BOEM North Carolina Renewable Energy Task Force Meeting

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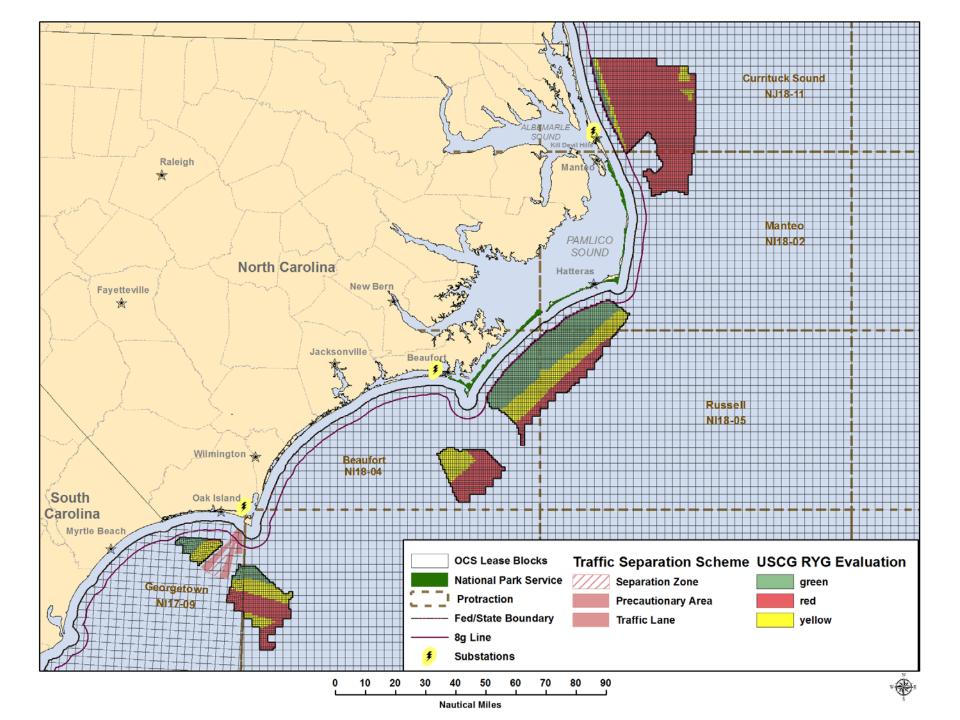


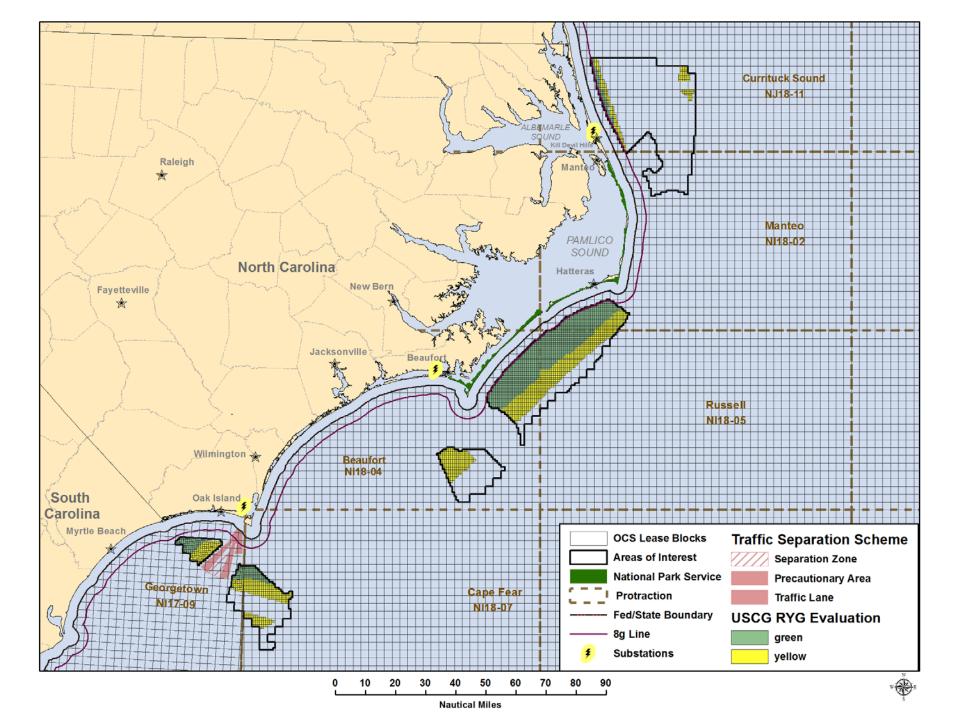
Maritime Working Group (MWG)

Combing Quantitate Analysis and Applied Knowledge

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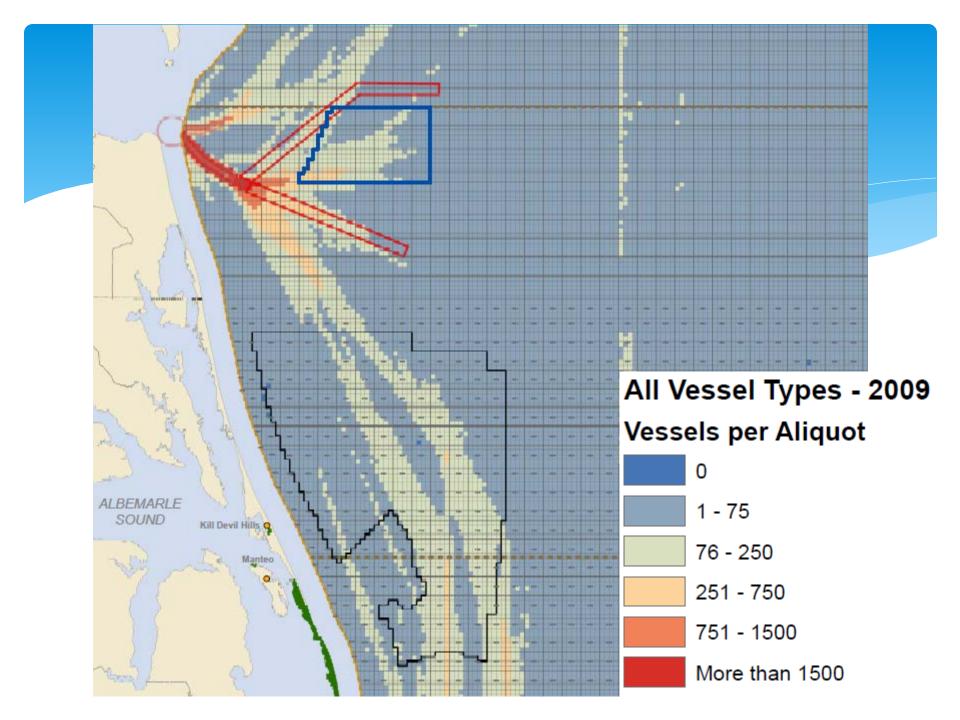


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Objectives

- * Build on vessel movement data conducted to date and integrate maritime stakeholder Input
- * Attempt to:
 - * Distinguish traditional shipping routes
 - * Delineate appropriate shipping corridors, widths and buffers, if possible
 - * Develop potential routing measure recommendations





Maritime Working Sub-Group: North

- * Potential Members
 - * Virginia Port Authority (VPA)
 - * Virginia Maritime Association (VMA)
 - * USCG, BOEM, NOAA
 - * State of North Carolina
 - * American Waterways Operators
 - * Mariners Advisory Committee
- * Meeting Base: Norfolk/Hampton Roads





Maritime Working Sub-Group: South

- * Potential Members:
 - * Wilmington Port Authority (WPA)
 - * American Waterways Operators (AWO)
 - * USCG, BOEM, NOAA
 - * State of North Carolina
 - * Pilots Association
 - * Individual Carriers
- * Meeting Base: Wilmington, North Carolina

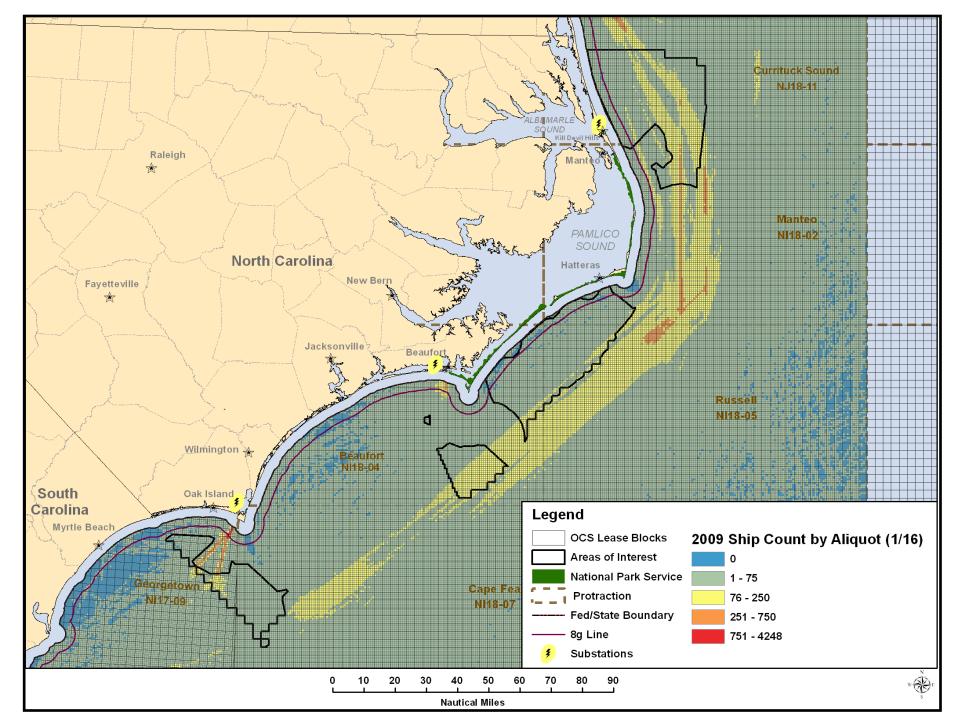


Build on Existing Data and Analytics

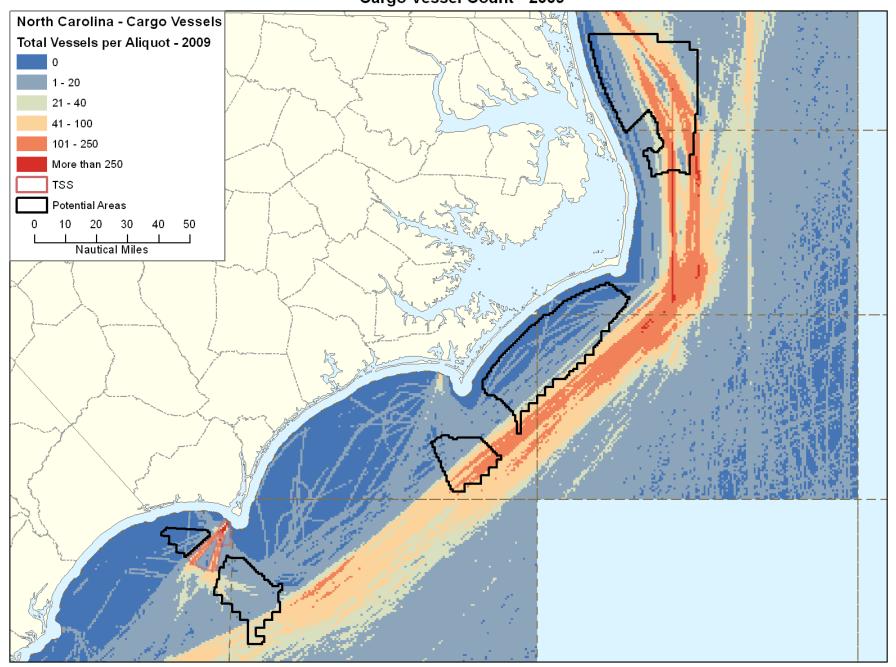
- * Available BOEM Products
 - * 2009 Density Vessel Plot Atlantic Coast
 - * All Vessels & Vessel Types
- * Data (ArcGIS Geodatabase Format)
 - * 2009 1-minute Averaged AIS Data
 - * 2010 1-minute Averaged AIS Data



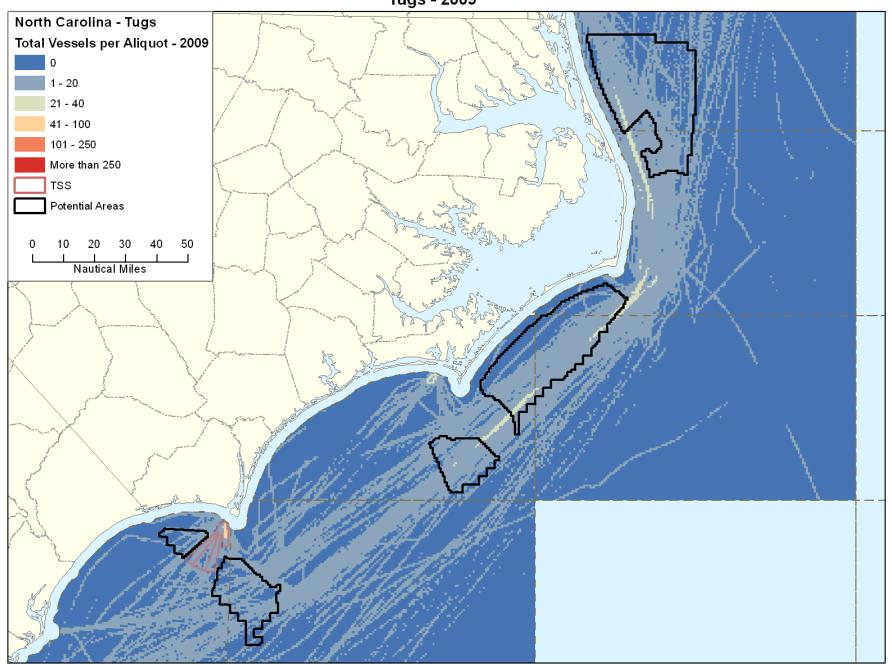




Cargo Vessel Count - 2009

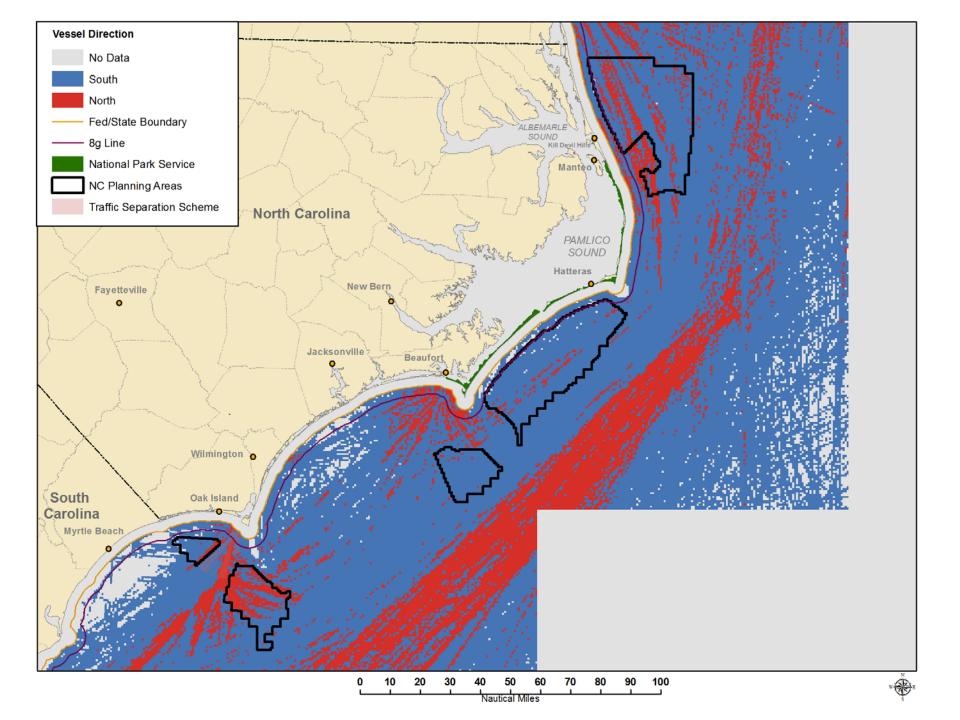


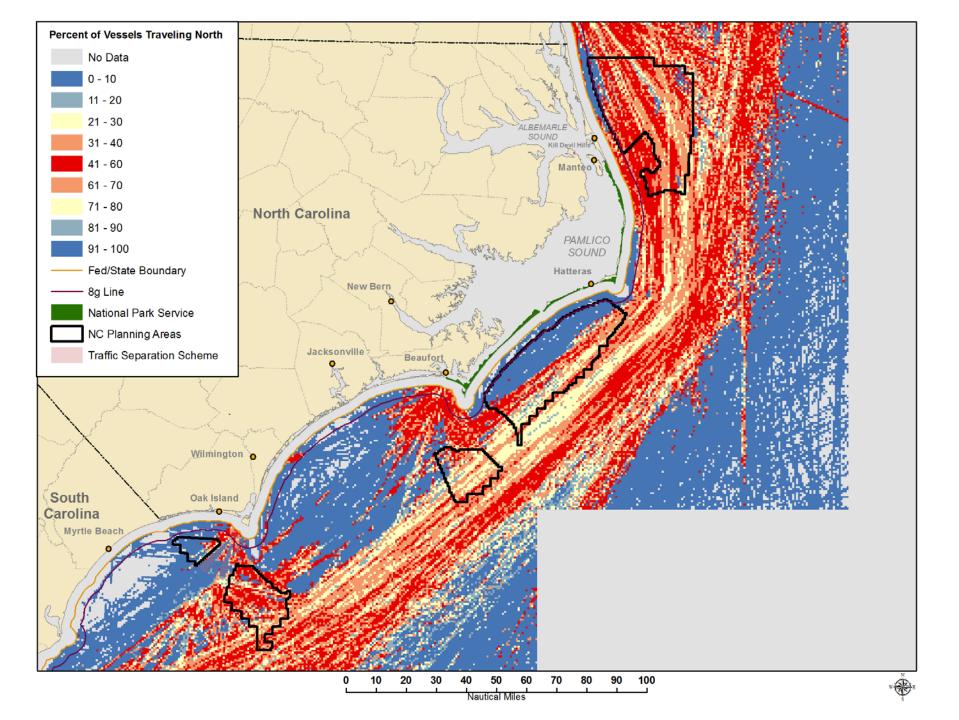
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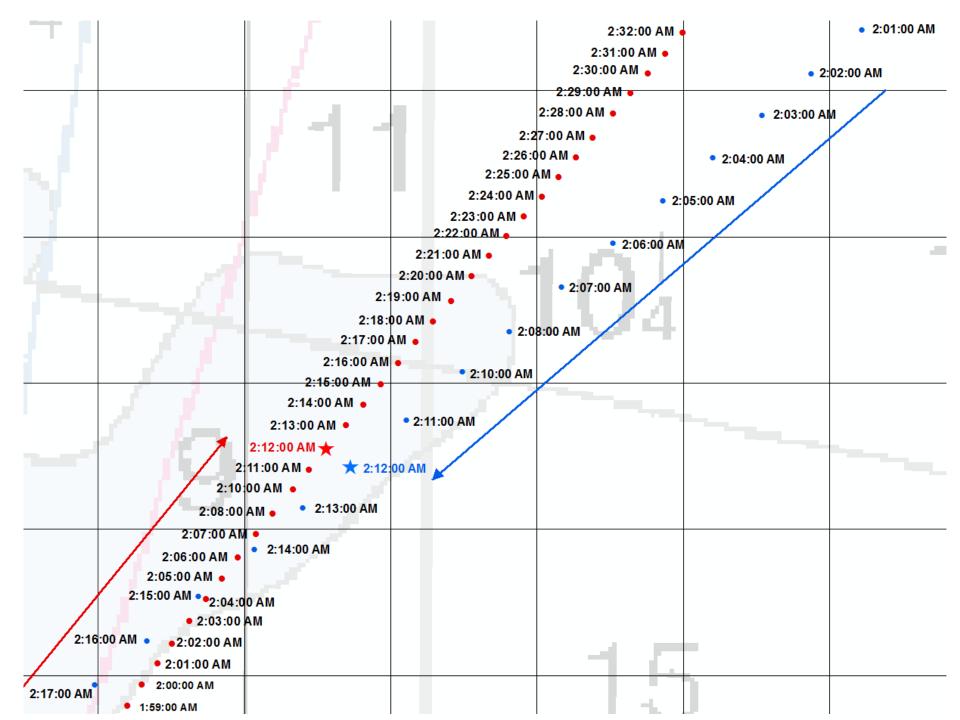


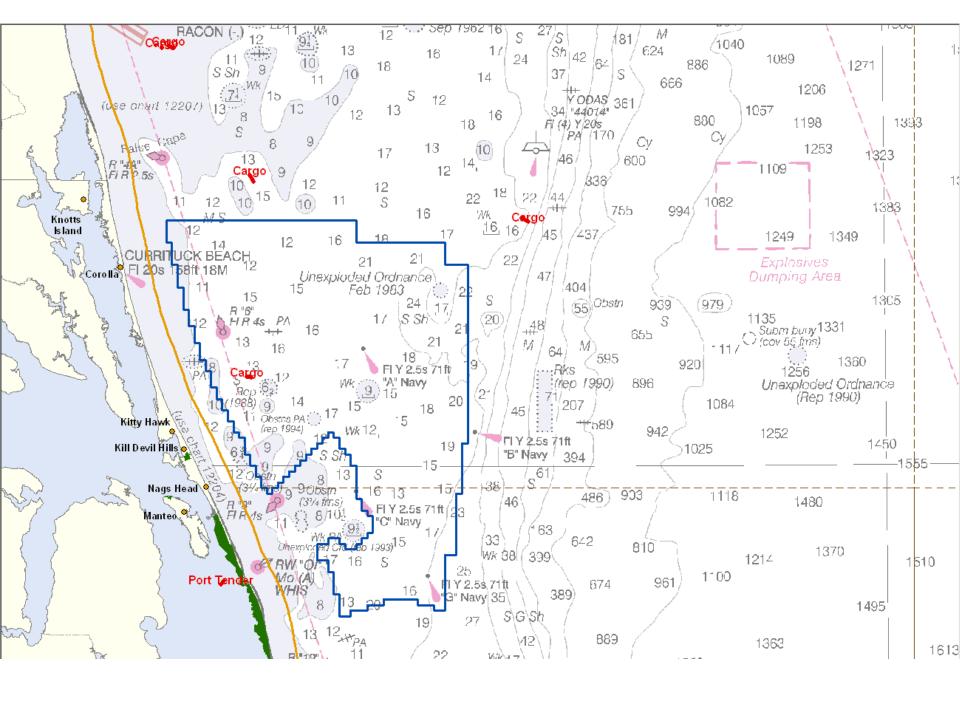
Conduct Additional Analytics Identified by Maritime Community

- * 2010 Density Plots
- * 2009 & 2010 Directional Analysis*
- * 2009 & 2010 Proximity Analysis*
- * 2009 & 2010 Bathymetry Correlations
- * Inclement Weather Behavior Analysis*









Next Steps

- * Complete outreach and identification of key maritime stakeholders
- * Continue AIS data analysis
- * Hold first set of meetings (Wilmington, NC and Norfolk Area) within the next 30-45 days.
- * Validate Existing Data and Identify new information needs
- * Reconvene and develop recommendations

Questions



Towing - 2009

