

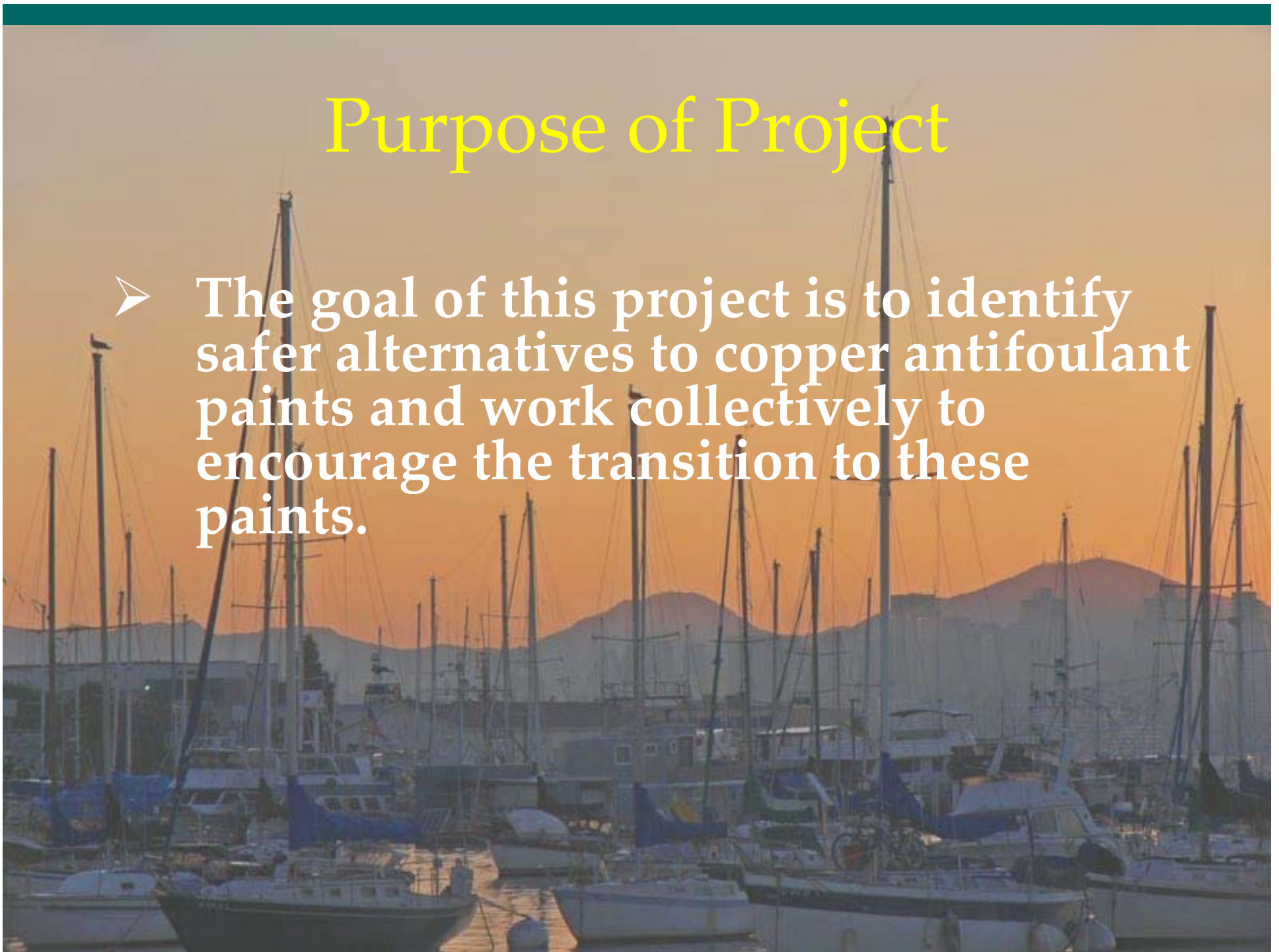
A photograph of a marina at sunset. The sky is a warm, orange glow. In the foreground, numerous sailboats are docked, their masts and rigging silhouetted against the light. The water reflects the sunset colors. In the background, a city skyline is visible, including a prominent mountain peak. The text is overlaid on the upper half of the image.

“Safer Alternative Antifouling Paint” Project Kick-off Meeting

February 7, 2008

Purpose of Project

- The goal of this project is to identify safer alternatives to copper antifouling paints and work collectively to encourage the transition to these paints.



Purpose of Meeting

1. Kick – off
2. Introduce project
3. Initiate stakeholder process
4. Initiate discussion on key project elements

Meeting Agenda

1. Welcome & Introductions
2. Participation Rules, Guidelines, etc
3. Copper Overview
4. Alternative Hull Paint Project
5. Viable Paints
6. Paint Registration Process
7. Paint Categories for Testing
8. Testing Requirements for Paint Manufacturers

Meeting Rules & Guidelines

- ❖ Participants will agree to the following:
 - All perspectives are valued.
 - One person speaks at a time.
 - Collaborative problem solving is encouraged
 - Meeting attendees will treat others, and others' perspectives with respect.

Public Participation Process

Public participation role for this project:

INVOLVEMENT

“Work directly with the public to ensure that public concerns are understood and considered”

- Input will be directly reflected in the alternatives developed
- Project team will provide feedback on how public input influenced the decisions

Public Participation Process

- ❖ Public input will be used as follows:
 - Involvement in review and development of key deliverables
 - paint categories
 - test protocol
 - Work toward consensus-building on project outcomes
 - Project team will use input as guidance for decision-making

Public Participation Process

- ❖ Participation/input will occur through the following means:
 - Regular workgroup meetings
 - Information transfer via email and web postings
 - Review and comment on deliverables

Public Input

❖ Summary

1. Port and IRTA will post each deliverable to the website and send via email to all parties on the distribution list.
2. Port and IRTA will develop appropriate review periods for each key deliverable.
3. Overall consensus may not occur on every element
4. Port and IRTA will make final decisions on key elements based upon group input