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**Tacoma Propeller Club Monthly Meeting
Tuesday, March 16th**

La Quinta Inns & Suites

1425 E. 27th St. Tacoma

Social Hour: 5:30 p.m.

Dinner and Program: 6:30 p.m. Dinner \$25

Please RSVP to 253-627-0671 by Friday, March 12th

Program:

**The Shoreline Management Act:
From a Business Perspective**

Join us for information and a panel discussion with local business representatives about the Shoreline Management Act.

Moderated by Gary D. Brackett, Manager, Business and Trade Development for the Tacoma-Pierce County Chamber



Upcoming Event:

**April Meeting
Wednesday, April 21st
Annual Scholarships
Award Banquet**

**Keynote Speaker:
Tacoma Mayor
Marilyn Strickland**

**5:30 p.m.
Tacoma Yacht Club**

The Washington State Legislature established the Shoreline Management Act (SMA) in 1971. The act was designed to prevent "piecemeal development" of Washington State's shorelines. The legislation includes three primary elements: 1) encourage water-dependent uses; 2) protect shoreline natural resources; and 3) promote public access.

The City of Tacoma is updating their Shoreline plan for adoption in early 2011. For the City of Tacoma this is an extensive overhaul of their Shoreline Management Program. New regulations could have significant impacts on where businesses can locate, how they can do their business and if they can expand.

If you own or work for a company or agency in the maritime industry, you will not want to miss this meeting. You will want to understand the changes, the process, and what this means to you. For more information: <http://www.cityoftacoma.org/Page.aspx?cid=13880>