

# Interagency Working Group Facilities and Infrastructure

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- Co-chair – RADM Michael Silah NOAA replaced RADM David Score NOAA
- Ms. Charna Meth- Program Director, National Oceanographic Partnership Program
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- IWG-FI Meetings held:
  - 17 April 2017
  - 23 October 2017

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- IWG-FI Agency Program Updates
- Completed Products/Deliverables:
  - Subcommittee on Unmanned Systems (SUS) completed the *Federal Unmanned Systems: Status, Issues, and Recommendations Report*. This report completes the NOPIP Action Item and will be made available on the IWG-FI document list. The SUS is now in a “Stand-by” status.
- Upcoming Products/Deliverables:
  - Federal Fleet Metrics Task Force completed the *Federal Fleet Metrics Report* in June 2017. Currently undergoing NOC/CENRS Deputy-level review before release.

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- Upcoming Products/Deliverables:
  - IWG-FI hosted an inaugural forum at the MTS/Oceans'17 Conference on 20 September in Anchorage AK. The forum focused on the importance of research at sea and the Federal Oceanographic Fleet.
  - IWG-FI plans continued collaboration with MTS on future forums for discussing marine science and technology topics of interest. Options include a workshop in DC or an event at the Oceans'18 Conference in Charleston, SC

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