

Papahānaumokuākea Marine National Monument
NATIVE HAWAIIAN PRACTICES Permit Application

NOTE: *This Permit Application (and associated Instructions) are to propose activities to be conducted in the Papahānaumokuākea Marine National Monument. The Co-Trustees are required to determine that issuing the requested permit is compatible with the findings of Presidential Proclamation 8031. Within this Application, provide all information that you believe will assist the Co-Trustees in determining how your proposed activities are compatible with the conservation and management of the natural, historic, and cultural resources of the Papahānaumokuākea Marine National Monument (Monument).*

ADDITIONAL IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

- Any or all of the information within this application may be posted to the Monument website informing the public on projects proposed to occur in the Monument.
- In addition to the permit application, the Applicant must either download the Monument Compliance Information Sheet from the Monument website OR request a hard copy from the Monument Permit Coordinator (contact information below). The Monument Compliance Information Sheet must be submitted to the Monument Permit Coordinator after initial application consultation.
- Issuance of a Monument permit is dependent upon the completion and review of the application and Compliance Information Sheet.

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED

Send Permit Applications to:

Papahānaumokuākea Marine National Monument Permit Coordinator

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Papahānaumokuākea Marine National Monument Permit Application Cover Sheet

This Permit Application Cover Sheet is intended to provide summary information and status to the public on permit applications for activities proposed to be conducted in the Papahānaumokuākea Marine National Monument. While a permit application has been received, it has not been fully reviewed nor approved by the Monument Management Board to date. The Monument permit process also ensures that all environmental reviews are conducted prior to the issuance of a Monument permit.

Summary Information

Applicant Name: Bonnie Kahapea-Tanner

Affiliation: Māna Maoli/Kānehūnāmoku Voyaging Academy

Permit Category: Native Hawaiian Practices

Proposed Activity Dates: 6/20-6/29, 2014

Proposed Method of Entry (Vessel/Plane): Vessel SSV Makani Olu

Proposed Locations: Mokumanamana and Nihoa

Estimated number of individuals (including Applicant) to be covered under this permit:

Twenty five (25) individuals are to be covered under this permit.

Estimated number of days in the Monument: 10

Description of proposed activities: (complete these sentences):

a.) The proposed activity would...

be an essential component of Hālau Holomoana, a 30 day Native Hawaiian culture/waa based maritime vocational program. The "Ola i ke au a Kanaloa" voyage will give a unique deep sea and culturally rich opportunity to 15 high school juniors & seniors and 10 professional ships crew, instructional kumu, and cultural practitioners.. The voyage will focus on developing a deep sense of responsibility to community and cultural practices by weaving the together traditional wayfinding, cultural protocol and ceremonial practices, and maritime seamanship skills.

Papahānaumokuākea is a special place where our kupuna knowledge is ever present in this remote and rugged environment. Mokumanamana is extremely important to traditional navigation as it lies on the Ala Polohiwa a Kane, or the Tropic of Cancer. This voyage will be important to further the understanding of Kanaloa cultural practices and the relationship of Mokumanamana to traditional navigation.

b.) To accomplish this activity we would

Preparation for this voyage is already underway. The ship Makani Olu has been secured. Students and staff are preparing by memorizing Kanaloa protocols and engaging in discussions and research. We are also working with cultural experts in traditional navigation and cultural protocols and ceremony. Current sail plan is to leave from Kaneohe Bay, site Kauai and Niihau, and continue on to Mokumanamana. Once at Mokumanamana, we will circumnavigate the island and anchor overnight, if time permits. On the return to the main Hawaiian islands, we will site Nihoa and if timing allows we will circumnavigate and anchor overnight. Once back in the main Hawaiian Islands, we are planning to go to Kanaloa-Kahoolawe to complete the protocols to Kanaloa. This will reestablish a cultural connection between PMNM and the MHI via two significant navigational sites in one single voyage.

c.) This activity would help the Monument by ...

supporting the Presidential Proclamation 8031 objective to facilitate cultural field research and cultural education opportunities. This will be the first access to PMNM by native Hawaiian youth. These youth enrolled in our Halau Holomoana training program because they have an interest in learning more about native Hawaiian voyaging practices and traditions as well as being exposed to the career opportunities in the maritime industry. This activity will be part of their culminating experience and will weave traditional navigation skills, Hawaiian protocol & ceremony, professional maritime skills, and leadership development.

Other information or background:

Vessel Name: SSV Makani Olu

Vessel Owner: Marimed Foundation

Captains Name: Emma Millet

IMO#:

Vessel ID#:

Flag: USA

Vessel Type: three-masted tall ship staysail schooner

Call sign:

Embarkation port:

Length: 96'

Gross tonnage:

Total ballast water capacity volume:

Total fuel capacity:

Total number of fuel tanks on ship:

Marine Sanitation Device:

Type: