Mariner Update

Fall Benthic Surveys

Vessel: GO Pursuit
Length: 98 ft
Master: Captain Rudy
Phone: 337-205-7400
Call Sign: WDH 6498
Monitoring VHF Channel 16
Locations: within federal lease area (OCS-A0521) and deep sections of potential export cable route
Lat/Long: Vessel operations will be within the rectangle: North-West Corner = N41°32’18.88”, W70°37’12.91”; North-East Corner = N41°36’43.94”, W70°20’10.61”; South-West boundary = N40°37’47.40”, W70°43’20.51”; South-East Corner = N40°30’47.28”, W70°21’39.08”
Survey Activity: marine remote sensing with bottom photography and
sediment grabs to map seafloor benthic habitat conditions

**Estimated Completion:** late November 2020

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**Real Time Metocean Data Available**

Mayflower Wind has partnered with the Northeastern Regional Association of Coastal Ocean Observing Systems (NERACOOS) to share real-time weather and ocean data collected by the buoy for mariners and the scientific community to use. NERACOOS mission is to produce, integrate, and communicate high quality information that helps ensure safety, economic and environmental resilience, and sustainable use of the coastal ocean. Mayflower Wind’s floating buoy data will help to support these efforts and help to inform other research efforts in the Atlantic region. Visit [NERACOOS](https://www.neracoos.org) to view the data!