

**U.S. Commission on Ocean Policy
Report Development Timeline as of September 27, 2004**

<u>Date(s)</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>
Sept. 17-18, 2001	Inaugural Meeting	Washington, DC
Nov. 13-14, 2001	2 nd Public Meeting	Washington, DC
Jan. 15-16, 2002	1 st Regional Meeting - Southeast Regional Meeting	Charleston, SC
Feb. 22, 2002	Florida and Caribbean Regional Meeting	St. Petersburg, FL
March 7-8, 2002	Gulf of Mexico Regional Meeting	New Orleans, LA
April 18-19, 2002	Southwestern Regional Meeting	Los Angeles, CA
May 13-14, 2002	Hawaii and Pacific Regional Meeting	Honolulu, HI
June 13-14, 2002	Northwestern Regional Meeting	Seattle, WA
July 23-24, 2002	Northeastern Regional Meeting	Boston, MA

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Aug. 21-22, 2002	Alaska Regional Meeting	Anchorage, AK
Sept. 24-25, 2002	Great Lakes Regional Meeting	Chicago, IL
Oct. 30, 2002	Public Meeting and Deliberation	Washington, DC
Nov. 22, 2002	Public Meeting and Deliberation	Washington, DC
Jan. 24, 2003	Public Meeting and Deliberation	Washington, DC
April 2-3, 2003	Public Meeting and Deliberation	Washington, DC
April 20, 2004	<p>Draft Report Sent to Governors for Review and Comment</p> <p>Text of Preliminary Report Posted on the Commission Website</p> <p>Public Comment Period Opens</p>	Washington, DC

<u>Date(s)</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>
April 20- May 21, 2004	Comment Period	n/a
May 21, 2004	Initial Deadline for All Comments on Draft Report Deadline Extended on May 14, 2004	n/a
June 4, 2004	Final Deadline for Comments on Preliminary Report	n/a
July 22, 2004	Commission Approves Final Report	Washington, DC
September 20, 2004	Final Report Submitted to the President and to Congress Text of Final Report (pre-publication version) Posted on the Commission Website	Washington, DC