

Papahānaumokuākea Marine National Monument
SPECIAL OCEAN USE 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:
NOAA/Inouye Regional Center
NOS/ONMS/PMNM/Attn: 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: Chris Pearce

Affiliation: Hana Hou! The Magazine of Hawaiian Airlines

Permit Category: Special Ocean Use

Proposed Activity Dates: April 1-August 31, 2016

Proposed Method of Entry (Vessel/Plane): Vessel

Proposed Locations: All islands and atolls within the Monument

Estimated number of individuals (including Applicant) to be covered under this permit: 3

Estimated number of days in the Monument: 25

Description of proposed activities: (complete these sentences):

a.) The proposed activity would...

The individuals covered under this permit would conduct activities for the purpose of writing and publishing an article and images about the work being conducted in the Monument. The resulting article, to be published in Hana Hou! The Magazine of Hawaiian Airlines' August/September 2016 issue, will highlight the 10th anniversary of the Monument and the accomplishments made during the past decade of exploring, researching, conserving and managing the Monument.

b.) To accomplish this activity we would

Accompany the researchers during their work (to the extent possible), interview researchers, observe operations (to the extent possible), experience the place, take pictures and possibly video of the environment, the wildlife (to the extent allowed) and the research activities on the ship, in the water and on the land (to the extent allowed).

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

Showcasing to a broad audience the accomplishments made during the past decade of exploring, researching, conserving and managing the Monument. Hana Hou! The

Magazine of Hawaiian Airlines is the publication of the biggest airline carrier in the state and publishes 115,000 copies per issue, potentially reaching over a million passengers per issue. The timing of the publication (targeted for the August/September 2016 issue) coincides with the IUCN World Conservation Congress, in Honolulu from September 1-10, 2016, when thousands of conservation managers and delegates from numerous nations will be traveling to Hawaii. This timing is perfect to reach these many high level conservation managers and decisionmakers and share the accomplishments of the Monument and increase support.

Other information or background: