

Ocean Wind 1 Offshore Wind Farm

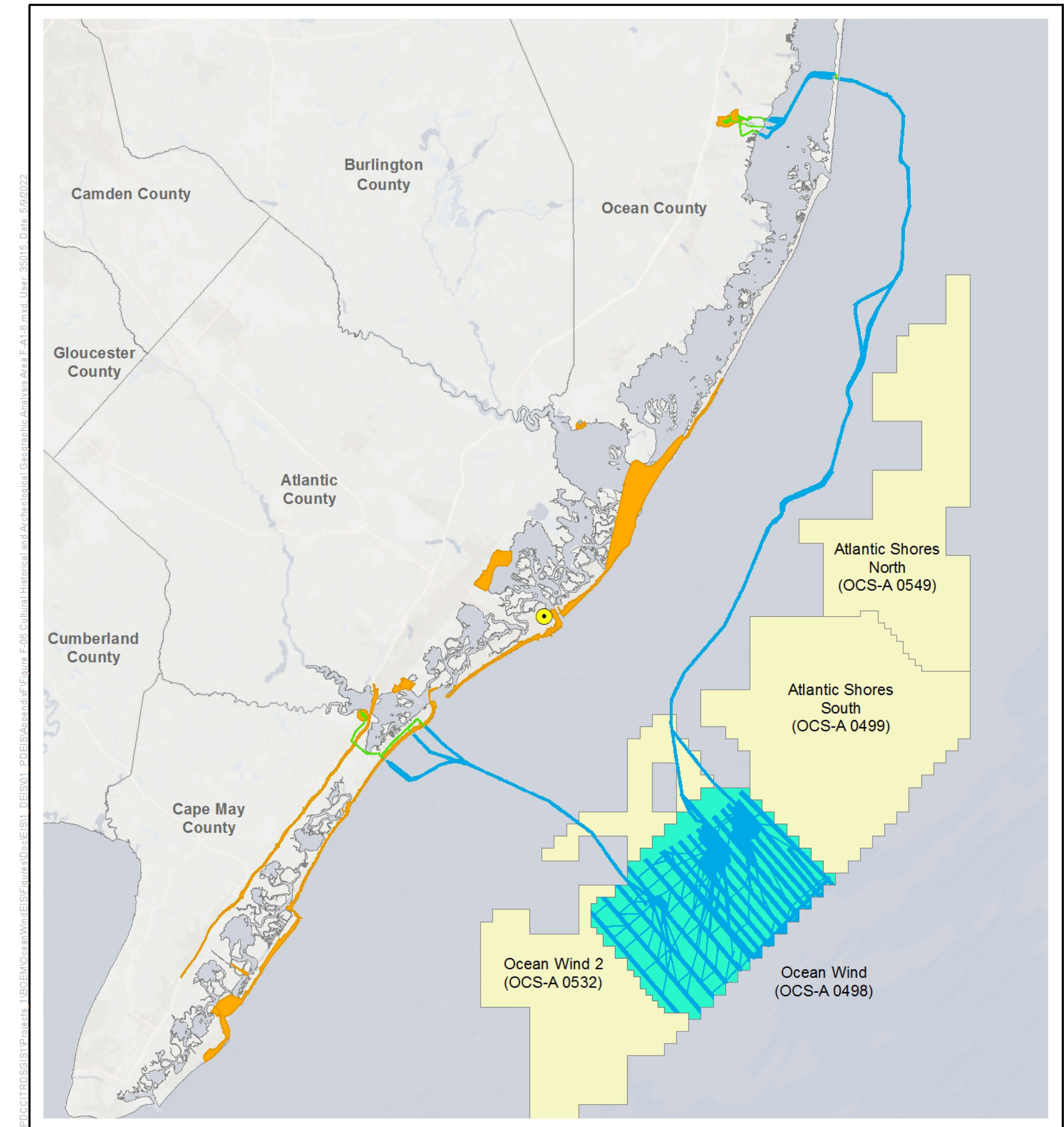
National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) Section 106 Consultation

What is the Status of the NHPA Section 106 Consultation for the Ocean Wind 1 Project?

1. BOEM has delineated the Area of Potential Effects (APEs) for terrestrial archaeology, marine archaeology and for visual effects to historic properties.
2. BOEM distributed cultural resource technical reports which identify and evaluate historic properties in the APEs to consulting parties and facilitated two consulting party meetings for Section 106 consultation.
3. BOEM has made a Finding of Adverse Effects that identifies adverse effects to (this could be subject to change based on future consultation with the consulting parties):
 - Five historic buildings where ocean views are a character-defining feature
 - Two submerged archaeological resources
 - 16 ancient submerged landform features
4. The Draft EIS includes a draft Memorandum of Agreement with proposed measures to resolve the adverse effects outlined in Historic Property Treatment Plans.

What are the Next Steps for NHPA Section 106 Consultation?

1. BOEM will continue to consult with the consulting parties regarding the identification and evaluation of historic properties.
2. BOEM will receive comments on the Finding of Adverse Effect and the draft Memorandum of Agreement, which outlines proposed measures to resolve adverse effects in Historic Property Treatment Plans.
3. BOEM will facilitate additional consulting party meetings to review the Finding of Adverse Effect and proposed measures to resolve adverse effects. The third consulting party meeting is planned for July 2022.
4. Through consultation with the consulting parties, BOEM will finalize and execute the MOA.



- Terrestrial Archaeology Area of Potential Effect
- Marine Archaeology Area of Potential Effect
- Area of Potential Effect for Analysis of Visual Effects to Historic Properties
- Ocean Wind (OCS-A 0498)
- Other BOEM Lease Areas
- O&M Facility - Atlantic City

Source: BOEM 2021.

