



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
The Deputy Under Secretary for  
Oceans and Atmosphere  
Washington, D.C. 20230

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Dear Reviewer:

In accordance with provisions of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA), we enclose for your review the Indiana Lake Michigan Coastal Program (LMCP) Document and Final Environmental Impact Statement (P/FEIS).

The P/FEIS was prepared pursuant to the NEPA to assess the environmental impacts associated with NOAA's approval of the Indiana Lake Michigan Coastal Program.

Any written comments on the P/FEIS should be directed to the responsible official identified below by July 22, 2002. A copy of your comments should also go to my staff in Room 6121, Office of Policy and Strategic Planning, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14<sup>th</sup> and Constitution, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230.

NOAA is not required to respond to comments received as a result of issuance of the FEIS; however comments will be reviewed and considered for their impact on issuance of a record of decision (ROD). The ROD will be printed in the Federal Register some time after July 22, 2002.

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