

Mid-Atlantic Survey Activity

Mariners Briefing

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Overview

These briefings are intended to update mariners on marine operations for the Ocean Wind survey activities. Survey operations are planned for locations throughout the lease area (see chart) and are expected to last several months. These operations involve only the survey phase of the projects.

Mariners briefings are submitted as needed to the U.S. Coast Guard and distributed to the fishing community and interested mariners on our website at: us.orsted.com/mariners or via email upon request through Rodney Avila (RODAV@orsted.com).

Vessels will designate a working channel on VHF 16 daily at 0600 and 1800

About the Wind Farm

Ocean Wind (OCW), with the support of PSEG, is a planned offshore wind farm located 15 miles off the New Jersey coast. OCW will contain an offshore substation and a subsea transmission system able to deliver clean energy to the New Jersey electrical grid.

Ongoing OCW Survey Activities

- Projected Beginning: April 2019
- Projected End: June 2020

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Ocean Researcher
RV Ocean Researcher is used for geophysical surveying.
Flag: UK
LOA: 228 ft
Beam: 45 ft

Call Sign: GDLS
IMO: 8207941

Project: Ocean Wind



Royal
MV Royal is used for inshore geotechnical surveying.
LOA: 249 ft
Beam: 52 ft

IMO: 9315525



Shearwater
Flag: USA
LOA: 108 ft
Beam: 36 ft

Call Sign: WDF5838



Vision
LB Vision is used for geotechnical surveying.
Flag: USA
LOA: 70 ft
Beam: 39 ft

Call Sign: WDF6746
IMO: 8990976



Henry Hudson
RV Henry Hudson is used for the crew transfer vessel / on-site watch vessel for L/B Vision.
Flag: USA
LOA: 45 ft
Beam: 15 ft

Call Sign: WDG4894
MMSI: 367541190

Vessel Name	Site Function	Project	Date/Activity	Projected Outlook
Vision	Geotechnical survey vessel	Ocean Wind	Wx dependent / Conducting survey activities inshore Barnegat Bay	Wx dependent / Conducting survey activities inshore Barnegat Bay
Henry Hudson	Support vessel	Ocean Wind	Wx dependent / Conducting survey activities inshore Barnegat Bay	Wx dependent / Conducting survey activities inshore Barnegat Bay
Royal	Geotechnical survey vessel	Ocean Wind	Vessel will transit from Norfolk, VA to lease area	Wx dependent / Conducting survey activities in lease area
Shearwater	Geotechnical survey vessel	Ocean Wind	Vessel on standby to mobilize from New Bedford	Wx dependent / Conducting survey activities in lease area

All Mariners transiting or fishing in the survey area are requested to give a wide berth to survey vessels as they may be limited in their ability to maneuver (VRAM) and towing gear out to 300 meters behind the vessel. Vessels in the vicinity of the survey vessels should operate in a manner that will not endanger the vessel or associated equipment

