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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Evaluation of Coastal Zone Management Program and National Estuarine Research Reserves

AGENCY: Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, National Ocean Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), DOC.

ACTION: Notice of intent to evaluate.

SUMMARY: The NOAA Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management (OCRM) announces its intent to evaluate the performance of Virginia and Oregon Coastal Zone Management Programs.

These evaluations will be conducted pursuant to section 312 of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 (CZMA), as amended. The CZMA requires a continuing review of the performance of states with respect to coastal program implementation. Evaluation of Coastal Zone Management Programs requires findings concerning the extent to which a state has met the national objectives, adhered to its coastal program document approved by the Secretary of Commerce, and adhered to the terms of financial assistance awards funded under the CZMA. The evaluations will include a site visit, consideration of public comments, and consultations with interested Federal, State, and local agencies and members of the public. Public meetings are held as part of the site visits

Notice is hereby given of the dates of the site visits for the listed evaluations, and the dates, local times, and locations of public meetings during the site visits.

The Virginia Coastal Zone Management Program site visit will be from June 3–7, 1996. Public meetings will be held on Tuesday, June 4, 1996, at 7:00 p.m., at the Rappahannock Community College, 52 Campus Drive (Route 360), Warsaw, VA, and Thursday, June 6, 1996, at 7:00 p.m., at the Hampton Roads Planning District

Commission, 723 Woodlake Drive, Chesapeake, VA.

The Oregon Coastal Zone Management Program site visit will be from June 3–7, 1996. A public meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 5, 1996, at 7:00 p.m., at the Lincoln City Council Chambers, Lincoln City Hall, 3rd Floor, 801 SW Highway 101, Lincoln City, OR, 97367.

The States will issue notice of the public meeting(s) in a local newspaper(s) at least 45 days prior to the public meeting(s), and will issue other timely notices as appropriate.

Copies of the State's most recent performance reports, as well as OCRM's notifications and supplemental request letters to the States, are available upon request from OCRM. Written comments from interested parties regarding these Programs are encouraged and will be accepted until 15 days after the public meeting. Please direct written comments to Vickie A. Allin, Chief, Policy Coordination Division, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, NOS/NOAA, 1305 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, Maryland, 20910. When the evaluation is completed, OCRM will place a notice in the Federal Register announcing the availability of the Final Evaluation Findings.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Vickie A. Allin, Chief, Policy Coordination Division, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, NOS/NOAA, 1305 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, Maryland, 20910, (301) 713-3090, ext. 126.

Federal Domestic Assistance Catalog 11.419, Coastal Zone Management Program Administration.

Dated: April 8, 1996.

W. Stanley Wilson,

Assistant Administrator for Ocean Services and Coastal Zone.

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National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

Evaluation of State Coastal Management Programs and National Estuarine Research Reserves

AGENCY: Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, National Ocean Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), DOC.

ACTION: Notice of availability of evaluation final findings.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the availability of the final evaluation findings for the Alaska, Commonwealth of the Northern Marianas, Florida, Massachusetts, and New York Coastal Management Programs, and the ACE Basin (South Carolina), Elkhorn Slough (California), South Slough (Oregon), Jobos Bay (Puerto Rico), Old Woman Creek (Ohio), and Wells (Maine) National Estuarine Research Reserves (NERRs). Sections 312 and 315 of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 (CZMA), as amended, require a continuing review of the performance of coastal states with respect to approved coastal management programs and the operation and management of NERRS.

The states of Alaska, Florida, Massachusetts, New York and the Territory of the Commonwealth of Northern Marianas Islands were found to be adhering to and implementing and enforcing their Federally approved coastal management programs, addressing the national coastal management objectives identified in CZMA Section 303(2) (A)–(K), and adhering to the programmatic terms of their financial assistance awards.

ACE Basin, Elkhorn Slough, Old Woman Creek, South Slough, and Wells NERRs were found to be adhering to programmatic requirements of the NERR system. Jobos Bay NERR was found to be not fully adhering to the NERR System goals, the Federally approved NERR management plan, and to the terms of its financial assistance awards.

Copies of these final evaluation findings may be obtained upon written request from: Vickie Allin, Chief, Policy Coordination Division, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, NOS/NOAA, 1305 East-West Highway, 11th Floor, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910 (301) 713-3087x126.

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Dated: April 8, 1996.

W. Stanley Wilson,

Assistant Administrator for Ocean Services and Coastal Zone Management.

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Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council; Public Meeting

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: The Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council (Council) will convene a public meeting.

DATES: This meeting will be held on May 1, 1996 from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: This meeting will be held at the DoubleTree Guest Suites Hotel, 4400 West Cypress Street, Tampa, FL; telephone: 813-873-8675.

Council address: Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council, 5401 West Kennedy Boulevard, Suite 331, Tampa, FL 33609.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Steven Atran, Biologist; telephone: 813-228-2815.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Reef Fish Advisory Panel will review a video by the Florida Marine Patrol about fish trap enforcement and a summary of the results of the NMFS fish trap vessel observer study, and will review a draft of Amendment 14 to the Reef Fish Fishery Management Plan for the Gulf of Mexico. Draft Amendment 14 addresses a possible permanent license limitation system for fish trap users, and consideration of a ban on fish traps in Federal waters off of southwest Florida. This amendment also contains options to revise the reef fish framework procedure for setting total allowable catch in order to provide NMFS' Regional Director with the authority to reopen a season that was closed prematurely due to quota harvest projections. In addition, the amendment contains an option to modify the transferability provisions for reef fish vessel permits when transferring between vessel owners and operators who are the income qualifiers for the permit.

The Reef Fish Advisory Panel will also review Federal and state definitions of charter vessels and headboats and possible revisions to those definitions.

Special Accommodations

This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Anne Alford at the Council (see **ADDRESSES**) by April 26, 1996.

Dated: April 5, 1996.

Richard W. Surdi,

Acting Director, Office of Fisheries Conservation and Management, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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COMMITTEE FOR PURCHASE FROM PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR SEVERELY DISABLED**Procurement List Additions**

AGENCY: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled.

ACTION: Additions to the Procurement List.

SUMMARY: This action adds to the Procurement List commodities and services to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 13, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, Crystal Square 3, Suite 403, 1735 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3461.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Beverly Milkman (703) 603-7740.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On December 29, 1995 and February 23, 1996, the Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled published notices (60 F.R. 67351 and 61 F.R. 6977) of proposed additions to the Procurement List.

After consideration of the material presented to it concerning capability of qualified nonprofit agencies to provide the commodities and services and impact of the additions on the current or most recent contractors, the Committee has determined that the commodities and services listed below are suitable for procurement by the Federal Government under 41 U.S.C. 46-48c and 41 CFR 51-2.4.

I certify that the following action will not have a significant impact on a substantial number of small entities. The major factors considered for this certification were:

1. The action will not result in any additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small entities other than the small organizations that will furnish the commodities and services to the Government.

2. The action will not have a severe economic impact on current contractors for the commodities and services.

3. The action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the

commodities and services to the Government.

4. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in connection with the commodities and services proposed for addition to the Procurement List.

Accordingly, the following commodities and services are hereby added to the Procurement List:

Commodities

Case, Plotting Board

1220-01-055-6137

Bag, Plastic

8105-01-150-6256

Panel Marker, Aerial Liaison

8345-00-567-3323

Services

Janitorial/Custodial

AMSA #32

100 Stephens Road

Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania

Operation of Servmart

Fleet and Industrial Supply Center
Agana, Guam

This action does not affect current contracts awarded prior to the effective date of this addition or options that may be exercised under those contracts.

Beverly L. Milkman,

Executive Director.

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Procurement List; Proposed Additions

AGENCY: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled.

ACTION: Proposed additions to procurement list.

SUMMARY: The Committee has received proposals to add to the Procurement List services to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

COMMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE: May 13, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, Crystal Square 3, Suite 403, 1735 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3461.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Beverly Milkman (703) 603-7740.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice is published pursuant to 41 U.S.C. 47(a) (2) and 41 CFR 51-2.3. Its