

performance standards established through the HGMPs. Reporting and inclusion of new information derived from HGMPs' research, monitoring, and evaluation activities assures that performance standards will be achieved in future seasons.

Summary of Comments Received

Mid-Columbia and Hood River HGMPs

NMFS published a notice of availability for public review and comment on four Mid-Columbia HGMPs and the proposed evaluation and pending determination (PEPD) for the two Hood River programs on July 14, 2020 (85 FR 42361), as required under Limit 5 and Limit 6 of the ESA section 4(d) Rule, respectively. The PEPD and HGMPs were available for public review and comment for 30 days.

NMFS published a notice of availability for public review and comment on the Draft Environmental Assessment (DEA) on July 14, 2020 (85 FR 42361), in accordance with National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA), as amended (42 U.S.C. 4321 *et seq.*). The DEA was available for public review and comment for 30 days.

No comments were received on the PEPD, HGMPs, or the DEA.

Lake Washington HGMPs

NMFS published a notice of its PEPD on the five hatchery programs for public review and comment on August 27, 2021 (86 FR 48125, August 27, 2021), as required under Limit 6 of the ESA section 4(d) Rule. The PEPD was available for public review and comment for 30 days. No comments were received on the PEPD.

NMFS published a notice of availability for public review and comment on the DEA on August 27, 2021 (85 FR 48125, August 27, 2021), in accordance with NEPA, as amended (42 U.S.C. 4321 *et seq.*). The DEA was available for public review and comment for 30 days. NMFS received four comments on the DEA; though none of the comments had specific information or supporting documentation to warrant a change in the proposed action or the analysis contained in the DEA.

Hood Canal HGMPs

NMFS published a notice of its PEPD on five hatchery programs for public review and comment on November 10, 2021 (86 FR 62517), as required under Limit 6 of the ESA section 4(d) Rule. The PEPD was available for public review and comment for 30 days. No comments were received on the PEPD.

Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1531–1543; 16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*; 16 U.S.C. 5503(d).

Dated: September 29, 2022.

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Chief, Endangered Species Division, Office of Protected Resources, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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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; Improving Knowledge About NWS Forecaster Core Partner Needs for Reducing Vulnerability to Compound Threats in Landfalling Tropical Cyclones Amid Covid–19

The Department of Commerce will submit the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, on or after the date of publication of this notice. We invite 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. Public comments were previously requested via the **Federal Register** on July 19, 2022 (87 FR 43005) during a 60-day comment period. This notice allows for an additional 30 days for public comments.

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

Title: Improving Knowledge About NWS Forecaster Core Partner Needs for Reducing Vulnerability to Compound Threats in Landfalling Tropical Cyclones Amid Covid–19.

OMB Control Number: 0648–XXXX.

Form Number(s): None.

Type of Request: Regular submission (new information collection).

Number of Respondents: 35.

Average Hours per Response: 1 hour.

Total Annual Burden Hours: 35 hours.

Needs and Uses: The data collection is sponsored by DOC/NOAA/National Weather Service (NWS)/Office of Science and Technology Integration (OSTI). Compound hazards, like tornadoes and flash floods (called TORFFs), are a significant issue for risk communication and are common in landfalling tropical cyclones. Currently, NOAA lacks data and data collection

instruments that articulate and explain how emergency managers and broadcast meteorologists receive, interpret, and respond to NWS prediction information about these compound hazards before and during landfalling tropical cyclones, like Hurricane Ida. Furthermore, NOAA lacks adequate knowledge about how these risks are best communicated during pandemics such as COVID–19, when it is important for those who are most vulnerable to adjudicate their risks of exposure to both severe weather and COVID–19. Such knowledge about compound weather hazards would be particularly useful for NWS forecasters who communicate risk information to their colleagues in emergency management and broadcast meteorology (hereafter “partners”), especially when information about sheltering practices, evacuation, and vulnerability can be complicated by exposure to public health threats and bilingual needs.

Semi-structured interviews will be conducted with partners in local areas impacted by recent hurricanes with embedded TORFF hazards, such as Hurricane Ida and its remnants. Semi-structured interview data will be collected on a one-off basis and will be conducted either virtually or in-person (COVID–19 restriction dependent). Specific questions in the interview guide determine how partners attend to, prioritize, and communicate information related to compound wind and water threats before and during landfalling tropical cyclones or hurricanes.

The interviews will be conducted by researchers at Texas Tech University's Risk and Equity in Disasters (RED) Lab and at Texas A&M. They have begun to develop data collection instruments that will allow them to gather risk information. These instruments are being created in collaboration with experts in emergency management and broadcast meteorology through the Board on Emergency Management and the Board on Professional Development within the American Meteorological Society. This helps assure the appropriateness of questions relative to different decision spaces, job roles, and communication processes.

This data collection serves many purposes, including building knowledge of how partners attend to, make sense of, and communicate compound hazards, as well as challenges they face in identifying vulnerable populations to severe weather in the context of COVID–19. These data will be reported in aggregate when possible and findings will be used by the NWS training centers in Norman, OK, and Kansas

City, MO, to inform their practices for Impact-Based Decision Support Services (IDSS) and to improve the information and services it provides to members of the Weather Enterprise. Importantly, data collected will help assist NWS in developing new forecaster training modules, situational awareness information, and best practices for Impact-Based Decision Support with partners. This is a necessary step in improving risk communication among expert groups, which, in turn, benefits vulnerable populations who ultimately must act quickly and safely to adjudicate which risks pose the greatest threat to them as the threats evolve. Data collected from both populations will also be used for the practical utility of the government through semi-annual reports to NOAA to evaluate proposed metrics of success for completing the grant relative to progress to data. Conference presentations about findings will be made to the American Meteorological Society, National Weather Association, and related emergency manager conferences; webinars of best practices and situational awareness opportunities to partner or NWS offices; and insights about the challenges of communicating and preparing the public for compound hazards reported to peer reviewed publications in professional journals.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit organizations; State, Local, or Tribal government; Federal government.

Frequency: One time.

Respondent's Obligation: Voluntary.

Legal Authority: 15 U.S.C. chapter 111, Weather Research and Forecasting Information.

This information collection request may be viewed at www.reginfo.gov. Follow the instructions to view the Department of Commerce collections currently under review by OMB.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be submitted within 30 days of the publication of this notice on the following website www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain. Find this particular information collection by selecting "Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function and entering the title of the collection.

Sheleen Dumas,

Department PRA Clearance Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer, Commerce Department.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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South Atlantic Fishery Management Council; Public Meetings

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

ACTION: Notice of a public meeting.

SUMMARY: The South Atlantic Fishery Management Council will hold a meeting of the Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC) from October 25 to October 27, 2022, in Charleston, SC.

DATES: The SSC meeting will be held from 8:30 a.m. until 5 p.m. EDT on October 25th and October 26th, and from 8:30 a.m. until 12 p.m. on October 27, 2022.

ADDRESSES:

Meeting address: The meeting will be held at the Town & Country Inn, 2008 Savannah Highway, Charleston, SC 29407; phone: (843) 571–1000. The meeting will also be available via webinar as it occurs. Registration is required. Webinar registration information, an online public comment form, and briefing book materials will be available two weeks prior to the meetings at: <https://safmc.net/scientific-and-statistical-committee-meeting/>.

Council address: South Atlantic Fishery Management Council, 4055 Faber Place Drive, Suite 201, N Charleston, SC 29405.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Judd Curtis, SAFMC; phone: (843) 302–8441; fax: (843) 769–4520; email: judd.curtis@safmc.net.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The SSC meeting agenda topics will include: SSC review and discussion of the NOAA Fisheries Southeast Fishery Science Center (SEFSC) interim analysis strategy, management strategy evaluation (MSE) model for the snapper grouper fishery, an update from the NOAA Fisheries National MSE Technical Workgroup, red snapper recruitment patterns in the South Atlantic, SEFSC project on minimizing discards in the snapper grouper fishery, Release Mortality Reduction Framework Amendment 35 to the Snapper Grouper Fishery Management Plan, Spanish mackerel revised operational assessment review, greater amberjack estimation project update, review of terms of reference and Southeast Data Assessment and Review (SEDAR) schedule for golden tilefish and blueline

tilefish, report on the National SSC meeting, Stock Assessment and Fishery Evaluation (SAFE) reports review, fishery management plan amendment updates, and other business as needed.

Special Accommodations

These meetings are physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for auxiliary aids should be directed to the Council office (see **ADDRESSES**) 5 days prior to the meeting.

Note: The times and sequence specified in this agenda are subject to change.

Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*

Dated: September 29, 2022.

Rey Israel Marquez,

Acting Deputy Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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North Pacific Fishery Management Council; Public Meeting

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

ACTION: Notice of web conference.

SUMMARY: The North Pacific Fishery Management Council (Council) Charter Halibut Management Committee will meet October 21, 2022.

DATES: The meeting will be held on Friday, October 21, 2022, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m., Alaska Time.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be a web conference. Join online through the link at <https://meetings.npfmc.org/Meeting/Details/2956>.

Council address: North Pacific Fishery Management Council, 1007 W 3rd Ave., Anchorage, AK 99501–2252; telephone: (907) 271–2809. Instructions for attending the meeting via video conference are given under **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**, below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sarah Marrinan, Council staff; phone: (907) 271–2809; email: sarah.marrinan@noaa.gov. For technical support, please contact our admin Council staff, email: npfmc.admin@noaa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: