Spring 2022 UNOLS RVOC Meeting

Directorate for Geosciences
Division of Ocean Sciences
Rose Dufour
Program Director for Ship Operations
• FY 2022 Annual Report Negotiations underway. A few operators have been fully funded
• IPS does not have the full FY 22 budget allocation yet
• CY 2023 is the start of the New 5-year cooperative agreements. This fall your SROs will be asked to negotiate new T&C. Please be thinking of items you think should be include the new T&C
• Next year’s GEO/OCE budget will ask for a 19% increase for ARF— but this is very early in the budget process
• Divestment process underway for R/V Oceanus
• Renewal process underway for Sikuliaq
• Crewing issues have been elevated to NSF Chief facilities Office
• Bahama’s research clearance embargo continues
### Total Reported ARF fuel Costs

**FUEL & LUBE OIL PRICE INCREASE**

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**Requesting an additional $3M to cover fuel increases**
Plan for Safe and Inclusive Field/Vessel/Aircraft Research (PSI-FVAR)-

Comments in the Federal Register

• From the NSF Policy Office:

• NSF published a notice today in the Federal Register announcing the availability of a “For comment” draft of the Proposal & Award Policies & Procedures Guide (PAPPG) (NSF 23-1). We are soliciting Directorate/Office comments on the draft PAPPG until cob June 13, 2022. Please note that all comments should be coordinated through the applicable Assistant Director/Office Head’s office.

• To facilitate review, revised text has been highlighted in yellow throughout the document and explanatory comments have been included in the margins, where appropriate.

• Any questions should be directed to the Policy Office at policy@nsf.gov.

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Ship Operators
Thanks for the hard work. It’s been a tough two years!