
[Planning & Analysis]
- BOEM Initiates Leasing Process (Request for Interest/Call for Information)
- BOEM Identifies Wind Energy Areas
- BOEM Publishes Leasing Notices
- BOEM Environmental Reviews of Leasing Activities

[Leasing]
- BOEM Awards Lease
- BOEM Conducts SAP Decision
- Lessee Submits & BOEM Reviews Survey Plans
- Lessee Conducts Site Assessment & Surveys
- Lessee Submits SAP (with Project Design Envelope – optional)

[Site Assessment]
- BOEM Reviews COP & Determines Sufficiency
- BOEM Conducts COP Decision
- BOEM Conducts Environmental & Technical Reviews
- Lessee Installs Project
- Lessee Submits COP

[Construction]
- Lessee Submits & BSEE Reviews Plans and FDR/FIR
- BSEE Oversees Decommissioning Activities
- BSEE Enforces Operational Safety, Environment, and Compliance

[Operations]
- BOEM Conducts CDP Decision

[Decommissioning]
- BSEE Oversees Decommissioning Activities
- BOEM Conducts Decommissioning

Stakeholder Engagement