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

Dated: September 27, 2022.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration****Notice of Deadline Extension for the NOAA Brennan Matching Fund Opportunity for Ocean and Coastal Mapping**

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

ACTION: Announcement to extend the deadline for the Brennan Matching Fund program opportunity, request for proposals, and request for interest to October 16, 2022.

SUMMARY: This notice extends the proposal submission deadline for the NOAA Rear Admiral Richard T. Brennan Ocean Mapping Matching Fund program by two weeks to October 16, 2022. Notice of the Brennan Matching Fund opportunity originally appeared in the **Federal Register** on June 10, 2022, 87 FR 35509.

DATES: Proposals, including any optional geographic information system (GIS) files of the proposed project areas, must be received via email by 5 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on October 16, 2022. If an entity is unable to apply for this particular opportunity, but has an interest in participating in similar, future opportunities, NOAA requests a one-page statement of interest, also by October 16, 2022, to help gauge whether to offer the Brennan Matching Fund program in future years.

ADDRESSES: Proposals must be submitted via email to iwgocm.staff@noaa.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information should be directed to Ashley Chappell, NOAA Integrated Ocean and Coastal Mapping Coordinator, at iwgocm.staff@noaa.gov.

Authority: Coast and Geodetic Survey Act of 1947 (33 U.S.C. 883e)

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration**

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Fisheries of the South Atlantic; Southeast Data, Assessment, and Review (SEDAR); Public Meeting

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

ACTION: Notice of SEDAR 77 Highly Migratory Species (HMS) Hammerhead Sharks Assessment Webinar V.

SUMMARY: The SEDAR 77 assessment of the Atlantic stock of hammerhead sharks will consist of a stock identification (ID) process, data webinars/workshop, a series of assessment webinars, and a review workshop. See **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**.

DATES: The SEDAR 77 HMS Hammerhead Sharks Assessment Webinar V has been scheduled for Tuesday October 18, 2022, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m., eastern time. The established times may be adjusted as necessary to accommodate the timely completion of discussion relevant to the assessment process. Such adjustments may result in the meeting being extended from or completed prior to the time established by this notice.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held via webinar. The webinar is open to members of the public. Registration for the webinar is available at: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/4151195581147732750> or by contacting the SEDAR coordinator via email at Kathleen.Howington@safmc.net.

SEDAR address: South Atlantic Fishery Management Council, 4055 Faber Place Drive, Suite 201, N Charleston, SC 29405; www.sedarweb.org.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Kathleen Howington, SEDAR Coordinator, 4055 Faber Place Drive, Suite 201, North Charleston, SC 29405; phone: (843) 571-4371; email: Kathleen.Howington@safmc.net.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Gulf of Mexico, South Atlantic, and Caribbean Fishery Management Councils, in conjunction with NOAA Fisheries and the Atlantic and Gulf States Marine Fisheries Commissions, have implemented the Southeast Data, Assessment and Review (SEDAR) process, a multi-step method for determining the status of fish stocks in the Southeast Region. SEDAR is a three-step process including: (1) Data Workshop; (2) Assessment Process utilizing webinars; and (3) Review Workshop. The product of the Data Workshop is a data report which compiles and evaluates potential datasets and recommends which datasets are appropriate for assessment analyses. The product of the Assessment Process is a stock assessment report which describes the fisheries, evaluates the status of the stock, estimates biological benchmarks, projects future population conditions, and recommends research and monitoring needs. The assessment is independently peer reviewed at the Review Workshop. The product of the Review Workshop is a summary documenting panel opinions regarding the strengths and weaknesses of the stock assessment and input data. Participants for SEDAR Workshops are appointed by the Gulf of Mexico, South Atlantic, and Caribbean Fishery Management Councils and NOAA Fisheries Southeast Regional Office, Highly Migratory Species Management Division, and Southeast Fisheries Science Center. Participants include: data collectors and database managers; stock assessment scientists, biologists, and researchers; constituency representatives including fishermen, environmentalists, and non-governmental organizations (NGOs); international experts; and staff of Councils, Commissions, and state and Federal agencies.

The items of discussion at the SEDAR 77 HMS Hammerhead Shark Assessment Webinar V are as follows: discuss any leftover data issues that were not cleared up during the data process, answer any questions that the analysts have, and discuss model development and model setup.

Although non-emergency issues not contained in this agenda may come before this group for discussion, those issues may not be the subject of formal action during this meeting. Action will be restricted to those issues specifically identified in this notice and any issues arising after publication of this notice that require emergency action under section 305(c) of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, provided the public has been

notified of the intent to take final action to address the emergency.

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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 Herring Amendment 5 Data Collection

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 November 29, 2022.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit written comments to Adrienne Thomas, NOAA PRA Officer, at *Adrienne.Thomas@noaa.gov*. Please reference OMB Control Number 0648–0674 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 Carrie Nordeen, Fishery Policy Analyst, 55 Great Republic Drive, Gloucester, MA 01930 or 978–281–9272 or *Carrie.Nordeen@noaa.gov*.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

This request is for an extension of a currently approved collection associated with the Atlantic herring fishery. National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) Greater Atlantic Region manages these fisheries in the Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ) of the Northeastern United States through the Atlantic Herring Fishery Management Plan (FMP). The New England Fishery Management Council prepared the FMP pursuant to the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act (Magnuson-Stevens Act). The regulations implementing the FMP are specified at 50 CFR part 648 and the recordkeeping and reporting requirements at § 648.11 form the basis for this collection of information.

In 2014, NMFS implemented Amendment 5 to the Atlantic Herring FMP to improve the collection of real-time and accurate catch information for the Atlantic herring fishery; enhance the monitoring and sampling of catch at-sea; and address bycatch issues, in particular bycatch of river herrings and shads, through responsible management.

In 2020, NMFS implemented the New England Industry Funded Monitoring (IFM) Omnibus Amendment to increase monitoring in certain FMPs, above levels required by the Standardized Bycatch Reporting Methodology (SBRM), to assess the amount and type of catch and to reduce variability around catch estimates. This amendment created a structure by which industry funding would be used in conjunction with available federal funding to pay for additional monitoring to meet FMP-specific coverage targets and required IFM in the Atlantic herring fishery.

We request the continued collection of the following information to improve monitoring and the collection of catch information in the Atlantic herring fishery:

- Observer notification requirement for permitted herring vessels to facilitate SBRM and IFM coverage;
- Requirement for vessel captains to submit a Released Catch Affidavit form documenting the discarding of unsampled catch;
- A requirement that Category A and B Atlantic herring permit holders pay for vessel at-sea monitoring costs, estimated to be up to \$710 per sea day,

on trips selected for IFM coverage (50% coverage target);

- The option for Category A and B Atlantic herring permit holders that fish with midwater trawl gear to obtain an IFM observer allowing the vessel to fish in groundfish closed areas and pay for the vessel's at-sea monitoring costs, estimated to be up to \$818 per sea day; and

- Requirements for IFM monitor service providers to submit reports to NMFS on behalf of Category A or B Atlantic herring permitted vessels or for meeting service provider responsibilities for service provider approval and to facilitate accurate catch monitoring.

II. Method of Collection

Atlantic herring vessels and their respective IFM service providers on their behalf submit information to NMFS via web portal, email, phone, fax, or mail. Instructions for vessels are located at <https://www.fisheries.noaa.gov/bulletin/notification-reporting-and-monitoring-requirements-atlantic-herring-fishery>.

III. Data

OMB Control Number: 0648–0674.

Form Number(s): None.

Type of Review: Regular (extension of existing information collection).

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit organizations.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 622.

Estimated Time per Response: For participants in the Atlantic herring fishery, 5 minutes for a pre-trip notification; 1 minute for a trip cancellation notification; 5 minutes for a call to request an IFM observer to access groundfish closed areas; 1 minute for a trip cancellation notification for groundfish closed areas; 5 minutes for the submission of a released catch affidavit; and 1 minute for the submission of species pounds to the observer.

For IFM service providers, 10 minutes for submission of a monitor deployment report; 20 minutes for the submission of an ASM availability report; 30 minutes for the submission of a safety refusal; 5 minutes for the submission of raw monitor data; 2 hours for a monitor debriefing; 30 minutes for the submission of other reports; 1 hour for the submission of biological samples; 10 hours for the submission of a new service provider application; 10 hours for an applicant response to a service provider denial; 30 minutes to request monitor training; 8 hours to rebut removal from the list of approved IFM service providers; 10 minutes to process