

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the availability of the final evaluation findings for American Samoa, Louisiana, Maryland, Michigan, Puerto Rico, and South Carolina Coastal Management Programs, and Great Bay (New Hampshire), Chesapeake Bay (Virginia) National Estuarine Research Reserves (NERRs). Section 312 and 315 of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 (CZMA), as amended, requires a continuing review of the performance of coastal states with respect to coastal management and the operation and management of NERRs.

The states of Maryland, Michigan, South Carolina, and the Territories of the American Samoa and Puerto Rico were found to be implementing and enforcing their Federally approved coastal management program, addressing the national coastal management objectives identified in CZMA section 303(2)(A)–(K), and adhering to the programmatic terms of their financial assistance awards. The state of Louisiana was found not to be fully adhering to its approved coastal management program. Implementation of several recommendations listed in the findings will bring Louisiana's program back into satisfactory adherence. Great Bay and Chesapeake Bay, VA NERRs were found to be satisfactorily adhering to programmatic requirement of the NERR system.

Copies of these final evaluation findings may be obtained upon request from: Vickie Allin, Chief, Policy Coordination Division, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, NOS/NOAA, 1305 East-West Highway, 11th Floor, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910 (301) 713-3087.

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Evaluation of State Coastal Management Programs

AGENCY: Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, National Ocean Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), DOC.

ACTION: Notice of intent to evaluate.

SUMMARY: The NOAA Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management (OCRM) announces its intent to evaluate the performance of the Delaware and

Massachusetts Coastal Management Programs.

These evaluations will be conducted pursuant to section 312 of the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 (CZMA), as amended. The CZMA requires a continuing review of the performance of coastal states with respect to coastal management. Evaluation of Coastal Management Programs requires findings concerning the extent to which a state has met the national coastal management objectives, adhered to its Coastal Program Management Plan approved by the Secretary of Commerce, and adhered to the terms of financial assistance awards funded under the CZMA. The evaluations will include a site visit, consideration of public comments, and consultations with interested Federal, State, and local agencies and members of the public. Public meetings are held as part of the site visits.

Notice is hereby given of the dates of the site visits for the listed evaluations, and the dates, local times, and locations of public meetings during the site visits.

The Delaware Coastal Management Program evaluation site visit will be from March 6 to March 10, 1995. A public meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 7, 1995 at 7:00 p.m. in the Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control Auditorium, 89 Kings Highway, Dover, Delaware.

The Massachusetts Coastal Management Program evaluation site visit will be from March 20 to March 24, 1995. Public meetings will be held on Tuesday, March 21, 1995 at 7:00 p.m. at the Sawyer Free Library, 2 Dale Avenue, Gloucester, Massachusetts and on Thursday, March 23, 1995 at 7:30 p.m. at the Massachusetts Maritime Academy, Storer Building, room 21, Buzzards Bay, Massachusetts.

The States will issue notice of the public meeting(s) in a local newspaper(s) at least 45 days prior to the public meeting(s), and will issue other timely notices as appropriate.

Copies of the State's most recent performance reports, as well as OCRM's notifications and supplemental request letters to the States, are available upon request from OCRM. Written comments from interested parties regarding these Programs are encouraged and will be accepted until 15 days after the site visit. Please direct written comments to Vickie A. Allin, Chief, Policy Coordination Division, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, NOS/NOAA, 1305 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, Maryland, 20910. When the evaluation is completed, OCRM will place a notice in the **Federal Register**

announcing the availability of the Final Evaluation Findings.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Vickie A. Allin, Chief, Policy Coordination Division, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, NOS/NOAA, 1305 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, Maryland, 20910, (301) 713-3090, ext. 126.

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CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Learn and Serve America: Higher Ed, Availability of Funds

AGENCY: Corporation for National and Community Service.

ACTION: Notice of availability of funds.

SUMMARY: The Corporation for National Service announces the availability of \$3.5 million to support new grants for Learn and Serve America: Higher Education programs. Individual institutions of higher education, consortia of institutions of higher education, and nonprofit organizations or public agencies, including states, working in partnership with one or more institutions of higher education are eligible to apply. These application guidelines are for new applicants only. Current Learn and Serve: Higher Education grantees should contact their program officers for information about the renewal process. The Corporation will also offer a series of conference calls to assist programs in preparing their applications.

DATES: All applications must be received by 3:30 p.m., Daylight Savings Time, April 12, 1995, to be eligible.

ADDRESSES: Applications should be submitted to The Corporation for National Service, Learn and Serve America: Higher Education, 9th Floor, Box HE, 1201 New York Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20525. Facsimiles will not be accepted.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: If you have questions about the application process, you may call or write the Corporation for National Service, Learn and Serve America: Higher Education, 1201 New York Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20525. Phone: