

Papahānaumokuākea Marine National Monument
RESEARCH 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: Loren Scott Godwin

Affiliation: Papahānaumokuākea Marine National Monument

Permit Category: Research

Proposed Activity Dates: July 2 -July 22, 2014

Proposed Method of Entry (Vessel/Plane): Plane

Proposed Locations: Midway

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

4

Estimated number of days in the Monument: 14

Description of proposed activities: (complete these sentences):

a.) The proposed activity would...
represent baseline efforts towards an updated species inventory and determination of abundance of alien marine invertebrate species associated with natural and man-made habitats within the Monument

b.) To accomplish this activity we would
conduct faunal surveys by focused hand collections of mobile and sessile marine invertebrate fauna using SCUBA and snorkelling

c.) This activity would help the Monument by ...
providing information to support the Monument Alien Species Action Plan, specifically Strategy AS-2 "Engage in active surveillance to monitor existing infestations and to detect new infestations of alien species over the life of the plan."

Other information or background: