

8000, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, Virginia 22314; Phone 703–292–8500.

*Minutes:* May be obtained from the contact person listed above.

*Purpose of Meeting:* To provide advice, recommendations, and oversight on support for geoscience research and education including atmospheric, geospace, earth, ocean and polar sciences.

### Agenda

*October 14, 2020*

- Directorate and NSF activities and plans
- Discussion of the Impact of COVID–19 on GEO operations
- Discussion of Draft Report on 21st Century Geosciences
- Update on NASEM Earth System Science Study

*October 15, 2020*

- Report outs from Division Meetings and AC OPP Fall Meeting
- Report on the AGS Committee of Visitors Meeting
- Meeting with the NSF Director and Chief Operating Officer
- Action Items/Planning for Spring 2021 Meeting

Dated: September 15, 2020.

**Crystal Robinson,**

*Committee Management Officer.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Notice of Permit Applications Received Under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978

**AGENCY:** National Science Foundation.  
**ACTION:** Notice of permit applications received.

**SUMMARY:** The National Science Foundation (NSF) is required to publish a notice of permit applications received to conduct activities regulated under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978. NSF has published regulations under the Antarctic Conservation Act in the Code of Federal Regulations. This is the required notice of permit applications received.

**DATES:** Interested parties are invited to submit written data, comments, or views with respect to this permit application by October 19, 2020. This application may be inspected by interested parties at the Permit Office, address below.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments should be addressed to Permit Office, Office of Polar Programs, National Science

Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, Virginia 22314.

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Nature McGinn, ACA Permit Officer, at the above address, 703–292–8030, or [ACApermits@nsf.gov](mailto:ACApermits@nsf.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The National Science Foundation, as directed by the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978 (Pub. L. 95–541, 45 CFR 671), as amended by the Antarctic Science, Tourism and Conservation Act of 1996, has developed regulations for the establishment of a permit system for various activities in Antarctica and designation of certain animals and certain geographic areas a requiring special protection. The regulations establish such a permit system to designate Antarctic Specially Protected Areas.

### Application Details

*Permit Application: 2021–005*

1. *Applicant:* Jonathan Schwartz, 411 Walnut Stree #12926, Green Cove Springs, FL 32043.

*Activity for Which Permit is*

*Requested:* Waste management.

Applicant requests that the yacht SV Zephyros to conduct waste management activities associated with expedition operations in the Antarctic Treaty area. Applicant proposes to cruise along the Antarctic Peninsula for tourism and sightseeing purposes and to make select stops at non-protected area landings, for sightseeing and educational purposes. Garbage and food waste containing animal remains, including poultry, would be stored onboard the vessel and disposed of outside Antarctica. Human waste and other food waste would be macerated and, if discharged in the Antarctic Treaty area, greywater and blackwater would be released at least 12 miles offshore and while the vessel maintains a speed of at least four knots. The release of any designated pollutants would be mitigated by the use of a capable vessel, a well-trained crew, cautious operational practices, and extremely limited stores of non-fuel distillates.

*Location:* Antarctic Peninsula region.

*Dates of Permitted Activities:* January 1–February 28, 2021.

**Erika N. Davis,**

*Program Specialist, Office of Polar Programs.*

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## NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

### Notice of Permits Issued Under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978

**AGENCY:** National Science Foundation.

**ACTION:** Notice of permit issued.

**SUMMARY:** The National Science Foundation (NSF) is required to publish notice of permits issued under the Antarctic Conservation Act of 1978. This is the required notice.

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Nature McGinn, ACA Permit Officer, Office of Polar Programs, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Alexandria, VA 22314; 703–292–8030; email: [ACApermits@nsf.gov](mailto:ACApermits@nsf.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On June 26, 2020, the National Science Foundation published a notice in the **Federal Register** of a permit application received. The permit was issued on August 12, 2020 to:

**Permit No. 2021–002**

1. Megan Cimino

**Erika N. Davis,**

*Program Specialist, Office of Polar Programs.*

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## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[NRC–2020–0001]

### Sunshine Act Meetings

**TIME AND DATE:** Weeks of September 14, 21, 28, October 5, 12, 19, 2020.

**PLACE:** Commissioners' Conference Room, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

**STATUS:** Public.

### Week of September 14, 2020

*Tuesday, September 15, 2020*

9:55 a.m. Affirmation Session (Public Meeting)

a. Direct Final Rule: Reactor Vessel Material Surveillance Program (RIN 3150–AK07; NRC 2017 0151)

b. El Paso Electric Co. (Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station), request for Hearing in License Transfer Proceeding (Contact: Denise McGovern: 301–415–0681)

*Additional Information:* By a vote of 5–0 on September 10, 11, and 12, 2020, the Commission determined pursuant to U.S.C. 552b(e) and '9.107(a) of the Commission's rules that the above referenced Affirmation Session be held with less than one week notice to the

public. The meeting was held on September 15, 2020. Due to COVID-19, there was no physical public attendance.

The public was invited to attend the Commission's meeting live by webcast at the Web address—<https://www.nrc.gov/>.

10:00 a.m. Agency's Response to the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency (Public Meeting)  
(Contact: Luis Betancourt: 301-415-6146)

*Additional Information:* Due to COVID-19, there will be no physical public attendance. The public is invited to attend the Commission's meeting live by webcast at the Web address—<https://www.nrc.gov/>.

Thursday, September 17, 2020

10:00 a.m. Transformation at the NRC—Milestones and Results (Public Meeting)  
(Contact: Maria Arribas-Colon: 301-415-6026)

*Additional Information:* Due to COVID-19, there will be no physical public attendance. The public is invited to attend the Commission's meeting live by webcast at the Web address—<https://www.nrc.gov/>.

#### Week of September 21, 2020—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of September 21, 2020.

#### Week of September 28, 2020—Tentative

Wednesday, September 30, 2020

9:00 a.m. Strategic Programmatic Overview of the Operating Reactors and New Reactors Business Lines and Results of the Agency Action Review Meeting (Public Meeting)  
(Contact: Candace de Messieres: 301-415-8395)

*Additional Information:* Due to COVID-19, there will be no physical public attendance. The public is invited to attend the Commission's meeting live by webcast at the Web address—<https://www.nrc.gov/>.

#### Week of October 5, 2020—Tentative

Thursday, October 8, 2020

10:00 a.m. Meeting with the Organization of Agreement States and the Conference of Radiation Control Program Directors (Public Meeting)  
(Contact: Celimar Valentin-Rodriguez: 301-415-7124)

*Additional Information:* Due to COVID-19, there will be no physical public attendance. The public is invited to attend the Commission's meeting live by webcast at the Web address—<https://www.nrc.gov/>.

#### Week of October 12, 2020—Tentative

There are no meetings scheduled for the week of October 12, 2020.

#### Week of October 19, 2020—Tentative

Wednesday, October 21, 2020

10:00 a.m. Briefing on Human Capital and Equal Employment Opportunity (Public Meeting)

(Contact: Randi Neff: 301-287-0583)

*Additional Information:* Due to COVID-19, there will be no physical public attendance. The public is invited to attend the Commission's meeting live by webcast at the Web address—<https://www.nrc.gov/>.

1:00 p.m.—All Employees Meeting with the Commissioners (Public Meeting)

*Additional Information:* Due to COVID-19, there will be no physical public attendance. The public is invited to attend the Commission's meeting live by webcast at the Web address—<https://www.nrc.gov/>.

#### CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:

For more information or to verify the status of meetings, contact Denise McGovern at 301-415-0681 or via email at [Denise.McGovern@nrc.gov](mailto:Denise.McGovern@nrc.gov). The schedule for Commission meetings is subject to change on short notice.

The NRC Commission Meeting Schedule can be found on the internet at: <https://www.nrc.gov/public-involve/public-meetings/schedule.html>.

The NRC provides reasonable accommodation to individuals with disabilities where appropriate. If you need a reasonable accommodation to participate in these public meetings or need this meeting notice or the transcript or other information from the public meetings in another format (e.g., braille, large print), please notify Anne Silk, NRC Disability Program Specialist, at 301-287-0745, by videophone at 240-428-3217, or by email at [Anne.Silk@nrc.gov](mailto:Anne.Silk@nrc.gov). Determinations on requests for reasonable accommodation will be made on a case-by-case basis.

Members of the public may request to receive this information electronically. If you would like to be added to the distribution, please contact the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Office of the Secretary, Washington, DC 20555 (301-415-1969), or by email at [Wendy.Moore@nrc.gov](mailto:Wendy.Moore@nrc.gov) or [Tyesha.Bush@nrc.gov](mailto:Tyesha.Bush@nrc.gov).

The NRC is holding the meetings under the authority of the Government in the Sunshine Act, 5 U.S.C. 552b.

Dated: September 16, 2020.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**Denise L. McGovern,**

*Policy Coordinator, Office of the Secretary.*

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## NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[NRC-2020-0104]

### Information Collection: NRC Online Form, "Nuclear Materials Relief Requests"

**AGENCY:** Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of submission to the Office of Management and Budget; request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) has recently submitted a request for renewal of an existing collection of information to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review. The information collection is entitled, NRC Online Form, "Nuclear Materials Relief Requests."

**DATES:** Submit comments by October 19, 2020. Comments received after this date will be considered if it is practical to do so, but the Commission is able to ensure consideration only for comments received on or before this date.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to <https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain>. Find this particular information collection by selecting "Currently under Review—Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** David Cullison, NRC Clearance Officer, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001; telephone: 301-415-2084; email: [INFOCOLLECTS.Resource@nrc.gov](mailto:INFOCOLLECTS.Resource@nrc.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Obtaining Information and Submitting Comments

###### A. Obtaining Information

Please refer to Docket ID NRC-2020-0104 when contacting the NRC about the availability of information for this action. You may obtain publicly-available information related to this action by any of the following methods:

- *Federal Rulemaking website:* Go to <https://www.regulations.gov> and search for Docket ID NRC-2020-0104. A copy of the collection of information and related instructions may be obtained