasive language	Persuasive language is present.	Reaches or nearly	
appropriate to the		reaches two	
audience.	At least two paragraphs in length.	paragraphs in length.	
Two or more			
paragraphs in length.			
Includes graphic.			

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