Create the form that explains itself

Date

- Make sure to make clear month/date/year

Dropdown for options on a set

- Hover option to show more detail

Cheat sheet for the forms, but incorporate cheat sheet information to the online fill in form

Form

- Don’t need date twice

- Trip Leader -> be more of your organization

- Shoreline Location -> Name of Beach

- Reason for location -> limited choices

o Proximity

o Known to be a problem with debris

- Substrate type -> examples

- GPS Coordinates -> spell out latitude and longitude (keep)

- Sloop -> examples

- Nearest River Output ->

o Approximate distance in meters (how far from river)

- Aspect -> compass direction facing water in degree, perpendicular to spine

- Weather (not too important)->

o Cloud cover

o Visibility

o Raining or not

- Tide Info

o What the last tide was, and what the next tide is

o High or low

o Know the height and time of the last tide

o Last Tide (High or Low/Time/Height)

o Next Tide (High or Low/Time/Height)

o Helps us know the dimension of the beach

- Wind/Speed Direction (see what is being blown onto the shore)

o Direction (on shore/off shore)

- Major Usage of Beach

o Recreational

o Commercial

o Remote/Unused

o Private

Table

- Change standing stock to surface rib scan

- Add

o Cotton

o Paper

o String

o Straw

o Fruit peel

o Hygiene Items

§ Comb

§ Toothbrush

§ Makeup

§ Dental Floss

Micro Debris

- 0.6 -> 2.5cm: scale

- One category

A bar/scale on the page to represent what shouldn’t be picked up

Front page, where people can count the number of pieces (somewhere where people can see it easily, 4 new rows)

- Total number of pieces from all 4 rib scans

- Total number of pieces from the accumulation sweep

- Total Number of pieces for rib and accumulation sweep

- Total Weight

Separate ribs for each group (Cabrillo groups)

Which rib isn’t important

Why we do ribs-> training (1 hour with a student), just in case we can’t do a full accumulation sweep (accumulation sweep is difficult with just three people)

2 people min for a surface rib scan

COI has some excel

Minimal Data Entry

- Date, number of people, location, weight