

**U.S. IOOS Advisory Committee
Hybrid Public Meeting
March 12 - 13, 2025**

All session times listed in CDT (Central Daylight Time)

In-Person Meeting Information LUMCON Blue Works 335 Dickson Road Houma, LA	Virtual Meeting Information To attend virtually, please register at the link below: https://forms.gle/39ozT2nnxZncBbYv8
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Wednesday March 12 (Day 1)

- 8:30 AM** **Meeting Welcome and Goals**
Krisa Arzayus, IOOS Advisory Committee Designated Federal Officer and Deputy Director, IOOS Office
Debra Hernandez, IOOS Advisory Committee Chair
- Opening remarks by Chair
 - Meeting Goals
- 8:50 AM** **Gulf of America Coastal Ocean Observing System (GCOOS) Briefing**
Marcus Ogle, Associate Director, GCOOS
- 9:20 AM** **Louisiana Universities Marine Consortium (LUMCON) Briefing**
Brian Roberts, Executive Director and Chief Scientist, LUMCON
- 9:50 AM** **Break**
- 10:05 AM** **U.S. IOOS Office Updates**
Carl Gouldman, Director, IOOS Office
- 10:35 AM** **Discussion about Administration Intro Letter**
- 12:00 PM** **Depart for Field Site Visit**

Thursday March 13 (Day 2)

- 8:30 AM** **IOOS Enterprise: NOAA Federal Backbone Presentations**
- NCAI - Rob Redmon, Director, NOAA Center for AI
 - [NOAA AI Strategy and Strategic Plan](#) (2020)
 - [NOAA Center for Artificial Intelligence](#) (NCAI)

- *CO-OPS - Greg Dusek, Chief Scientist, CO-OPS and NOS Modeling Lead*
 - [NOS Modeling Strategy](#)
- *OCIO - Tony LaVoi, Chief Data Officer*
 - [Guidance for NOAA Commercial Data Buys \(2024\)](#)
 - [ORAP Report - Toward a National Ocean Data Strategy](#)
 - [SAB EISWG Report - A NESDIS Observing System Backbone Framework](#)
 - [NOAA Response to SAB EISWG Report on A NESIDS Observing System Backbone Framework](#)

10:00 AM **Break**

10:15 AM **Work Plan: Next 3 Years**

- Begin discussion of potential work plan topics:
 - Topic 1: Committee ideas from pre-work
 - [Summary Doc](#)

12:00 PM **Lunch**

1:30 PM **IOOS Enterprise: NOAA Federal Backbone Presentations**

- *NDBC - Bill Burnett, Director, National Data Buoy Center*
- *NCEI - Karen Grissom, Deputy Director, Coasts, Oceans, and Geophysics Science Division, National Centers for Environmental Information*

2:30 PM **Break**

2:45 PM **Work Plan: Next 3 Years**

- Continued discussion of potential work plan topics:
 - Topic 2: Carryovers from previous term
 - IOOS Enterprise Excellence (Catherine)
 - IOOS Office External Review (Krisa)

3:45 PM **Public Comment Period**

3:50 PM **Open Discussion**

5:00 PM **Adjourn**