

New York - Bureau of Ocean Energy Management Offshore Renewable Energy Task Force Meeting Agenda

April 3, 2012
9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Four Points by Sheraton Plainview Long Island
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8:45 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Registration	
9:30 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.	Opening Remarks	<p>Marcilynn Burke Acting Assistant Secretary for Land and Minerals Management U.S. Dept. of the Interior</p> <p>George Stafford Deputy Secretary for Coastal Resources NY Dept. of State</p>
9:50 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.	Introductions of Invitees and Update Since Last Meeting Members' Agency, and Role in the Planning Process	<p>Andy Krueger Project Coordinator, BOEM</p>
10:10 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Update and Discussion on NY Analysis of Site Suitability for Offshore Wind Energy Development/Wind Energy Planning Areas	<p>Mike Snyder Policy Analyst, NY Dept of State</p>
10:45 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Break	
11:00 a.m. – 11:20 a.m.	Department of Defense Presentation and Assessment of the Waters Offshore New York	<p>Fred Engle U.S. Department of Defense</p>
11:20 a.m. – 11:40 a.m.	U.S. Coast Guard Comments Regarding the Waters Offshore New York	<p>Ron Beck Chief, Energy and Facilities Branch U.S. Coast Guard First District</p>
11:40 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch (on your own)	

1:00 p.m. – 1:25 p.m.	NYPA Unsolicited Application: Proposal and Details	Andy Krueger Project Coordinator, BOEM
1:25 p.m. – 1:40 p.m.	Options for Moving Forward – RFCI and determination of no competitive interest	Tim Redding Policy Analyst, BOEM
1:40 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Review of BOEM’s NEPA Process	Algene Byrum NEPA Coordinator, BOEM
2:00 p.m. – 2:20 p.m.	Analysis of Maritime Traffic Patterns and Density Offshore New York	Stephen Creed Geographer, BOEM
2.20 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Roundtable Discussion of NYPA’s application and other agencies’ thoughts	
3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Break	
3:15p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Overview of Next Steps: Action Items and Next Steps	Andy Krueger Project Coordinator, BOEM
3:30p.m. – 3:45 p.m.	Closing Remarks	George Stafford Deputy Secretary for Coastal Resources NY Dept. of State Maureen Bornholdt Program Manager BOEM, Office of Renewable Energy Programs (OREP)
3:45 p.m.	Meeting Adjournment	
4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Q&A Session with BOEM (open to public)	