

Readout from GOOS SC 12 Meeting Halifax, April 25-27, 2023

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MEETING OBJECTIVE AND AGENDA

Objective: to assess progress across the GOOS Strategic Objectives, 4 years on from the launch of the 2030 Strategy. To discuss and identify priorities, opportunities, and resource implications for the GOOS Implementation Plan.

More specifically:

- Assess advancement towards GOOS objectives
- Identify priorities, gaps, opportunities, and resource implications
- Assess advancement of GOOS Ocean Decade Programmes and provide guidance
- Provide feedback to GOOS Expert Panels, the Observation Coordination Group, GOOS
- Regional Alliances, and the Expert Team on Operational Ocean Forecasting (ETOOFS)
- Assess ToRs and evolving role, ETOOFS, GOOS National Focal Points, OOPC
- Assess new GOOS Project and TT applications
- Plan for evolving GOOS Governance and renewal of SC membership

TAKE HOME MESSAGES

- MAJOR ADVANCES IN REPORTING AND ACCOUNTABILITY OF GOOS INITIATIVES BY GOOS OFFICE
- SYSTEM OVERLOADED: BOTH GOOS OFFICE & IN KIND CONTRIBUTORS
- NEW CLEAR MESSAGES & COMMUNICATION STRATEGY
- NEED FOR ENHANCED FUNDING STRATEGY: BALANCE ACTIONS, NEEDS, REQUESTS, RESSOURCES
- UN OCEAN DECADE AND GOOS PROGRAMMES: Ocean Observing Co-Design, Observing Together and CoastPredict
- NEED FOR FOCUS ON THE 11 GOOS STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES,
- COST BENEFIT OF NEW & ONGOING INITIATIVES, ADDED VALUE FOR GOOS
- REGIONAL SYSTEMS, DATA INTEGRATION ACROSS GRA's
- IOC & WMO CONECTIONS

VERY POSITIVE SC MEETING!



Muchas gracias!









