

UNOLS Fleet Improvement Committee Meeting



October 1, 2008

FIC Action Items

- Fleet Improvement Plan Update: Finalize all chapters, Update, revise and generate new charts as suggested by feedback. **Status: FIC & Office – draft is complete (except for Executive Summary).**
- Design and Constructions Efforts - Stay engaged in ongoing design and construction efforts (Regional Class, ARRV, Ocean Class, etc.) – **Status: FIC – ongoing**
- Ocean Observatories – Stay in contact with OOI Office. **(Dave Hebert – Ongoing)**

FIC Action Items

- Global Class: Update SMRs – Status: This effort will now be part of the project to update all SMRs with new format.
- KILO MOANA Actions:
 - Contact U. Hawaii to keep abreast of Handling System details. Status: Dave H. – ongoing. Sandy Shor is now the contact at U.Hawaii
 - Draft EOS or other appropriate article

FIC Action Items

- Science User Debriefs for R/V *Hugh Sharp* - Dave working with U. Delaware will draft user debrief questions that will evaluate the new technologies of the ship. Conduct debrief interviews with *Sharp* users. (Dave Hebert/FIC)
- Science User Debriefs for *Knorr's* Long Coring Capability - Dave working with Jim Broda/Bill Curry will draft user debrief questions that will evaluate the operation of *Knorr's* long core capability. It will also assess the impact on the general-purpose capability of the ship. Conduct debrief interviews with *Knorr* users. (Dave Hebert, FIC)
- New Action - SMR Update Project and Input to the Ocean Class Research Vessel RFP Development (Project will be discussed during meeting)