

From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 6, 2016 at 3:36 PM
Subject: Re: Register for MidA RPB webinar / draft OAP now available
To: Bob Alpern <bobalp140@aol.com>
Cc: BOEM MidAtlanticRPB <midatlanticrpb@boem.gov>, rob@hudsonriver.org, Sean Dixon <sdixon@riverkeeper.org>, Shino Tanikawa <shino@nycswcd.net>, james.tierney@dec.ny.gov, jamyers@dec.ny.gov, pbalci@dep.nyc.gov

Thank you for your interest in the draft Mid-Atlantic Regional Ocean Action Plan. The link to the draft Plan has been updated and it can be viewed or downloaded here: <http://www.boem.gov/Draft-MidA-Regional-Ocean-Action-Plan/>

The Mid-Atlantic RPB has limited resources, and is not able to provide a copy of the draft Plan at this time. We will have hard copies of the Executive Summary available for the public at the Open House public listening sessions, and hard copies of the draft Plan will be available at those sessions for reference.

The Open House public listening sessions are being hosted by the Mid-Atlantic Regional Council on the Ocean (MARCO), with one in each state. We will pass along the suggestion about holding a future public listening session in New York City.

We encourage you to participate in the RPB's public webinar on July 11, attend an Open House public listening session (there is one in Selden, New York on July 27), and submit written comments to the RPB by September 6. Details are available on the RPB's website: <http://www.boem.gov/MidA-New/>

On Tue, Jul 5, 2016 at 4:00 PM, Bob Alpern <bobalp140@aol.com> wrote:
Please send hard copy of the draft Ocean Action Plan to

Robert Alpern

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And, on principle, it seems to me, hard copy of all important documents should be made available to members of the public, at meetings and by snail mail, for a reasonable fee if necessary.

Also, MidA-RPB should consider holding a public listening session in New York City, maybe at the Hudson River Foundation, co-hosted by the Hudson Estuary Program.

Bob Alpern

-----Original Message-----

From: Mid-Atlantic Regional Planning Body <midatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
To: bobalp140 <bobalp140@aol.com>
Sent: Tue, Jul 5, 2016 3:30 pm
Subject: Register for MidA RPB webinar / draft OAP now available

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Draft Ocean Action Plan Now Available ***Please register for webinar and attend open houses***

The Mid-Atlantic Regional Planning Body (MidA RPB) is pleased to announce the availability of the [Draft Mid-Atlantic Regional Ocean Action Plan](#) (Draft Plan) for public review and comment. The Draft Plan was developed through a collaborative process, and the MidA RPB encourages feedback from all interested stakeholders.

The public comment period is open through **September 6, 2016**. Comments may be submitted **via email:** MidAtlanticRPB@boem.gov; or **by writing to:** Robert P. LaBelle, Federal Co-Lead, Mid-Atlantic Regional Planning Body, BOEM, 45600 Woodland Road, Mailstop: VAM-BOEM DIR, Sterling, VA 20166.

Stakeholders are also invited to participate in upcoming opportunities to learn about the Draft Plan and provide comments.

Please mark your calendars for the MidA RPB's [public webinar](#) on **Monday, July 11, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** [Click here](#) to **register** for the webinar.

Also, please plan to attend the [Open House public listening sessions](#) in the Mid-Atlantic states during July, hosted by the Mid-Atlantic Regional Council on the Ocean (MARCO), from **6:00 to 8:00 p.m.** on:

- **July 12** - Virginia Aquarium & Marine Science Center, **Virginia Beach, VA**
- **July 14** - Pozycki Hall, Monmouth University, **West Long Branch, NJ**
- **July 19** - Ocean Pines Library, **Berlin, MD**
- **July 20** - Virden Retreat Center, University of Delaware, **Lewes, DE**
- **July 27** - Babylon Student Center, Selden Community College, **Selden, NY**

Please check the [MidA RPB website](#) for information about these upcoming opportunities for the public to learn about the Draft Plan and provide comments to the MidA RPB.

ocean and coastal issues in the Mid-Atlantic through regional ocean planning. The MidA RPB includes state, federal, tribal, and Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council representation and is eager to engage stakeholders throughout the regional ocean planning process. Please visit the [website](#) regularly for updated related information.

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Thu, Jul 7, 2016 at 7:52 AM
Subject: Re: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: KnowWho Services <noreply@knowwho.services>

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Thank you. Congrats RPB members, let's come together for a final version in the fall!

Sincerely,

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Date: Thu, Jul 7, 2016 at 7:53 AM
Subject: Re: Fw:public comment on federal register shutting out th epublic even more with this new agenda
To: Jean Public <jeanpublic1@yahoo.com>
Cc: BOEM MidAtlanticRPB
<MidAtlanticRPB@boem.gov>, vicepresident@whitehouse.gov, info@pewtrusts.org, info@oceana.org, info@opsociety.org, humanelines@hsus.org

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On Wed, Jul 6, 2016 at 5:00 PM, Jean Public <jeanpublic1@yahoo.com> wrote:
the voice of the public is lost in this aggegation of paragpahs full of agencies who all sit together and talk what agencies want and forget that govt is supposed to be for the people and of the people. instead our govt these days is of the fat cat bloated bureaucrites, who never listnen to the public. never

this grouping is full of far too many fat cat bloated bureaucrats falling over each other there are so many. what a waste of american tax dollars with all these meetings with all those bureaucrats. we need simplifcatoin of projects not this massive grouping that is proposed.

the plan is comletely flawed and designed to promote junk biased science. the science is pulled out to propagandize what the agency wants to do to justify spend spend spend policies. certainly the actions of boem have shown to be inept, defective, corrupt since its creation.you pick your pal "stakeholders" and they are not representatives of the general public. they are picked for their yes men status. we need new thinking in washington. this plan is too big, too expensive, and fails to truly protect. it has always truly failed to protect a thing. this comment is for the public record. please receipt. jean publicee jeanpublic1@yahoo.com

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> Register Volume 81, Number 129 (Wednesday, July 6, 2016)]
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> DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
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> Bureau of Ocean Energy Management
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> Mid-Atlantic Regional Ocean Action Plan
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> AGENCY: Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, National Park
> Service, U.S.
> Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Geological Survey,
> Department of the
> Interior; National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration,
> Department
> of Commerce; U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, the Joint Staff,
> the
> Department of Defense; Environmental Protection Agency;

> Department of
> Energy; U.S. Coast Guard, the Department of Homeland
> Security;
> Department of Transportation; and the Department of
> Agriculture.
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> ACTION: Notice with request for comments.
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> SUMMARY: The Mid-Atlantic Regional Planning Body (MidA RPB),
> which
> includes eight Federal agencies and departments, six states,
> two
> Federally-recognized Indian Tribes, and the Mid-Atlantic
> Fishery
> Management Council, is requesting public comment on its
> draft Mid-
> Atlantic Regional Ocean Action Plan (draft Plan). The MidA
> RPB
> collaboratively prepared the draft Plan, pursuant to the
> National Ocean
> Policy, to build upon and improve existing Federal, state,
> and tribal
> decision-making and planning processes in the Mid-Atlantic
> Region. The
> Department of the Interior's Bureau of Ocean Energy
> Management (BOEM),
> as lead Federal agency for the MidA RPB, is publishing this
> notice on
> behalf of the MidA RPB. The MidA RPB will consider all
> public comments
> in revising the draft Plan, and will submit a final Plan to
> the
> National Ocean Council (NOC or Council) for its concurrence.
>
> DATES: Submit comments on or before September 6, 2016 (60
> days after
> publication in the Federal Register on July 6, 2016).
>
> ADDRESSES: Submit your comments, identified by one of the
> following
> methods:
> Email: MidAtlanticRPB@boem.gov;
> and
> Mail: Robert P. LaBelle, Federal Co-Lead, Mid-Atlantic
> Regional Planning Body, BOEM, 45600 Woodland Road, Mailstop:
> VAM-BOEM
> DIR, Sterling, VA 20166.
> Comments will be made available to the public on [http://www.boem.gov/Written-Public-Comments-Submitted-to-the-MidA-
RPB/](http://www.boem.gov/Written-Public-Comments-Submitted-to-the-MidA-RPB/).
> If you
> do not want your personal contact information to be publicly
> viewable,
> please do not include it in your comment or any accompanying
> documents.
> The Draft Mid-Atlantic Ocean Action Plan may be obtained
> online at:
> www.boem.gov/Ocean-Action-Plan/.
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> FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Robert P. LaBelle, Federal
> Co-Lead,
> Mid-Atlantic Regional Planning Body, BOEM, 45600 Woodland
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> Mailstop: VAM-BOEM DIR, Sterling, VA 20166.
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> SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:
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> I. Background
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> National Ocean Policy
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> Executive Order 13547, signed July 19, 2010, Stewardship
> of the
> Ocean, Our Coasts, and the Great Lakes (National Ocean
> Policy),
> established a national
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> policy to protect, maintain, and restore the health and
> biodiversity of
> the ocean, coastal, and Great Lakes ecosystems and
> resources; enhance
> the sustainability of the ocean and coastal economies;
> preserve our
> maritime heritage; support sustainable uses and access;
> provide for
> adaptive management to enhance our understanding of and
> capacity to
> respond to climate change and ocean acidification; increase
> our
> scientific understanding and awareness of changing
> environmental
> conditions, trends, and their causes; and perform duties in
> accordance
> with applicable international law, including respect for and
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> preservation of navigational rights and freedoms, which are
> essential
> for the global economy, international peace, national
> security, and
> foreign policy interests. The National Ocean Policy
> encourages a
> comprehensive, adaptive, integrated, ecosystem-based, and
> transparent
> ocean planning process based on sound science for analyzing
> current and
> anticipated uses of ocean and coastal areas. The National
> Ocean Policy
> also provides for intergovernmental regional planning
> bodies' voluntary
> development of regional marine plans that build upon and
> improve
> existing Federal, state, and tribal decision-making and
> planning
> processes. These regional plans, developed by, for, and in
> the regions,
> will enable a more integrated, comprehensive,
> ecosystem-based,
> flexible, and proactive approach to planning and managing
> sustainable
> multiple uses across sectors, and will improve the
> conservation of the
> ocean, our coasts, and the Great Lakes.
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> Mid-Atlantic Regional Planning Body
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> The MidA RPB includes six states (New York, New Jersey,
> Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, and Virginia); two
> Federally-
> recognized Indian Tribes (the Shinnecock Indian Nation and
> the Pamunkey
> Indian Tribe); eight Federal agencies and departments (U.S.
> Department
> of Agriculture, U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Department
> of
> Defense, U.S. Department of Energy, U.S. Department of
> Homeland
> Security, U.S. Department of the Interior, U.S. Department
> of
> Transportation, and the U.S. Environmental Protection
> Agency) and
> component sub-agencies (including the Bureau of Ocean Energy
>
> Management, the National Park Service, the U.S. Fish and
> Wildlife
> Service, the U.S. Geological Survey, the National Oceanic
> Atmospheric
> and Administration, the Maritime Administration, the U.S.
> Coast Guard,
> the Joint Staff, and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers); and
> the Mid-
> Atlantic Fishery Management Council. The MidA RPB is not a
> regulatory
> body and has no independent legal authority to regulate or
> direct
> Federal, state or tribal entities, nor does the draft Plan,
> described
> below, augment or subtract from any entity's existing
> statutory or
> other authorities.
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> Development of the Draft Mid-Atlantic Ocean Action Plan
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> The MidA RPB met for the first time in September 2013.
> The MidA RPB
> directed the formal processes and developed the draft Plan
> over the
> course of three years. The MidA RPB process leading to the
> draft Plan
> included a total of five multi-day public meetings between
> September
> 2013 and March 2016. Between MidA RPB meetings, there was
> ongoing
> outreach to obtain public feedback, identify and discuss
> issues, review
> data, and procure scientific input. For example, members of
> the MidA
> RPB met with expert work groups, stakeholder groups,
> environmental
> groups, and marine industries, including commercial fishing
> and
> shipping groups. The MidA RPB will review all comments
> received during
> the public comment period, and revise the draft Plan at the
> close of
> the comment period. The MidA RPB will consider all public

> comments
> received in making its revisions, and will then submit a
> final Plan to
> the NOC for its concurrence.
> The draft Plan is based on science and informed by
> stakeholder data
> and input. Throughout the planning process, the MidA RPB
> involved
> stakeholders in developing data products regarding
> ocean-based human
> activities (for example, shipping, fishing, recreation, and
> energy
> generation) and marine life and habitat (through review of
> the methods,
> analyses, and draft products for spatial data characterizing
> species
> and their habitat). The MidA RPB also encouraged
> stakeholders to review
> spatial data on the Mid-Atlantic Ocean Data Portal (the
> Portal). In
> collaboration with the Mid-Atlantic Ocean Data Portal
> Working Group,
> the MidA RPB developed the Portal as an online source that
> incorporates
> maps and data on marine life distribution and human
> activities. The
> Portal is available online at: <http://midatlanticocean.org/data-portal/>
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> II. The Draft Mid-Atlantic Ocean Action Plan

> The draft Plan, developed using the best available
> science and
> knowledge, provides an integrated, comprehensive, flexible,
> and
> proactive approach to planning and managing uses of the
> Mid-Atlantic
> marine environment. The draft Plan is a forward-looking
> document
> intended to strengthen interagency coordination, planning,
> and policy
> implementation, and to enhance public participation. The
> draft Plan has
> two main goals: (1) Healthy ocean ecosystems; and (2)
> sustainable ocean
> uses. The draft Plan promotes the use of data from the
> Portal to inform
> agency actions, enhance stakeholder input and involvement,
> locate
> potential areas of conflict, and identify additional
> information and
> science needs. The draft Plan also describes best practices
> for Federal
> inter-agency coordination, as well as coordination among
> Federal
> agencies, tribes, states, and other stakeholders. The draft
> Plan
> enhances the tools and information available for Federal
> agency actions
> and planning, and clarifies alternatives and opportunities
> within the
> context of tribal and state agency actions, thereby

> increasing
> coordination opportunities across these government entities.
> As previously stated, the draft Plan does not augment or
> subtract
> from any entity's existing statutory or other
> authorities. The draft
> Plan provides a strategy to monitor and analyze trends in
> ecosystem
> health, and undertake efforts to communicate progress toward
> achieving
> the two main goals of the draft Plan. The draft Plan is a
> foundation,
> not a finished structure, and it will continue to evolve as
> new trends,
> information, and needs emerge.
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> III. Implementation of the Mid-Atlantic Ocean Action Plan
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> Executive Order 13547, which adopts the Final
> Recommendations of
> the Interagency Ocean Policy Task Force (Final
> Recommendations),
> establishes a process for the NOC to review and certify each
> regional
> marine plan to ensure it is consistent with the National
> Ocean Policy
> and includes the essential elements described in the Final
> Recommendations.
> The NOC issued guidance to the NOC member agencies in
> the form of
> the Marine Planning Handbook (Handbook). The Handbook calls
> for the NOC
> member agencies to concur that regional marine plans
> submitted by the
> regional planning bodies are consistent with the substantive
> and
> procedural standards set forth in the Final Recommendations.
> The NOC
> concurrence operates as the certification described in
> Executive Order
> 13547. By concurring that the Mid-Atlantic Ocean Action Plan
> was
> developed in accordance with the substantive and procedural
> standards
> in the Final Recommendations, the NOC certifies that Federal
> members of
> the MidA RPB will use the Plan to guide and inform their
> actions
> consistent with their existing statutory and regulatory
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> authorities. Consistent with Executive Order 13547, each NOC
> member
> will, as described in the Final Recommendations, and to the
> fullest
> extent consistent with applicable law, comply with those
> regional plans
> certified by the NOC.
> The Federal members of the MidA RPB administer a wide
> range of
> statutes and programs affecting the marine environment in

> the Mid-
> Atlantic. These Federal departments and agencies carry out
> actions
> under Federal laws involving a wide range of regulatory
> responsibilities and non-regulatory missions and management
> activities
> throughout the Nation's waterways and the ocean. These
> activities
> include managing and developing marine transportation
> systems, national
> security and homeland defense activities, regulating ocean
> discharges,
> siting energy facilities, permitting sand removal and beach
> re-
> nourishment, managing national parks and national wildlife
> refuges,
> regulating commercial and recreational fishing, and managing
> activities
> affecting threatened and endangered species and migratory
> birds.
> The specific manner and mechanism a Federal agency uses
> to
> implement the final Mid-Atlantic Ocean Action Plan will
> depend on that
> agency's mission, authorities, and activities in the
> marine
> environment. The Federal members of the MidA RPB will
> publicly describe
> the administrative mechanisms they will use to implement the
> Plan when
> the MidA RPB submits the Plan to the NOC for review and
> concurrence.
> If the NOC concurs (i.e., certifies) that the Plan is
> consistent
> with Executive Order 13547, the Final Recommendations, and
> the
> Handbook, each Federal MidA RPB member will incorporate the
> final Plan
> into their planning processes and internal agency documents,
> and use
> the Plan to guide and inform their decisions and actions,
> consistent
> with applicable law. Federal MidA RPB members with
> regulatory
> responsibilities will incorporate the final Plan into their
> pre-
> planning, planning, and permitting to guide and inform
> Federal agency
> internal and external permitting decisions, environmental
> compliance,
> resource management plans, and other actions taken pursuant
> to existing
> statutory and regulatory authorities. These agencies will
> ensure their
> scientists, managers, decision-makers, and analysts use the
> Mid-
> Atlantic Regional Ocean Action Plan to guide and inform
> their actions
> to the fullest extent possible under existing statutory and
> regulatory
> authorities. As noted throughout the Final Recommendations,
> the Mid-

> Atlantic Ocean Action Plan will not create new authorities,
> regulations, or Federal agency missions. All Federal
> activities will
> continue to be managed under existing statutory and
> regulatory
> authorities.
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> IV. Conclusion
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> Through Executive Order 13547, Stewardship of the Ocean,
> Our
> Coasts, and the Great Lakes, President Obama established a
> National
> Ocean Policy to ensure the protection, maintenance, and
> restoration of
> the health of ocean, coastal, and Great Lakes ecosystems and
> resources;
> enhance the sustainability of ocean and coastal economies;
> preserve our
> maritime heritage; support sustainable uses and access;
> provide for
> adaptive management of ocean and coastal resources to
> enhance our
> understanding of and capacity to respond to climate change
> and ocean
> acidification; and coordinate ocean policy with our national
> security
> and foreign policy interests.
> The MidA RPB anticipates the Mid-Atlantic Regional Ocean
> Action
> Plan will increase the sharing of information and data
> across resource
> managers, stakeholders, and the public; enhance
> decision-making through
> collaboration and coordination among Federal, state, and
> tribal
> governments; and provide for an improved information and
> data system
> that characterizes human activities and natural resources in
> Mid-
> Atlantic waters from the coast to 200 nautical miles
> offshore. This
> informational overlay, along with the best practices for
> improved
> coordination, will improve the context for decisions
> affecting the
> resources and coastal and ocean waters of the Mid-Atlantic
> region.
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> Authority: Executive Order 13547, "Stewardship of the
> Ocean,
> Our Coasts and the Great Lakes" (July 19, 2010).
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> Dated: June 22, 2016.
> Kristen J. Sarri,
> Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary Policy, Management and
> Budget.
> [FR Doc. 2016-15588 Filed 7-5-16; 8:45 am]
> BILLING CODE 4310-MR-P

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Date: Fri, Jul 8, 2016 at 7:32 AM
Subject: Re: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: KnowWho Services <noreply@knowwho.services>, nshaw@mail.com

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To: KnowWho Services <noreply@knowwho.services>, laura.zakar@yahoo.com

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To: constanceq525@gmail.com

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Date: Mon, Jul 11, 2016 at 8:31 AM
Subject: Re: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: alanmona@verizon.net

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On Sun, Jul 10, 2016 at 12:39 PM, KnowWho Services <noreply@knowwho.services> wrote:
Dear Robert LaBelle,

Mid-Atlantic Regional Planning Body Members--

I believe the plan is not specific enough concerning which areas may be at risk or are healthy enough to sustain more development, whether it be onshore or offshore.

Please use all of the data now available to you to help determine this.

Thank you

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
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Subject: Re: MidAtlantic Regional PLanning Body
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From: **Robert LaBelle** <robert.labelle@boem.gov>
Date: Mon, Jul 11, 2016 at 8:17 AM
Subject: Re: MidAtlantic Regional PLanning Body
To: john prince <jhprince@verizon.net>

Mr Prince,

Thank you for your comment on the draft MidA Ocean Plan. I will share your insights with the full group working on the report. We will note the similarities with the S. Atlantic area as we discuss borders for planning sake. You are correct, the MidA was defined by state, not natural boundaries for convenience, but also because the S Atlantic states may prepare their own ocean plan in future.

Regards,

Bob LaBelle

On Jul 11, 2016, at 8:05 AM, john prince <jhprince@verizon.net> wrote:

Respectfully, Mr Labelle, I read with interest the new coastal planning departments for the Atlantic OCS Region. I'm sure it is a matter of convenience more than any reason, but as a 7th generation Southeast Virginian, much of Virginia, and particularly SE Virginia, is closely aligned and similar to the South Atlantic region climatologically, botanically and oceanologically. Having spent decades now unravelling the confusions of our botanical and climatological bases in my region, which is "South Atlantic" in nature, I become concerned that more confusion and misunderstanding arises when areas like ours get lumped into scientific groups of study such as the "Mid Atlantic", a clearly different and more northerly study group.

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Mon, Jul 11, 2016 at 2:29 PM
Subject: Re: We Support a Strong Mid-Atlantic Ocean Plan
To: L & M Brown <lbrownxx@earthlink.net>

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On Sun, Jul 10, 2016 at 8:12 PM, L & M Brown <lbrownxx@earthlink.net> wrote:

To: Mid-Atlantic Regional Council on the Ocean (MARCO)

We are excited to support a strong Mid-Atlantic Ocean Action Plan that will unite agencies and user groups under shared goals for a healthy ocean and sustainable uses and execute agreed-upon actions that meet these goals.

Our local coastline and region's ocean is an integral part of our huge economy, including shipping and recreation, and home to millions of citizens and billions of plants and wildlife. It is our most important natural resource and it desperately needs strong stewardship and protection. At this very time our ocean faces growing challenges, including pollution, loss of habitat, and sometimes competing industrial uses. The offshore waters are migratory corridors and a home for ocean life, including endangered North Atlantic right whales, sea turtles, and many fish species. But they are increasingly busy and being assaulted by nature and commerce. Offshore wind development is being proposed throughout the Mid-Atlantic. Our ports are making way for colossal ships following the Panama Canal expansion, which may increase shipping traffic and the size of these mega-ships. Sea levels may rise and stronger, bigger storms are reshaping our shores and destroying beaches. Sound, intelligent stewardship requires understanding and balancing all of these competing interests to assure long term sustainability of our marine resources and marine habitat for fisheries.

We urge the plan be strengthened and include the following additional measures:

- **A short, definitive deadline** — for identifying areas critical for the long-term health of the region’s marine life. Knowing the location of ecologically important areas helps managers, business, and other stakeholders make better development decisions. This should be in place as soon as possible.
- **Agency commitments to conserve these ecologically important areas and identified areas of high biodiversity** where more than 50 percent of the region’s fish, birds, corals, and marine mammals can be found over the course of a year. Protecting our ecologically and economically valuable ocean life should be a best practice.
- **Agency commitments to identify a set of objectives and indicators for ocean health** to regularly evaluate whether the plan is achieving the goal of a healthy ocean and to inform decisions.

Thank you for your leadership and commitment to protect our critical resources.

Larry Brown

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Tue, Jul 12, 2016 at 8:58 AM
Subject: Fwd: Draft Mid-Atlantic Regional Ocean Action Plan now available
To: Eric Johansson <safemariner@me.com>

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Date: Tue, Jul 12, 2016 at 8:17 AM
Subject: Re: Draft Mid-Atlantic Regional Ocean Action Plan now available
To: ERIC JOHANSSON <safemariner@me.com>
Cc: Robert LaBelle <robert.labelle@boem.gov>, Leann Bullin <leann.bullin@boem.gov>, Kate Morrison <kmorrison@midatlanticocean.org>

Good Morning Eric,

Thank you so much for this. I've forwarded it over to our colleagues at BOEM (the coordinating agency for the RPB). No where else is required - it is now formally part of the public comment.

Best,

Arlo

Sent from my iPhone | www.midatlanticocean.org

On Jul 12, 2016, at 6:52 AM, ERIC JOHANSSON <safemariner@me.com> wrote:

Good morning Arlo,

Please find attached comments from the Tug and Barge Committee on the draft report. Please let me know if this needs to be sent elsewhere and thank you for the opportunity to comment.

<BOEMComments.pdf>

Best regards,

Eric Johansson

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THE TUG AND BARGE COMMITTEE
(TBC)
Of The Maritime Association of the Port of
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July 12, 2016

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing on behalf of the Tug & Barge Committee (TBC) of the Maritime Association of the Port of New York and New Jersey to comment on the Draft Mid-Atlantic Regional Ocean Action Plan.

Our nations Marine Transportation System (MTS) are vital to our nations economy, economic growth and prosperity serving its citizens and our Nation. Safe Ocean navigation routes connect cities, states, and ports worldwide and must be first and foremost in Ocean Planning.

“The U.S. Marine Transportation System is a prominent use of ocean and coastal waters, providing jobs and economic security. Marine commerce in the Mid-Atlantic region is vibrant and economically vital to the region’s economy.”¹

“As land-based intermodal transportation systems become more congested, maritime commerce and marine highways are regularly evaluated as efficient, cost-effective means of surface shipping. This means that not only are marine commerce and navigation linked to

¹ BOEM Mid-Atlantic Regional Ocean Action Plan Pg. 58,

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other ocean uses, they are also linked to land-based transportation needs.”²

BOEM clearly states the importance of shipping to the United States of America and then later in the report disregards shipping for unidentified competing uses.

“Regularly updated, detailed analyses of vessel traffic data over discrete time periods should demonstrate whether certain types of shipping are affected seasonally and/or on a long-term basis. This will allow decision makers to better time planned restrictions on, or potential disruptions to, shipping lanes when coordinating competing ocean uses.”³

It is disheartening that BOEM would even consider disrupting vital sea-lanes? What competing uses? Our Nations GDP is directly linked to Trade. When Trade goes up so does our Nations GDP. If BOEM consider disrupting shipping lanes they must be prepared for negative impacts to our Nations GDP and net negative energy management from unnecessary additional vessel fuel burn.

“The Panama Canal expansion project is creating ripple effects in the Mid-Atlantic, from the size of vessels to shifting trade flows. Deepening ports to accommodate larger vessels requires

² IBID

³ IBID, Pg. 59

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investments in dredging projects and may require changes in ports, including realigning channels and modifying anchorages and turning basins. Providing planners and decision makers with anticipated shifts in vessel trends leads to better characterization of navigation needs of and risks posed by marine commerce. This action will identify impacts to navigation and port infrastructure stemming from the expansion of the Panama Canal by monitoring trends and marine traffic patterns, assessing impacts to marine commerce disruption or rerouting measures, and assessing coastal approaches against proposed port depths.”⁴

Larger ships are already entering Ports on the East Coast and the ripple is surging. Shifting manufacturing centers ship significant levels of cargo via the Suez Canal NOW impacting rail and road cargo movements that are being pushed to cargo limits.

Marine Transportation will be relied upon to move cargo to facilitate trade. New Articulated Tug Barge (ATB) technology, the nations leading Ocean transporter of liquid and dry bulk, will be called upon to move cargo meeting current and future volumes of trade.

In Ocean Planning, BOEM must heed first to all current and future trade routes to protect our nations trade and economy. Our nation depends on trade and navigation safety must be protected.

New York is our home. Over 31,000 New York City residents earn their livelihood in the maritime industry. New York Harbor is the

⁴ IBID, Pg. 61

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Largest Port on the East Coast and will shortly be the Largest in the United States of America again. Because we recognize the importance of balancing the waterfront activities we support environmental stewardship balanced with economic growth and welcome the opportunity to partner with BOEM to develop common sense solutions.

I wish to thank you in advance for your considerations to our needs and if you have any questions or concerns please feel free to email me at safemariner@me.com

Respectfully submitted,

Eric Johansson
Executive Director

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On Jul 6, 2016, at 10:40 AM, Arlo Hemphill <ahemphill@midatlanticocean.org> wrote:

Dear SLC,

Hope you all had a great 4th of July weekend!

In case you missed it, the Draft Mid-Atlantic Regional Ocean Action Plan was released late yesterday afternoon. MARCO would greatly appreciate your help in getting the word out and having as many people as possible read and respond to the Draft Plan. We'd also greatly appreciate if you could encourage your respective communities to participate in a webinar this coming Monday, followed by a series of Open Houses, in which stakeholders will have an opportunity to ask questions and provide public comment to the process.

The new Draft Plan and Executive Summary can be found at:

<http://www.boem.gov/Ocean-Action-Plan/>

Information concerning the webinar and open houses (including locations, dates, times and registration information) can be found at:

<http://midatlanticocean.org/public-invited-to-webinar-and-open-houses-on-draft-mid-atlantic-regional-ocean-action-plan/>

For social media outreach, we're encouraging folks to use the hashtags #MidAOceanPlan #OceanPlanning and #OceanHistory (in recognition of this being the 1st Plan for the Mid-Atlantic).

And as always, for additional background information and updates on events and stakeholder input opportunities, we encourage people to check regularly at:

<http://midatlanticocean.org/youroceanplan/>

Thank you,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:14 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: geezpogi@yahoo.com

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From: **KnowWho Services** <noreply@knowwho.services>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 7:10 AM
Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

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Thank you

Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:15 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: dave.aabo@gmail.com

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From: **KnowWho Services** <noreply@knowwho.services>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 7:06 AM
Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

Dear Robert LaBelle,

Dearest Mid-Atlantic Regional Planning Body Members--

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Thank you for doing the right thing. Sincerely, Dave Aabo

Sincerely,

Dave Aabo
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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:16 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: amlsurf@gmail.com

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:18 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: kbackus77@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:21 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: csabala@yahoo.com

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Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 6:53 AM
Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

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Sincerely,

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csabala@yahoo.com
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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:22 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: gstadnik@hotmail.com

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:23 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: only1ljm@yahoo.com

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Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 6:02 AM
Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:24 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: khankowsky@gmail.com

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Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 1:25 AM
Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:25 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: robertpgraves79@gmail.com

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Date: Tue, Jul 12, 2016 at 11:55 PM
Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:25 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: billybread@gmail.com

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:26 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: wblldcomesbeauty@aol.com

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Date: Tue, Jul 12, 2016 at 11:37 PM
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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:29 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: seamartin3@hotmail.com

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:30 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: psswaldow@yahoo.com

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Date: Tue, Jul 12, 2016 at 11:32 PM
Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:31 AM
Subject: Re: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: Caleb Laieski <caleb_m_laieski@yahoo.com>

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:32 AM
Subject: Re: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: wrv01@yahoo.com

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Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:32 AM

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To: Caleb Laieski <caleb_m_laieski@yahoo.com>

Cc: BOEM MidAtlanticRPB <MidAtlanticRPB@boem.gov>, kevin.chu@noaa.gov, Robert LaBelle <robert.labelle@boem.gov>, Gwynne Schultz <gwynne.schultz@maryland.gov>, "KelseyLeonard@shinnecock.org" <KelseyLeonard@shinnecock.org>, "Gregory.Capobianco@dos.ny.gov" <gregory.capobianco@dos.ny.gov>, Mary Boatman <mary.boatman@boem.gov>, "laura.mckay@deq.virginia.gov" <laura.mckay@deq.virginia.gov>, "Sarah W. Cooksey" <sarah.cooksey@state.de.us>

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Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:34 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: lilakydd@gmail.com

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Thank you, Lila Kydd

Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:35 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: jbreitinger@hotmail.com

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Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 7:39 AM
Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:35 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: newportsru@yahoo.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:38 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: ericmschaal@hotmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:39 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: a_pierschalla@yahoo.com

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Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 7:46 AM
Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:40 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: elainebecker@yahoo.com

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Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:41 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: laur617@yahoo.com

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:41 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: mchazy77@hotmail.com

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:42 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: jimdimunno@yahoo.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:43 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: drogers1@dejazzd.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:49 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: nancysaunders@cox.net

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Date: Tue, Jul 12, 2016 at 10:15 PM
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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:50 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: Caleb Laieski <caleb_m_laieski@yahoo.com>

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Thank you for your time and consideration, Caleb Laieski

Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:50 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: christopherpoli1@yahoo.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:51 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: bigguy287@twcny.rr.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:53 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: eagerner@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:54 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: bkahan@thekahancenter.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:55 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: petkirst@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:56 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: treborew@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:57 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: jtdeligio@gmail.com

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Date: Tue, Jul 12, 2016 at 9:27 PM
Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:58 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: gates.melissa@rocketmail.com

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Date: Tue, Jul 12, 2016 at 9:24 PM
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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:58 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: kurtstrunk@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
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To: kurtstrunk@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:02 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: mns0341@yahoo.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:03 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: wdusold05@verizon.net

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:04 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: maryrosebarron@hotmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:04 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: jerry.rivers13@yahoo.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:05 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: bfarrell514@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:06 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: lukehevner@hotmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:07 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: caleb.michael.laieski@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:07 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: anthony.livreri@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:08 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: shortybop@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:09 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: malouden@verizon.net

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:10 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: beth.kwart@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:10 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: jim.heston@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:11 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: ecaspie89@gmail.com

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Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 8:05 AM
Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:12 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: brian.mccarthy@etrade.com

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Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:13 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: pkcrooks@cox.net

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:14 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: jnzervoulei@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:15 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: dancerforpeace@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:16 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: smithsonmusic@hotmail.com

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To: eyekoeyeko@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:17 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: asteinerny@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 12:18 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: jsdellett@optonline.net

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Thank you

Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 2:09 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: dianestan1@gmail.com

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To: rtergesen@optonline.net

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 2:10 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: marthr27@hotmail.com

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To: mcact8@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 2:11 PM
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To: juliestarke@mac.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 2:13 PM
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To: getsharkware@aol.com

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Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 2:13 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: dbrownpix@gmail.com

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From: **KnowWho Services** <noreply@knowwho.services>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:01 AM
Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

Dear Robert LaBelle,

Mid-Atlantic Regional Planning Body Members--

Thank you for drafting the first comprehensive plan for our oceans in the Mid-Atlantic! This is long-overdue, and I commend you for making it happen.

I sincerely hope to see Marine Protected Areas thoughtfully integrated into the plan, as MPA's offer great hope for maintaining marine biodiversity.

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Thank you

Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 2:14 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: wmfcollins@aol.com

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 2:14 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: jaanders@estee.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 2:15 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: phil.manning11@gmail.com

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Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 11:33 AM
Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

Dear Robert LaBelle,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 2:16 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: glo.fontaine@gmail.com

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 2:16 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: k.mayflowers@gmail.com

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 2:17 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: pureboardshopmd@gmail.com

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 2:17 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: ccollins54@msn.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 2:18 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: swarner@springfielddelco.org

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 2:32 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: alwaysrock95@gmail.com

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 3:07 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: bceconi@gmail.com

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 3:07 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: piratedragon73@aol.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>

Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2016 at 8:18 AM

Subject: Re: Fw: how should we treat the ocean - did you even know about this

To: jean public <jeanpublic1@gmail.com>

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On Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 4:45 PM, jean public <jeanpublic1@gmail.com> wrote:
as to the executive summary of this plan, as included above, i have comments on this executive summary and some of the issues that negatively affect our ocean.

1. keep big ships out of our ports. make the products here, not ship them in from china in chinese ships. we dont need that crap from china.
2. big ships kill whales, dolphins. big ships dump big bilges into the ocean. the amounts are astounding. that needs to stop entirely. why is that still allowed?
3. stop the commercial fishing profiteers losing their fishing junk crap like old nets, old crab boxes, etc kill ocean animals. they need to put their names on anything they put in the ocean and a tel number and if anyone finds a net on a whale with that information on it, the person who didnt reclaim it should be paying a million dollars fine as a first offense. we are sick of the junk that all fishermen leave in water bodies, including fishing line, hooks, etc.
4. if norfolk is our military base, they need to keep it clean and non toxic, we find that most military installations are toxic pockets that kill. when will we make norfolk clean up?
5. aquaculture is polluting and toxic and destroys water. there is too much aquaculture allowed in our coastal areas. the natural birds/ etc that need to use our coastlines have nowhere to land and eat. nj is so corrupt and has given out leases for far too much use by profiteers which harms all of us. a regional planning authority needs to stop this overuse of coastal areas.
6. all citizens are 'stakeholders'. you need to stop picking out rich companies, corporations, individuals and stop making them only stakeholders as if the rest of us count for nothing in public planning. the closed meetings are reprehensible.
7. an open webinar for meetings that people can attend by computer is much more efficient where all from the region can talk to each other is better than these small highly controlled by your private meetings that nobody except rich profiteers can get to. i know you want to select your pals for these meetings and want to close an open computer meeting, but that is the most efficient and should be required for public comment.

this comment is for the public record. jean public jeanpublic1@yahoo.com

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On Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 2:50 PM, Jean Public <jeanpublic1@yahoo.com> wrote:
COMMETNS ON MID ATLANTIC OCEAN ACTION PLAN BY BOEM - SEEMSNOT REALLY
WIDELY SENT OUT TO ENVIRONMENTALISTS

<http://www.boem.gov/Ocean-Action-Plan/>

--- On Tue, 7/12/16, Jean Public <jeanpublic1@yahoo.com> wrote:

> From: Jean Public <jeanpublic1@yahoo.com>
> Subject: how shoudl we treat thge oceanb - did you even know about this
> To: information@sierraclub.org, info@peer.org, info@njpirg.org, jeanpublic1@yahoo.com
> Cc: info@wdc.greenpeace.org, info@peta.org, info@pewtrusts.org, info@seashepherd.org
> Date: Tuesday, July 12, 2016, 7:56 AM
> <http://nj1015.com/public-input-sought-on-draft-ocean-action-plan-for-nj/>
>

From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>

Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2016 at 8:18 AM

Subject: Re: public comment on draft plan for midatlantic regional ocean action plan draft

To: jean public <jeanpublic1@gmail.com>

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On Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 5:21 PM, jean public <jeanpublic1@gmail.com> wrote:

i have some comment son the huge draft ocean plan for midatlantic regional ocean action.

1. what are the plans for moving back from the ocean since sea level is rising. tangier island is alsready overwashed.
2. theres should be no new construction allowed on the coasts of any of the region.
3. the acification of the ocean is an immediate problem as well as the trash in the ocean.do not believe setting up a network on it means any action will be taken to stop the ocean acificivation. we need actions now on this. right now.
4. the natural value of the ocan is completely left out from all of the goals and activities. the ocean has value just because itws there. its natural state is extremely mportant.
5. as to fish science, it is biased to overcatch and overproduction and overpoaching. the information presented by profiteers cannot be trusted at all becaues they will lie to take more to enrich themseelves. unfortunately our govt agencies are captured to accept the crap information provided by the profiteers, so we have a conflict here in the information, which cant be trusted.
6. pg 57 - aquaculature is extremely polluting. the fish are weker than wild. the fish get fleas. the fish waste is enormous. the water gets polluted extrmely. it does not bring about clean water at all. we need to stop polluting our waters with aquactulrreu.
7. pg 62 do not believe this combined agency needs to promite anything from stakeholders. the fact is those who want to make money beat a path to govt agencies to use them for their own ends of makign money. we all see this day after day. govt agencies far too often dont use cmmon sense in working with "stakeholders" and neglect their duties to the general public.the protection of the general public is what govt agencies shoudl be doing. they dont do it though.
8. i do not like the way the draft plan is written at all. the actual draft plan should be on line, not the groups telling us what is in each section. put the actual wording on line.
9. downsizing all of the agencies involved and setting up one agency superioe on this issue may be a better way to prevent the continual growth of fat cat bloated bureaucrats in these agencies. the sprawl of govt fat cat bloated bureaucrats looks like it can get too big a boost

and too much spending from this plan. where is the cost cutting. where is the downsizing. where is the fixation to protect taxpayers from out of control spending. i see no action on this issue.

this comment is for the public record. please receipt jean publiee jeanpublic1@yahoo.com

From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2016 at 8:19 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: wethbilliams@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2016 at 8:20 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: aharlib@earthlink.net

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2016 at 8:20 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: aharlib@earthlink.net

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Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 5:32 PM
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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2016 at 8:20 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: free7peace@yahoo.com

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Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 7:11 PM
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To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2016 at 8:21 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: fpaullin@comcast.net

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Date: Wed, Jul 13, 2016 at 8:05 PM
Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

Dear Robert LaBelle,

Mid-Atlantic Regional Planning Body Members,

Thank you for realizing that a comprehensive plan is essential to the health of our oceans. I applaud your work and commitment to hearing the concerns of folks like myself as you worked to create this plan over the last three years.

Please insure that your hard work and results are not diluted or destroyed by a final plan that does not significantly change how our oceans are managed. We need a plan that will keep them healthy and functioning into the future.

Please use Current data to determine where the most productive areas of the ocean are located.

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Thank you for helping to save our oceans.

Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2016 at 8:21 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: rothesj@hotmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2016 at 8:21 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: rkburns2@verizon.net

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2016 at 8:22 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: meisternikko@aol.com

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2016 at 9:41 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: johncono@gmail.com

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johncono@gmail.com
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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2016 at 10:22 AM
Subject: Re: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: gmsmyth3@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Fri, Jul 15, 2016 at 8:21 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: mmacelhi@hotmail.com

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Date: Thu, Jul 14, 2016 at 3:52 PM
Subject: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Fri, Jul 15, 2016 at 8:22 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: provost-draper@earthlink.net

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
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Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: mdias@surfrider.org

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
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To: nancyrhuff@msn.com

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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Fri, Jul 15, 2016 at 8:24 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: smoothjim58@yahoo.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Fri, Jul 15, 2016 at 9:01 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: arinn@eastrockawayschools.org

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Date: Fri, Jul 15, 2016 at 8:59 AM
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(516) 286-4924

From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Fri, Jul 15, 2016 at 10:48 AM
Subject: Re: Ordnance abandoned in a marine environment
To: James Barton <a19371968@gmail.com>

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And thank you for participating in the Open House public listening session on July 12 in Virginia Beach.

On Fri, Jul 15, 2016 at 10:38 AM, James Barton <a19371968@gmail.com> wrote:
Date: 12 July, 2016
Location: Virginia Aquarium and Science Center

Event: The Mid-Atlantic Regional Planning Body "Open House"

From: James Barton
Defense Wastes Policy Advisor
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Good evening,

My name is James Barton. I am a Defense Wastes Policy Advisor under contract to the Center for Disease Control, with full support of the Office of the Secretary of Defense, to produce a meta-analysis of defense wastes located within the waters of the Great Lakes.

Our Chesapeake Bay and Atlantic coastal waters are also littered with large scale munitions deposits we know nothing about. This is surprising, because from a financial perspective, every aspect of marine resources is touched by the presence of munitions in some way, in some place.

From the propagation of harmful algal blooms (HAB's), to dredge operations; anchorage, and sub-surface structural placement and tourism; to the growth rate of sustainable fisheries; munitions abandoned in a marine environment can play an important role, one which some of you are quite familiar with coming to terms with.

So it was refreshing to see the word "ordnance" appear twice in your 134 page "Ocean Plan". It is misspelled both times.

But seriously, I urge the representatives of the Mid-Atlantic Planning Body (MPB) to consider the presence of federally generated explosive wastes a net gain; representing a potential funding stream that supports your collective interests, on behalf of the greater good of this nation.

That is all.

Thank you for your time and service.

James Barton

From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Fri, Jul 15, 2016 at 2:32 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: thomas@trend-ind.us

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thomas@trend-ind.us
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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Mon, Jul 18, 2016 at 9:32 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: jnilsen@coldchaintech.com

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Date: Sat, Jul 16, 2016 at 8:17 AM
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To: midatlanticrpb@boem.gov

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Mon, Jul 18, 2016 at 9:33 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: watr3colr@yahoo.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Mon, Jul 18, 2016 at 9:33 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: tracyrocks@gmail.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Mon, Jul 18, 2016 at 9:34 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: x0xperfect14sp@yahoo.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Mon, Jul 18, 2016 at 9:35 AM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: dantainow@gmail.com

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Date: Sun, Jul 17, 2016 at 11:23 PM
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Sincerely,

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Mon, Jul 18, 2016 at 11:41 AM
Subject: Fwd: MidAtlantic Regional PLanning Body
To: John Prince <jhprince@verizon.net>

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From: **Robert LaBelle** <robert.labelle@boem.gov>
Date: Sun, Jul 17, 2016 at 12:50 PM
Subject: Fwd: MidAtlantic Regional PLanning Body
To: Leann Bullin <Leann.Bullin@boem.gov>

Pls add to his comments.

Thanks,

Bob

Begin forwarded message:

From: john prince <jhprince@verizon.net>
Date: July 16, 2016 at 11:36:40 AM EDT
To: Robert LaBelle <robert.labelle@boem.gov>
Subject: Re: MidAtlantic Regional PLanning Body

Less scientifically dissected, here is a map from the US Census Bureau that probably too generously includes the northerly regions (on this map) into the South Atlantic. While it is not environmentally scientifically specific, it demonstrates there are large organizations that recognize -reconciling my point- roughly the distinction "Mid Atlantic" and "South Atlantic".

Add
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On Jul 14, 2016, at 6:00 PM, Robert LaBelle <robert.labelle@boem.gov> wrote:

Thanks again, and please participate in future workshops or other opportunities to weigh in on these issues. At 878 pages, we are very impressed with your reference, to say the least!

Thanks,

Bob

On Jul 11, 2016, at 8:48 AM, john prince <jhprince@verizon.net> wrote:

Thank you for such a quick response. I understand the convenience factor. When it gets to the brass tacks of understanding the science, SE Virginia is quite a different place than Northern Virginia, et al. We've had decades of irresponsible plant use here (and biome classification), promoted in media writing and garden/landscape writing (many from folks not from here and not familiar with our area), namely recommending many northerly cool climate species (among landscape trees and shrubs) like Fescue lawngrass for our landscapes, a highly detrimental species with associated care that set back our rivers and waters I am sure for 5 decades. What grows on land is directly tied to the waters. These erroneous recommendations, almost foisted on unknowing recipients, have easily caused us a world of confusion. I hope you can make a note in your future work with this planning body when it comes time for details.

Thanks

PS: the working draft of our particular botanical group, should anyone ever need a reference, is here:

http://www.herbarium.unc.edu/FloraArchives/WeakleyFlora_2005-Jun.pdf

In it:

"The geographic scope of the Flora is Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia. The three recent atlases of the Virginia flora (the most recent being Harvill et al., 1992) have done much to elucidate the state's flora, and to encourage a new wave of floristic exploration. The addition of the state of Virginia to the geographical scope covered by Radford, Ahles, & Bell offers a number of advantages. The four-state region is a compact and relatively natural unit; Virginia, with its strong representation of Southern Appalachian and Southeastern Coastal Plain species, has stronger floristic affinities to the Carolinas than to states to its north and west, with which it has often been treated in the past (as in Fernald, Gleason & Cronquist, etc.). The four-state coverage will provide botanists working primarily in one state with a greater regional perspective, and should promote an increased knowledge of each state's flora, by making readily available information on species nearby."

John Prince

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On Jul 11, 2016, at 8:17 AM, Robert LaBelle <robert.labelle@boem.gov> wrote:

Mr Prince,

Thank you for your comment on the draft MidA Ocean Plan. I will share your insights with the full group working on the report. We will note the similarities with the S. Atlantic area as we discuss borders for planning sake. You are correct, the MidA was defined by state, not natural boundaries for convenience, but also because the S Atlantic states may prepare their own ocean plan in future.

Regards,

Bob LaBelle

On Jul 11, 2016, at 8:05 AM, john prince <jhprince@verizon.net> wrote:

Respectfully, Mr Labelle, I read with interest the new coastal planning departments for the Atlantic OCS Region. I'm sure it is a matter of convenience more than any reason, but as a 7th generation Southeast Virginian, much of Virginia, and particularly SE Virginia, is closely aligned and similar to the South Atlantic region climatologically, botanically and oceanologically. Having spent decades now unravelling the confusions of our botanical and climatological bases in my region, which is "South Atlantic" in nature, I become concerned that more confusion and misunderstanding arises when areas like ours get lumped into scientific groups of study such as the "Mid Atlantic", a clearly different and more northerly study group.

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Mon, Jul 18, 2016 at 1:18 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: robert.rhodes@ieee.org

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Mon, Jul 18, 2016 at 3:18 PM
Subject: Fwd: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: philjoe50@aol.com

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From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Tue, Jul 19, 2016 at 7:45 AM
Subject: Fwd: Public Comment
To: mario3rocha@gmail.com
Cc: tholmes0202@gmail.com, "Sarah W. Cooksey" <sarah.cooksey@state.de.us>, "john.clark@state.de.us" <John.Clark@state.de.us>, lau.sherilyn@epa.gov, lobue.charles@epa.gov, regan.kristin@epa.gov

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We are also forwarding your comment to the MidA RPB members of the State of Delaware and the Environmental Protection Agency for their information.

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From: **Mario Rocha** <mario3rocha@gmail.com>
Date: Mon, Jul 18, 2016 at 11:41 AM
Subject: Public Comment
To: MidAtlanticRPB@boem.gov
Cc: Thomas Holmes <tholmes0202@gmail.com>

Mid-Atlantic Ocean Action Plan:

I'm coming in new to this and haven't read all that is posted. I see the the Mid-Atlantic Action Plan calls for a lot of coordination with a number of governmental entities. That said, how does the Rehoboth Beach, DE treated sewage outfall plan fit into this coordination?

This outfall plan has the city split since it's funding only passed by a few votes. Now the city has to obtain a number of additional permits (federal?) before they can proceed. How can the Federal government (or others) step in and stop the outfall plan that many see as bad for our ocean? Is there still hope to stop the outfall or are all partners of the Mid-Atlantic Regional Ocean Action Plan in agreement with the Rehoboth Beach planned outfall? If not, how best to have action taken now to prevent it before it's too late?

Dilution is not a solution to pollution . . .

Thanks,

Mario Rocha

From: **MidAtlanticRPB, BOEM** <boemmidatlanticrpb@boem.gov>
Date: Tue, Jul 19, 2016 at 7:34 AM
Subject: Re: Please Include ERAs in the Final Ocean Action Plan
To: jessicaweiss08@gmail.com

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