ECOSYSTEM ADVISORY SUBPANEL REPORT ON MARINE PLANNING

The Ecosystem Advisory Subpanel reviewed the draft comment letters to the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM). We acknowledge the challenge of weighing potentially conflicting interests. We support the Council submitting these letters to encourage BOEM to consider the fisheries impacts and use this information to inform decisions about its call areas to reduce impacts to fisheries, fisheries ecosystems, and fishing communities.

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