Fleet Improvement Committee Meeting Action Items – New and Continuing

Updated: 02/06/2018

FIC Action Items:

Action Item		Assignment	Status
FIC representation on the RCRV Oversight		Jim Swift	
Committee:			
•	Task – Jim can send request to Brian Midson.		
•	Ethan Roth and Joan Bernhard have expressed		
	interest		
Nev	w Vessel Debriefs		
•	Carry out debriefs of Thompson post mid-life.	- FIC & Annette	
	Prepare assignment list and questions.		
•	Summary report for <i>Sikuliag</i> – Jim Swift has		
	drafted report. Add feedback from Byron on ice		
	performance. Finalize report.		
•	Complete debriefs for Armstrong and Sally Ride		
	by gathering additional feedback:		
	 Lloyd Kegwin cruise - Joan 		
	 ADEON cruise –Suzanne Carbotte (send her 		
	PI information)		
	 CASPER cruise – Kipp Shearman 		
	CalCofi – Jim Swift		
	 Chirp cruise with James Holmes – Suzanne 		
	Carbotte		
	ence Mission Requirements (SMRs) for Global	Greg Cutter (Chair),	Surveyed Global
Shi	os –continue development of Global SMRs.	Byron Blomquist,	ship PIs from last
•	Define science drivers and gather data.	Clare Reimers, Jim	few years.
•	Survey the user community.	Swift, Suzanne	OSM Town Hall
•	Hold Town Hall Meetings at AGU and Ocean	Carbotte	scheduled – 2/12
	Sciences	- Assistance by	
•	Draft SMR document	Annette	
NSF	Polar Research Vessel Replacement Program:	- Jim Swift	
•	Jim Swift will contact Tim McGovern to discuss		
	how FIC can provide feedback to the program		
•	FIC involvement on the Polar Advisory		
	Committee – Contact Tim M to determine who is		
	on the PAC and request that FIC be on the PAC		
	subcommittees.		
	et Projected Service Life End Dates – update	Annette DeSilva	
_	ore each meeting		
Full	Optimal Year (FOY) Definitions –		
•	Clarify the FOY definition	FIC	
•	Contact ship operators to review FOY definitions	Annette	
<u> </u>	and adjust as needed annually		
Upo	Update the Fleet Improvement Plan:		
•	Post the FIP in a Google Drive as a Google Doc	- Annette DeSilva	- Shared with FIC

and share with FIC.		
Review and update as needed	- FIC	
Edit in "Suggesting Mode"		
Deadline for Updates is next FIC meeting		
Add version number		
FIC Membership – Position openings: Greg and Joan will complete 2 terms in the fall. Rick's first term	- Jim and Annette	
ends in April and Jim's first term ends in the fall.		
Put out a call for nominations later in the year.		
FIC Guest Speaker/Topic Suggestions for spring	Jim and Annette	
meeting:		
- Innovations in terms of ships		
- Someone from OOI		
- Data presence		
UNOLS Winter/Spring Meeting – Set Location/Date	Deb Steinberg, Jim	Deb Steinberg has
Venue Suggestions:	Swift, UNOLS Office	been asked if she
• LUMCON – In New Orleans at Tulane facility on		is available on
River. Visit to RCRV shipyard.		4/25-27.
U. Minn Duluth also offered.		
Date suggestion: April 25-27 [Jim Swift is available on		
this date].		
Poll Council, FIC, Agency Reps		