

**SUMMARY:** The Industrial Advisory Committee (Committee) will hold an open meeting both in-person and via web conference on Thursday, August 1, 2024, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Eastern Time.

**DATES:** The Industrial Advisory Committee will meet on Thursday, August 1, 2024, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Eastern Time. The meeting will be open to the public.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held in person and via web conference from the Hubert H. Humphrey Building, located at 200 Independence Avenue SW, Washington, DC, 202201. For instructions on how to attend and/or participate in the meeting, please see the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section of this notice.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Tamiko Ford at [Tamiko.Ford@NIST.gov](mailto:Tamiko.Ford@NIST.gov). Tamiko's phone number is (202) 594-6793.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Committee was established pursuant to 15 U.S.C. 4656(b). The Committee is currently composed of 22 members, appointed by the Secretary of Commerce, to provide advice to the United States Government on matters relating to microelectronics research, development, manufacturing, and policy. Background information on the CHIPS Act and information on the Committee are available at <https://www.nist.gov/chips/industrial-advisory-committee>.

Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, 5 U.S.C. 1001 *et seq.* App., notice is hereby given that the Industrial Advisory Committee will have a meeting at the date and time in the **DATES** section and will be open to the public. The meeting will be open to the public and will be held via web conference. Interested members of the public will be able to participate in the meeting from remote locations. The primary purposes of this meeting are to update the Committee on the progress of the CHIPS R&D Programs, receive updates from the Committee working groups, and allow the Committee to deliberate and discuss the progress that has been made. The final agenda will be posted on the NIST website at <https://www.nist.gov/chips/industrial-advisory-committee>.

Individuals and representatives of organizations who would like to offer comments and suggestions related to items on the Committee's agenda for this meeting are invited to submit comments in advance of the meeting. Written comments may be submitted via the registration link. Approximately ten minutes will be reserved for public

comments. Please note that all submitted comments, including those not read during the meeting, will be treated as public documents and will be made available for public inspection. The Committee will not consider or deliberate upon comments from the public during this period. All those wishing to submit a comment must submit their request and comment via the registration link <https://events.nist.gov/profile/web/8399> by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, July 24, 2024.

All visitors to the meeting are required to pre-register to attend. Additional instructions for entry will be provided to registrants. Space is limited, and attendance will be granted on a first-come, first-serve basis during registration. Anyone wishing to attend either in person must register by 5:00 p.m. on July 24, 2024. To attend via web conference you must register by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Friday, July 31, 2024, to attend. Please submit your full name, the organization you represent (if applicable), email address, and phone number via <https://events.nist.gov/profile/web/8399>. Non-U.S. citizens must submit additional information; please contact Tamiko Ford at [Tamiko.Ford@nist.gov](mailto:Tamiko.Ford@nist.gov).

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

#### Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Management and Oversight of the National Estuarine Research Reserve System

**AGENCY:** National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection, request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce, in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on proposed, and continuing information collections, which helps us assess the impact of our information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. The purpose of this notice is to allow for 60 days of public

comment preceding submission of the collection to OMB.

**DATES:** To ensure consideration, comments regarding this proposed information collection must be received on or before September 16, 2024.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit written comments to Adrienne Thomas, NOAA PRA Officer, at [NOAA.PRA@noaa.gov](mailto:NOAA.PRA@noaa.gov). Please reference OMB Control Number 0648-0121 in the subject line of your comments. All comments received are part of the public record and will generally be posted on <https://www.regulations.gov> without change. Do not submit Confidential Business Information or otherwise sensitive or protected information.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or specific questions related to collection activities should be directed to Elizabeth Mountz, Stewardship Division Operations Manager, NOAA's Office for Coastal Management, N/OCM6, Silver Spring, MD 20910, 240-533-0819, [Elizabeth.Mountz@noaa.gov](mailto:Elizabeth.Mountz@noaa.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Abstract

This request is for extension of a current information collection. The Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, 16 U.S.C. 1451-1465, provides for the designation of estuarine research reserves representative of various regions and estuarine types in the United States to provide opportunities for long-term research, education and interpretation. During the site selection and designation process, information is collected from states in order to prepare a management plan and environmental impact statement. Designated reserves apply annually for operations funds by submitting a work plan; subsequently progress reports are required every six months for the duration of the award. Each reserve compiles an ecological characterization or site profile to describe the biological and physical environment of the reserve, research to date and research gaps. Reserves revise their management plans every five years. A competitive fellowship program supports opportunities for graduate students to conduct research at each reserve. This information is required to ensure that reserves are adhering to regulations and that the reserves are in keeping with the purpose for which they were designated.

##### II. Method of Collection

All information is collected electronically.

### III. Data

OMB Control Number: 0648–0121.

Form Number(s): None.

Type of Review: Regular submission (extension of a current information collection).

Affected Public: Non-profit institutions; State, local, or Tribal governments.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 75.

Estimated Time per Response: Management Plan revisions: 1,600 hours/response; Site Profile: 1,800 hours/response; Reserve Designation: 2,500 hours/response; Cooperative Agreement progress reporting (including performance measures)—comprehensive: 10 hours/response; Cooperative Agreement reporting—final, non-comprehensive 2 hours/response; Performance Measures associated with Cooperative Agreement progress reporting: 3 hours/response; Cooperative Agreement application: 24 hours/response; NEPA and State Historic Preservation Office review: 2 hours/response.

Please note that not all collection instruments listed above apply to all respondents. Also, some of the actions/collection instruments listed above (Management Plan revisions, Site Profile, and Reserve Designations) take place over a multiyear period; NOAA has listed the total estimated response time for these actions rather than the estimated annual response time.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 9,632.

Estimated Total Annual Cost to Public: \$0.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to Obtain or Retain Funding.

Legal Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1461. Regulations implementing the National Estuarine Research Reserve System are at 15 CFR part 921.

### IV. Request for Comments

We are soliciting public comments to permit the Department/Bureau to: (a) Evaluate whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper functions of the Department, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) Evaluate the accuracy of our estimate of the time and cost burden for this proposed collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (c) Evaluate ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) Minimize the reporting burden on those who are to respond, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments that you submit in response to this notice are a matter of public record. We will include or summarize each comment in our request to OMB to approve this ICR. Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you may ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

**Sheleen Dumas,**

Department PRA Clearance Officer, Office of the Under Secretary for Economic Affairs, Commerce Department.

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

#### Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Atlantic Highly Migratory Species Individual Bluefin Quota (IBQ) Tracking and Appeals

**AGENCY:** National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection, request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce, in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on proposed, and continuing information collections, which helps us assess the impact of our information collection requirements, and minimize the public's reporting burden. The purpose of this notice is to allow for 60 days of public comment preceding submission of the collection to OMB.

**DATES:** To ensure consideration, comments regarding this proposed information collection must be received on or before September 16, 2024.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit written comments to Adrienne Thomas, NOAA PRA Officer, at [Adrienne.thomas@noaa.gov](mailto:Adrienne.thomas@noaa.gov). Please reference OMB Control Number 0648–0677 in the subject line of your comments. Do not submit Confidential

Business Information or otherwise sensitive or protected information.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or specific questions related to collection activities should be directed to Elsa Gutierrez, Atlantic Highly Migratory Species Management Division, 1315 East West Hwy., Bldg. SSMC3, Silver Spring, MD 20910–3282, (301) 427–8503 or [Elsa.Gutierrez@noaa.gov](mailto:Elsa.Gutierrez@noaa.gov).

### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### I. Abstract

This request is for renewal and extension of a currently approved information collection. Under the provisions of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act (16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*), the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) is responsible for management of the Nation's marine fisheries. NMFS must also promulgate regulations, as necessary and appropriate, to carry out obligations the United States undertakes internationally regarding tuna management through the Atlantic Tunas Convention Act (ATCA, 16 U.S.C. 971 *et seq.*).

Amendment 7 to the 2006 Consolidated HMS Fishery Management Plan (79 FR 71510, December 2, 2014) implemented individual Bluefin tuna quota (IBQ) shares and allocations for vessels permitted in the Atlantic Tunas Longline category through the IBQ online system. IBQs are intended to fairly and effectively allocate limited quota for incidental capture of Atlantic Bluefin tuna among vessels in the Longline category, while minimizing dead discards and discouraging interactions with Bluefin tuna. An online system developed by NMFS tracks allocations and allocation leases, and reconciles allocation with bluefin tuna catches for quota monitoring. This collection of information accounts for the reporting burden associated with allocation and lease tracking.

First-time vessel permit holders in the affected categories must obtain and set up an IBQ account in the online "IBQ Catch Shares Program" in order to be issued IBQ shares and resultant allocation, to lease IBQ, and to resolve quota debt. To use the electronic IBQ System, first-time participants will need to request an account and set their account up with background information. The information collected during account issuance and set-up will be used by NMFS to verify the identity of the individual/business and whether they qualify for IBQ allocation leasing.

The lease monitoring information collected by the online system will be