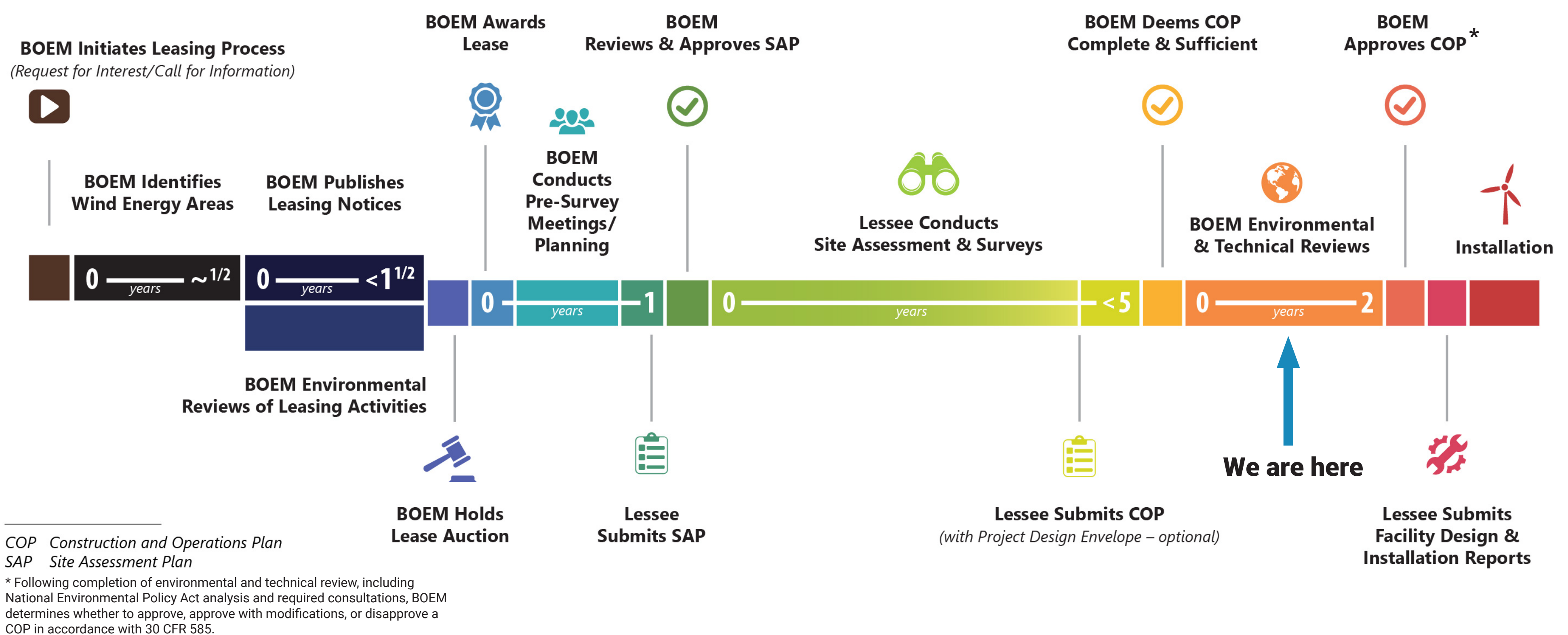


BOEM Offshore Wind Energy Authorization Process and How to Comment

Renewable Energy Process: Leasing to Operations

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How to Comment

What is BOEM looking for comments on?

- Accuracy of information in the Draft EIS
- Adequacy of, methodology for, or assumptions used in the environmental analysis
- New information relevant to the analysis or that would change the conclusions
- New alternatives that meet the purpose and need statement, are feasible, and are substantially different than the alternatives already considered in the Draft EIS
- Where clarification is needed

What will BOEM do with the comments it receives?

- Analyze comments, conduct further analysis as necessary, and prepare the Final EIS
- Respond to substantive comments in the Final EIS in the form of:
 - Changes in the Final EIS
 - Modifications to the analysis or alternatives
 - Factual corrections
 - New alternatives considered
 - Explanations of why a comment does not require a response
- Include a copy or summary of substantive comments and responses in the Final EIS

When are comments due?

Comments must be received or postmarked no later than
October 17, 2022

How can I submit my comments?



During the public hearings

through oral testimony following the presentation



In writing to

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