

International Private Sewage Disposal Code  
 International Property Maintenance Code  
 International Residential Code  
 International Urban-Wildland Interface Code  
 International Zoning Code  
 ICC/ANSI A 117.1 Accessible and Usable Buildings and Facilities  
 ICC Standard on Bleachers, Folding and Telescopic Seating, and Grandstands  
 ICC is currently in the process of developing two new standards, one on Storm Shelters and one on Hurricane Resistant Construction.

The maintenance process for ICC Standards follows a similar process of soliciting proposals, committee action, public comment, and ultimately the update and publication of the standard.

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*Director.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

#### Availability of Seats for the Hawaiian Islands Humpback Whale National Marine Sanctuary Advisory Council

**AGENCY:** National Marine Sanctuary Program (NMSP), National Ocean Service, (NOS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce (DOC).

**ACTION:** Notice and request for applications.

**SUMMARY:** The Hawaiian Islands Humpback Whale National Marine Sanctuary (HIHWNMS or Sanctuary) is seeking applicants for the following six vacant seats on its Sanctuary Advisory Council (Council): Hawaii County, Honolulu County, Kauai County, Maui County, Education and Research. Applicants are chosen based upon their particular expertise and experience in relation to the seat for which they are applying; community and professional affiliations; philosophy regarding the conservation and management of marine resources; and the length of residence in the area affected by the Sanctuary. Applicants who are chosen as members should expect to serve two-year terms, pursuant to the Council's Charter.

**DATES:** Applications are due by August 1, 2003.

**ADDRESSES:** Application kits may be obtained on our Web site <http://>

[hawaii.humpbackwhale.noaa.gov/](http://hawaii.humpbackwhale.noaa.gov/) or from Amy Glester at the Hawaiian Islands Humpback Whale National Marine Sanctuary, 6700 Kalaniana'ole Hwy, Suite 104, Honolulu, Hawaii 96825. Completed applications should be sent to the same address.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Amy Glester at (808) 397-2655 or [amy.glester@noaa.gov](mailto:amy.glester@noaa.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The HIHWNMS Advisory Council was established in March 1996 (the current Council has served since July 2001) to assure continued public participation in the management of the Sanctuary. Since its establishment, the Council has played a vital role in the decisions affecting the Sanctuary surrounding the main Hawaiian Islands.

The Council's twenty-four voting members represent a variety of local user groups, as well as the general public, plus ten local, state and federal governmental jurisdictions.

The Council is supported by three subcommittees: A Research Committee chaired by the Research Representative, an Education Committee chaired by the Education Representative, and a Conservation Committee chaired by the Conservation Representative, each respectively dealing with matters concerning research, education and resource protection.

The Council represents the coordination link between the Sanctuary and the state and federal government agencies, user groups, researchers, educators, policy makers, and other various groups that help to focus efforts and attention on the humpback whale and its habitat around the main Hawaiian Islands.

The Council functions in an advisory capacity to the Sanctuary Manager and is instrumental in helping to develop policies and program goals, and to identify education, outreach, research, long-term monitoring, resource protection and revenue enhancement priorities. The Council works in concert with the Sanctuary Manager by keeping him or her informed about issues of concern throughout the Sanctuary, offering recommendations on specific issues, and aiding the Manager in achieving the goals of the Sanctuary program within the context of Hawaii's marine programs and policies.

**Authority:** 16 U.S.C. 1431 *et seq.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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#### New England Fishery Management Council; Public Meetings

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

**ACTION:** Notice of public meetings.

**SUMMARY:** The New England Fishery Management Council (Council) is scheduling a public meeting of its Monkfish Oversight Committee in August, 2003 to consider actions affecting New England fisheries in the exclusive economic zone (EEZ). Recommendations from this group will be brought to the full Council for formal consideration and action, if appropriate.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held on Friday, August 1, 2003, at 9:30 a.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at the Sheraton Four Points Hotel, 407 Squire Road, Revere, MA 02151; telephone: (781) 284-7200.

*Council address:* New England Fishery Management Council, 50 Water Street, Mill 2, Newburyport, MA 01950.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Paul J. Howard, Executive Director, New England Fishery Management Council (978) 465-0492.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Committee will review the Plan Development Team's analyses of alternatives under consideration in the Amendment 2 Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DSEIS) and make recommendations on preferred alternatives to the New England and Mid-Atlantic Councils.

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 listed in this notice and any issues arising after publication of this notice that require emergency action under section 305(c) of the Magnuson-Stevens Act, provided the public has been notified of the Council's intent to take final action to address the emergency.