

**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE****National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration****Advisory Committee on Excellence in Space (ACES); Notice of Meeting**

**AGENCY:** Office of Space Commerce (OSC), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Department of Commerce (DOC).

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, the NOAA Office of Space Commerce announces the second meeting of the Advisory Committee on Excellence in Space (ACES).

**DATES:** March 5, 2025, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. EDT.

**ADDRESSES:** U.S. Department of Commerce, Herbert C. Hoover Building—Commerce Research Library, 1401 Constitution Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20230. In-person participation is limited to ACES members and DOC personnel. Public participation will occur via a hybrid format. The link for webinar registration will be posted, when available, on the ACES website, <https://www.space.commerce.gov/aces>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jason Y. Kim, Designated Federal Officer, Advisory Committee on Excellence in Space (ACES), NOAA Office of Space Commerce, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20230. Telephone: 202-482-5827. Email: [space.commerce@noaa.gov](mailto:space.commerce@noaa.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** ACES provides advice and recommendations to the NOAA Under Secretary or OSC Director on matters relating to OSC's statutory purview. The first meeting of ACES was held on October 3, 2024, in Washington, DC.

**Agenda:** The meeting will include discussions on topics pertinent to commercial space policy, regulation, and operational mission support, including commercial space mission authorization and supervision and space sustainability.

A detailed agenda with meeting materials will be available closer to the meeting date on the ACES website, <https://www.space.commerce.gov/aces>.

**Written Comments:** Members of the public may submit written comments to ACES at [space.commerce@noaa.gov](mailto:space.commerce@noaa.gov) by March 3, 2025.

**Special Accommodations:** Requests for special accommodations may be directed to the Designated Federal Officer no later than March 3, 2025.

Dated: January 23, 2025.

**Janice Starzyk,**

*Acting Director of the Office of Space Commerce.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE****National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration****Marine and Coastal Area-Based Management Advisory Committee Meeting**

**AGENCY:** National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This notice sets forth the proposed schedule and agenda of a forthcoming meeting of the Marine and Coastal Area-based Management Advisory Committee (MCAM). The members will discuss and provide advice on issues outlined under **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** below.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held on February 26, 2025, from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. eastern time.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held virtually on the Google Meets Platform. Registration is not required. Participants may join the meeting by computer or by phone:

*Join by computer:* [meet.google.com/xcd-rjkg-cnc](https://meet.google.com/xcd-rjkg-cnc).

*Join by phone:* (US) +1 929-324-1668 PIN: 270 068 426#.

The MCAM website may be found at <https://oceanservice.noaa.gov/ocean/marine-coastal-fac/meetings.html>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ellie Roberts, Program Analyst, NOAA's Office of National Marine Sanctuaries, [ellie.roberts@noaa.gov](mailto:ellie.roberts@noaa.gov), (240) 533-0676.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** As required by section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. 1009(a)(2), notice is hereby given of a meeting of the MCAM. The MCAM was established in 2022 to advise the Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere on science-based approaches to area-based protection, conservation, restoration, and management in coastal and marine areas, including the Great Lakes. The MCAM charter is located online at <https://oceanservice.noaa.gov/ocean/marine-coastal-fac/>.

**I. Matters To Be Considered**

The meeting time and agenda are subject to change. The meeting is convened to discuss the following

topics: area-based management in the U.S.; tracking conservation progress; Indigenous-led conservation and co-stewardship; and various administrative and organizational matters. For the most up-to-date meeting times, agenda, and meeting materials, refer to the MCAM website at (<https://oceanservice.noaa.gov/ocean/marine-coastal-fac/meetings.html>).

**II. Public Comment Instructions**

The meeting will be open to public comment (check the meeting agenda on the MCAM website to confirm the time for oral public comments). Written comments should be received by February 21, 2025, to provide sufficient time for MCAM review. Written comments received after February 21, 2025, will be distributed to the Committee, but may not be reviewed prior to the meeting date. To submit written comments, please email Ellie Roberts, [ellie.roberts@noaa.gov](mailto:ellie.roberts@noaa.gov). Written comments NOAA receives are considered part of the public record, and the entirety of the comment, including the name of the commenter, email address, attachments, and other supporting materials will be publicly accessible. Sensitive personally identifiable information, such as account numbers and Social Security numbers, should not be included with the comment. Do not submit comments that contain profanity, vulgarity, threats, or other inappropriate language.

**III. Special Accommodations**

This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Ellie Roberts at [ellie.roberts@noaa.gov](mailto:ellie.roberts@noaa.gov), at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

**John Armor,**

*Designated Federal Official, Marine and Coastal Area-based Management Advisory Committee, Director, Office of National Marine Sanctuaries, National Ocean Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.*

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**New England Fishery Management Council; Public Meeting**

**AGENCY:** National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and