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Ocean management structured discussion hosted by the McGuinness Institute, Tuesday 27 May 2014

Question 2d: What **institutions** might best inspire and inform progress towards this goal?

Goal: A management framework that is collaborative, integrated and durable, based on a collective commitment to a healthy and productive ocean.

Comment
More joined up across responsibilities, joint decision making.
Need a forum with resources, e.g. like the Land and Water Forum with a secretariat: to structure engagement, develop objectives and actions to achieve them.
An Oceans Ministry - integrating/managing all oceans usage <u>including</u> protection.
Institution for education/resource development and communications on oceans and other environmental commons for schools/education institutes etc.
A marine/oceans forum to work like the land and water forum.
<u>Governance</u> is a major issue. Marine Research Council. Valuation of public views. Dept or Min of Oceans.
An independent NZ body responsible for representing the wellbeing of future generations.
A collective institution that reflects our one ocean and our collective investment in it... In failing that, and recognising the reactionary space that we work in, BUILD DEMAND. Let those that are integral to our <u>one ocean</u> know the story, the value, the issues, the history and what is NOT HAPPENING, and encourage action.
A marine forum (that all participate in) to develop a common goal for marine space.
The NRS, but needs to be empowered.
From what I have heard today we need some sort of <u>brand new</u> model that brings all entities together to enable a dialogue. A <u>brand new</u> institution that starts with a 'listening' process, initiates an informed research process, and culminates in an informed policy/legislation. Development - that sets up a framework which is <u>as revolutionary as the RMA was!!</u>
Oceans Ministry - to lead and coordinate, reduce duplication, provide focus, communication.
Institutions already exist - Govt, Industry, NGO's, Research