



NOAA Fisheries Mission

NOAA Fisheries is responsible for the stewardship of the nation's ocean resources and their habitat. We provide vital services for the nation:

- Productive and sustainable fisheries
- Safe sources of seafood
- Recovery and conservation of protected resources
- Healthy ecosystems
- Climate change resilience

All backed by sound science and an ecosystem based approach to management.



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Legislative Drivers

- Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act
- Endangered Species Act
- Marine Mammal Protection Act
- National Environmental Policy Act
- Oil Pollution Act
- National Aquaculture Act
- Federal Power Act



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