

Wednesday, November 17, 2010

8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Four Points Sheraton, 1201 K Street NW, Washington DC

**Part 2: Ocean Leader Roundtable –
IOOS role in supporting implementation of the National Ocean Policy
AGENDA**

Purpose: Highlight the accomplishments of regional IOOS and identify how IOOS fits with federal agency efforts to implement the National Ocean Policy.

Desired Outcomes: Shared understanding of the role of regional IOOS in supporting federal agency missions and the importance of IOOS as an interagency effort.

- 8: 30 Welcome David Kennedy, Co-Chair
Integrated Ocean Observing Committee (IOOC)
- 8:40 IOOS Briefing Zdenka Willis, Director
NOAA IOOS Program Office
- 9:00 Regional Perspectives Molly McCammon, Chair
National Federation of Regional Associations for
Coastal and Ocean Observing (NFRA)
- 9:15 Agency Remarks
Shere Abbott, Associate Director for the Environment, Ocean of Science and
Technology Policy (invited)
Dr. Larry Robinson, Assistant Secretary, NOAA
Bob Winokur, Deputy Oceanographer and Technical Director, Navy
Major General William Grisoli, Deputy Commanding General for Civil and
Emergency Operations, United States Army Corps of Engineer
- 10:00 Discussion: Questions and Answers
The discussion will be aimed at identifying key actions for strengthening
IOOS as a critical tool for addressing interagency issues such data sharing,
enhancing observations, working with regional systems.
- 10:20 Wrap up
- 10:30 Adjourn