



# Marshall Islands Marine Resources Authority (MIMRA)



- Action 1: Promote strong and profitable partnerships to grow RMI economy
- Action 2: Maintain, secure and enhance revenue from RMI fisheries
- Action 3: Enable and promote a strong private fisheries industry in RMI

**Goal 1: MIMRA will maximize the long-term value from its fisheries for the benefit of the people of RMI**

**Goal 2: MIMRA will conserve and manage the aquatic resources for current and future generations in RMI**

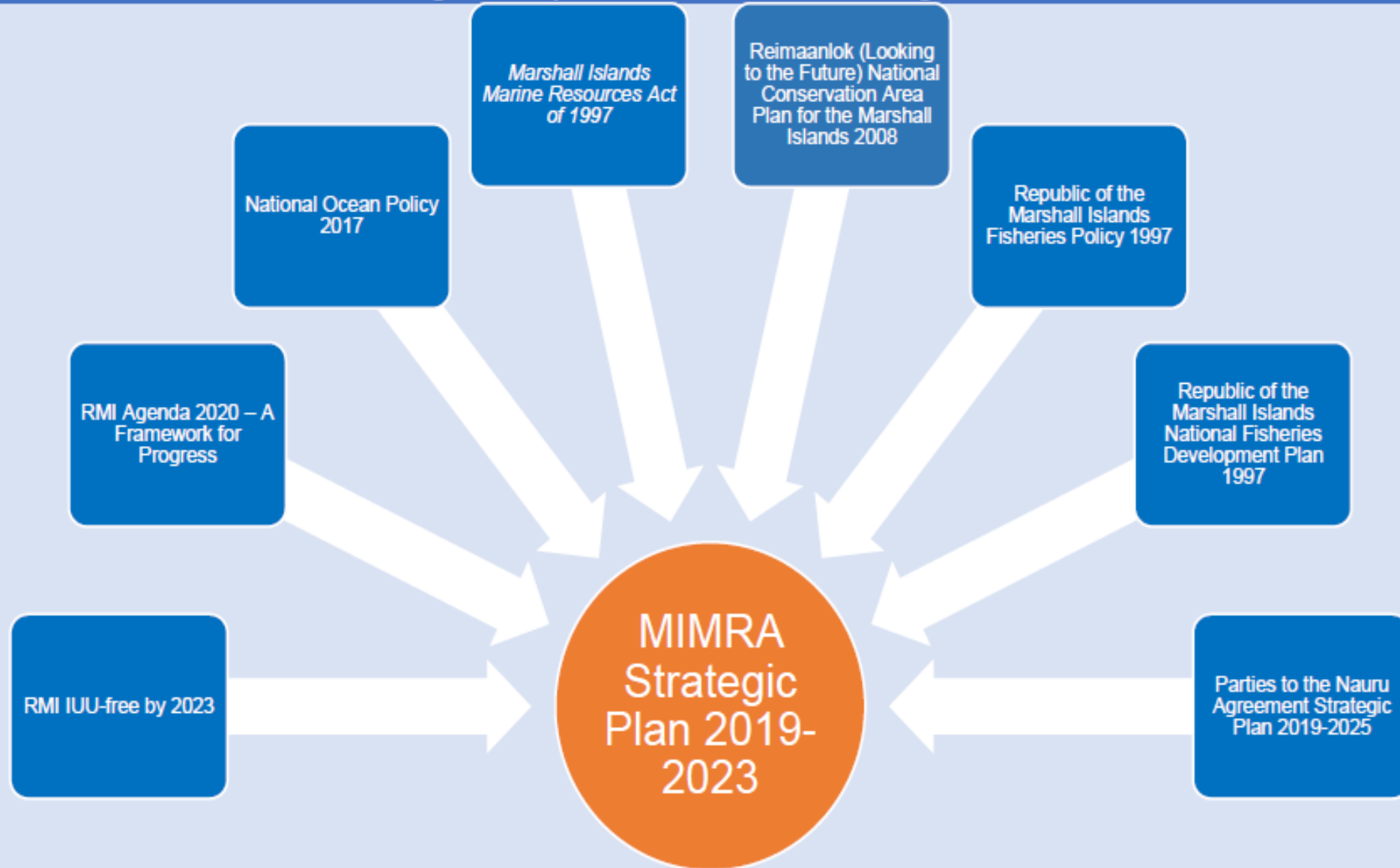
- Action 1: Utilize robust science and the precautionary approach to sustainably manage RMI fisheries
- Action 2: Implement state of the art MCS to detect, deter and eliminate IUU in RMI
- Action 3: Enact clear and helpful management systems that are well understood and followed



- Action 1: Utilize best practice governance methodology to manage MIMRA
- Action 2: Develop the capacity of MIMRA managers/staff, industry and the community so they are all able to productively contribute to growing and managing RMI's fisheries
- Action 3: Ensure MIMRA is properly resourced to manage and engage with RMI fisheries for the benefit of the RMI people

**Goal 3: MIMRA will be professional, transparent and accountable in the way it manages fisheries resources in RMI**

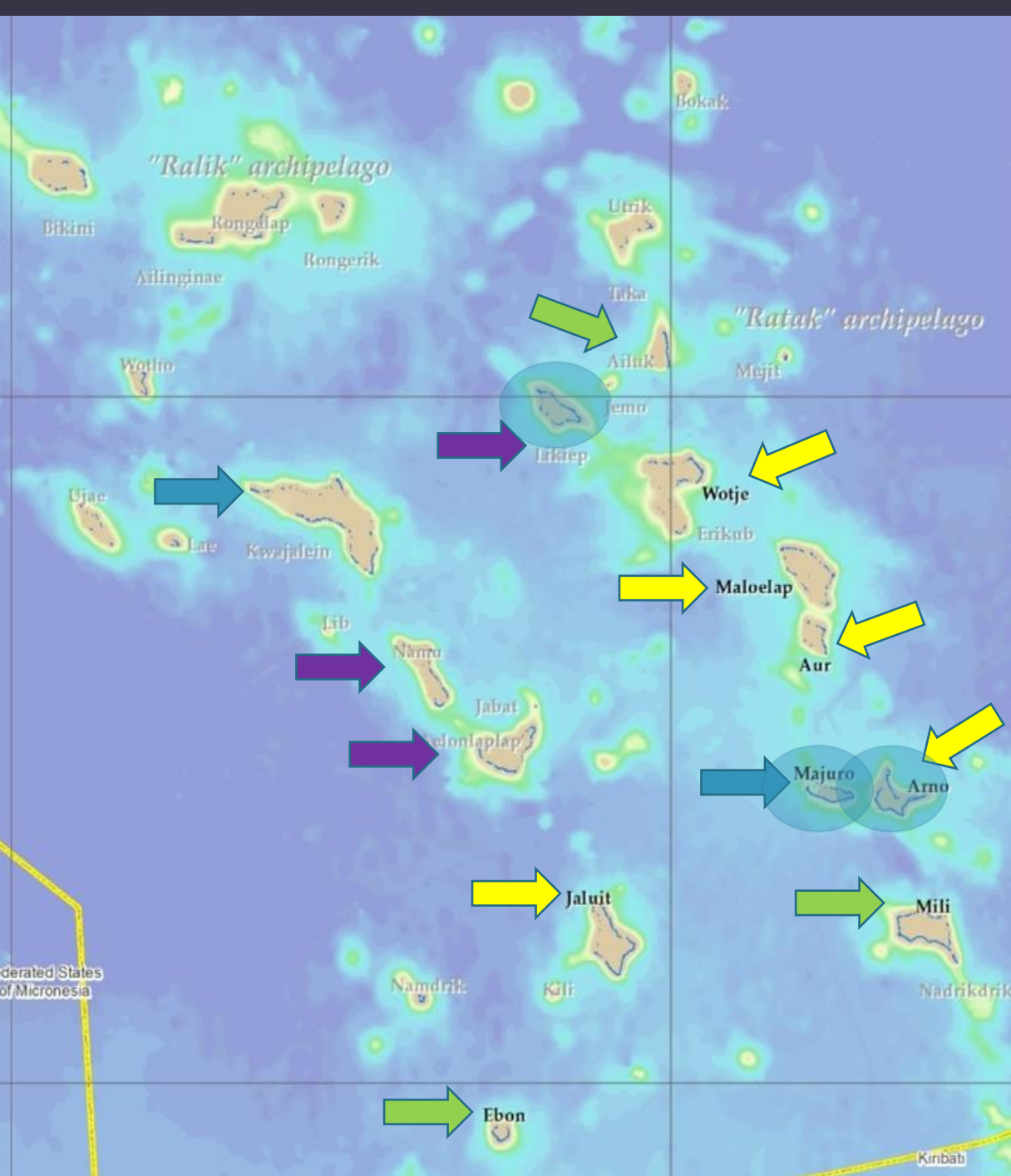
Figure 1. Key drivers/influences of the Strategic Plan



**Table 2. Documents consulted for development of this Strategic Plan**

<b>Press Statement: Office of the President Republic of the Marshall Islands – October 4 2018</b>	Republic of the Marshall Islands National Climate Change Policy Framework 2011
<b>RMI Agenda 2020 - A Framework for Progress</b>	The Trade Policy for the Republic of the Marshall Islands 2012
<b>National Ocean Policy 2017</b>	RMI National Investment Policy Statement 2004-05
<b>Marshall Islands Marine Resources Act of 1997</b>	RMI Economic Brief 2017
<b>Reimaanlok (Looking to the Future) National Conservation Area Plan for the Marshall Islands 2008</b>	MIMRA Annual Report 2017
<b>Republic of the Marshall Islands Fisheries Policy 1997</b>	Republic of the Marshall Islands Tuna Management Plan (Draft 2015)
<b>Republic of the Marshall Islands National Fisheries Development Plan 1997</b>	Fisheries Act 1997
<b>Parties to the Nauru Agreement Strategic Plan 2019-2025</b>	Marshall Islands Marine Resources Act Regulations 1998
<b>Implementation Plan from the First National Oceans Symposium 2017</b>	Marine Mammal Protection Act 1990
<b>The Marshall Islands Marine Resources Authority Policy Statement 1997</b>	Protected Areas Network (PAN) Act 2015
<b>Fisheries Policy in the Marshall Islands (FAO) 2005</b>	Fisheries Enforcement Act
<b>Policies and Priority Actions for Sustainable Mariculture Development in the Republic of the Marshall Islands 2005</b>	Fishing Access and Licensing Act
<b>PROP Work Plan 2019-20</b>	Management and Development of Local Fisheries Act
<b>Micronesia Challenge</b>	Aquarium Fishery Regulations 2015
<b>Marshall Islands Tuna Development Strategy</b>	3IA Regulations 2009
<b>The Republic of the Marshall Islands National Environment Management Strategy 2017–2022</b>	NPOA IUU RMI 2014
<b>PNAO Strategic Plan</b>	Declaration of baselines and maritime zones outer limits 2016
<b>FFA Regional Monitoring, Control and Surveillance Strategy (RMCSS) 2018 – 2023</b>	Sea Cucumber Regulations 2012
<b>Republic of the Marshall Islands National Strategic Plan 2015–2017</b>	MIMRA Vessel Inspection Plan
<b>The Strategic Development Plan Framework 2003-2018 (RMI)-Vision 2018</b>	





# MIMRA Outer Islands Facilities and Programs

- ✓ 2 Fish Markets
- ✓ 5 Fishbases and 1 subBase serviced by OIFMC
- ✓ 3 Fishbases serviced by KAFMC
- ✓ 3 non Fishbase Atolls part of the program
- ✓ 4 Aquaculture Hatcheries
- ✓ 16 Atolls aFADs deployed
- ✓ 23 Resources MP signed

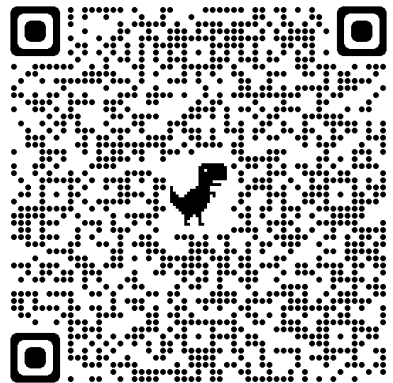
## MIMRA Collection Boat Updates

- Laintok, Timur, Jebro: normal schedule enej bar roltok elikin an wa kein kar dry-dock
- Jouj im kepaak Outer Islands Fish Market Center (OIFMC)

# anchored FAD Deployment Schedule

Majuro Atoll	Schedule for	Deployment July 2023	Anchor Ready
Majuro Atoll	Schedule for	Deployment July 2023	Anchor Ready
Arno Atoll	Schedule for	Deployment August 2023	Anchor Ready
Utrok Atoll	Schedule for	Deployment August 2023	Anchor Ready
Mejit Island	Schedule for	Deployment September 2023	Anchor Not started
Wotho Atoll	Schedule for	Deployment September 2023	Anchor Not started
Wotje Atoll	Schedule for	Deployment October 2023	Anchor Not started
Enewetak Atoll	Schedule for	Deployment November 2023	Anchor Not started
Jabat Island	Schedule for	Deployment December 2023	Anchor Not started
Kwajalein Ebadon	Schedule for	Deployment December 2023	Anchor Not started

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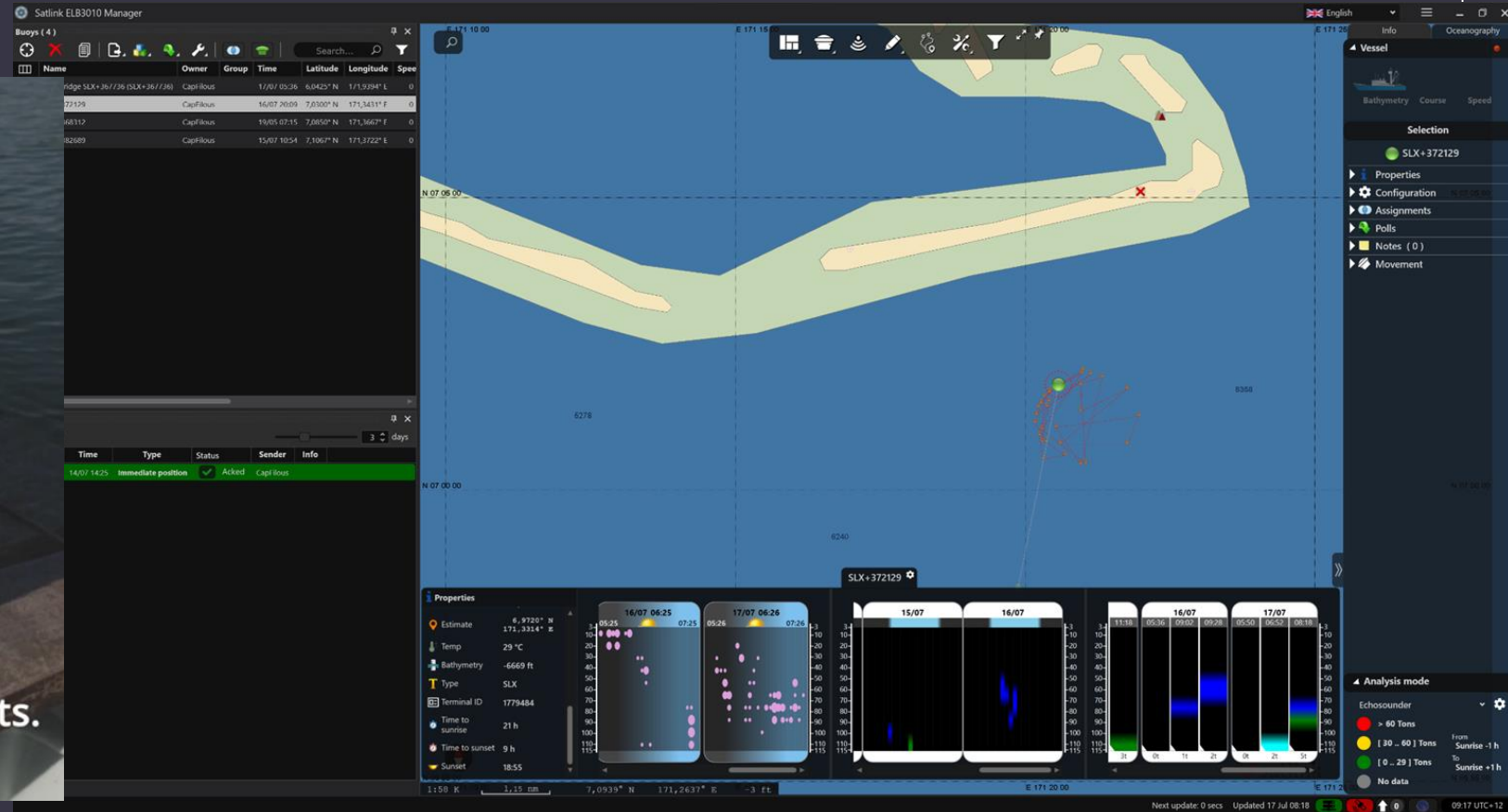


13 - Active

7 - lost/missing



# Emerging Tech - Smart Buoy



Enej jipan track e buoy/FAD eo im lale activities ko iumin

# RMI FAD Fishing Data Collection Form

- Fish data collection form jen local fishers (local gov't emaron jipan nan share ippen MIMRA)
- Local gov't report lak nan opij eo an MIMRA kon status in FAD eo

\*please use one sheet per FAD

RMI FAD FISHING LOGSHEET					
Raan eo		Etan Ri-jerokrok eo		Etan Wa eo	
Kaan wa eo (Gas) (Diesel)		awa in jere eo	awa in rool eo	Etan rijeje eo	
				FAD Atoll <input type="checkbox"/> Aur Atoll	
Fishing Method <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ilarok <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Eojolok <input type="checkbox"/> Latibben <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____					
SPECIES	Jete	TOTAL WT (lbs)		SPECIES	Jete
Lojkaan		<input type="checkbox"/> 50-100 lbs	<input type="checkbox"/> 300-500lbs	Looj	
		<input type="checkbox"/> 100-300lbs	<input type="checkbox"/> 500+ lbs		
SAILFISH		<input type="checkbox"/> 0-50lbs	<input type="checkbox"/> 100-200lbs	Al	
		<input type="checkbox"/> 50-100lbs	<input type="checkbox"/> 200+ lbs		
bwebwe		<input type="checkbox"/> 0-50lbs	<input type="checkbox"/> 100-200lbs	koko	
		<input type="checkbox"/> 50-100lbs	<input type="checkbox"/> 200+ lbs		
BIGEYE		<input type="checkbox"/> 0-50lbs	<input type="checkbox"/> 100-200lbs	Jure	
		<input type="checkbox"/> 50-100lbs	<input type="checkbox"/> 200+ lbs		
Jilo		<input type="checkbox"/> 0-50lbs	<input type="checkbox"/> 100-200lbs	Ekaidike	
		<input type="checkbox"/> 50-100lbs	<input type="checkbox"/> 200+		
Lojabil		<input type="checkbox"/> 0-50lbs	<input type="checkbox"/> 100-200lbs	OTHERS	
		<input type="checkbox"/> 50-100lbs	<input type="checkbox"/> 200+		
					<input type="checkbox"/> 0-25 lbs <input type="checkbox"/> 50-75 lbs
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# AQUACULTURE

- Giant Clam Satellite Farming Program
- Establishment of Fisheries/Farmers Association
  - Likiep Atoll Aquaculture Farmers Association
  - Wotje Atoll Fisheries Coop.
  - Aur Atoll Fisheries Coop.
- Technical Assistance
  - Training (Maintenance & Managing project)
  - Giant Clam Farming
- Facilities Operations & Management
  - Woja Hatchery (Majuro - Giant Clams, invertebrates)
  - Ajeltake Hatchery (Majuro - Moi, finfish, seaweed)
  - Loto Giant Clam Hatchery (Likiep - Giant Clam spp.)
  - Arno Atoll Giant Clam Hatchery (Arno - Giant Clam spp.)







## PAN OFFICE'S MISSION:

- To secure and enable mobilization of resources in support of the establishment and management of a network of protected areas in the RMI

## Who's Currently Eligible for PAN Funding?

### Step 1

#### Initiation.

KWAJALEIN (Jabra Island), ERIKUB

### Step 2

#### Project Scoping and Setup.

ID, IA/UIT, IFMO

### Step 3

#### Building Commitment.

MAJURO (Barvon, Bokelotalik)

### Step 4

#### Collecting and Managing Information.

### Step 5

#### Developing the Management Plan.

AUR\*, UKIEP\*

### Step 6

#### Sign-off.

AILINGLAPLAP, JABAT, MEJIT\*, MAJURO (Ajeltake)\*

### Step 7

#### Monitoring, Evaluation, and Adaptive Management.

AILUK, MAJURO (Bikini, Drenmeo, Wojo, Eri Kalamur, Bokonbofin), UJAE, LAE, UTROK, EBON\*, MALOELAP, ARNO, MILLI, WOTJE, BIKAR, BOKAK, NAWU, WOTHO\*

### Step 8

#### Maintaining Commitment.

NAMORIK

- Sites that are not included in these 2 groups are not yet eligible.
- Reimaanlok status updated as of 09/21/22.



# Beached FAD program

Atoll	# beached FAD data collected
Aelonlaplap	17
Arno	1
Kwajelein	1
Lae	5
Maloelap	26
Mili	52
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>102</b>

**KĀJOKWĀ**  
**KĀJOKWĀ EO RAAR LOE AN EQŌTŌK IM EO RAAR LOE ILOMETO?**

Ewi nōm̄baan ID eo an buwae eo ?

ISL+123456    DSL+123456    MS1123456    T7+123456789 or Z60123456789    P1234NF    123456

**TA IM KĀJOKWĀ?**  
 Kājokwā ej juon raab kōm̄man jān koba eo me ewōr ok jlokwan im ebar lofi to ak tabolan im juon buwae in kalikar, ilo waan eqōiwōd nān kaal tok ekļap.

**ETKE JEJ AN MELELE KEIN?**  
 Nān bwine oran kājokwā ko raar eqōtōk im ko rejako im jet ta ko renāj walōk jāni ilo melan pārijet ko, men in enaaj jipaŋi kōkōmanman lōk keplaake wāween eqōiwōd kōn kājokwā.

**JEJ ITA KŌN KĀJOKWĀ EO?**  
 Ne jemaroŋi, jen atake āne lōk kājokwā eo im kūr lōk opij eo an MIMRA.

**JE MELELE KEIN IM KŌLAJIRAKI:**

- Ta eo kwaar loe ?
- Kājokwā eo wōt
- Kājokwā eo ippān buwae eo
- Buwae eo
- Nōm̄baan ID eo an buwae eo im kōkaļle ko jet emōj jei ioon buwae eo
- Raan eo kwaar loe
- Tu ia (ae!ōŋi ta, bukōn ak wāto ta)

**NE KŌNMANRŌN, KŌN RŌLLAJIRAKI:**

- Peļak eo: iloŋeto, pedped, pārijet
- Kōm̄man jān ta: koba, ok, to, kein eppepe ko
- Aetokan lōkwan fie ewōr
- Ta eo kwokar kōm̄mane kōn Kājokwā ak buwae eo? (kōm̄kuti jān dān ak āne, kōtļok bwe en eppepe, rumļok, eqōiwōd e)
- Ebar wōr ke jet melele? (ejorrān melan eo, eforak ke mennin mour, epo ke ekļap ak mennin mour ko jet)

**EBBŌK FLA:**

- Pijaki ta eo kwaar loi
- Pijaan buwae eo ilo an epaak im alikkar nōm̄baan ID eo ie

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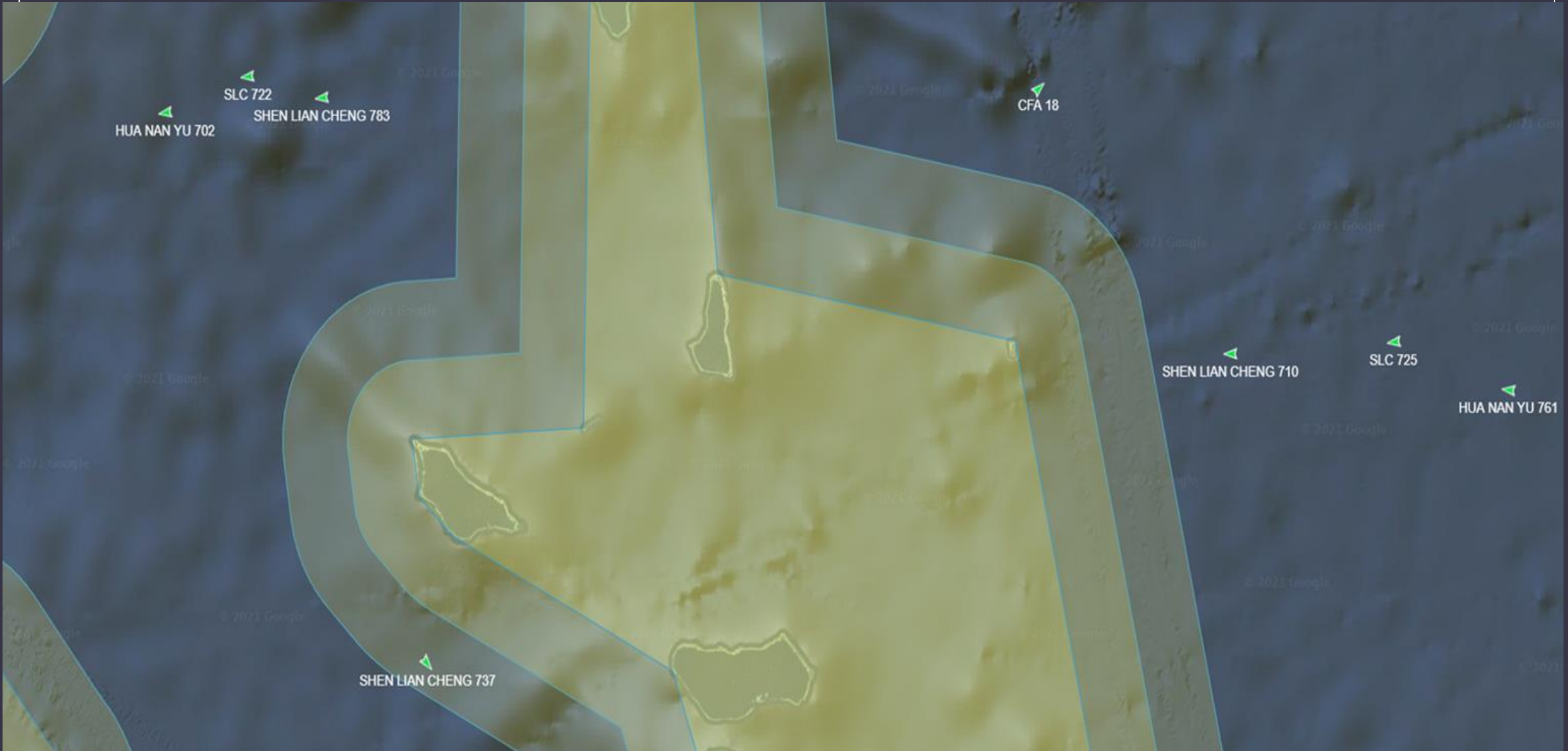


FAD Material, Maloelap Atoll



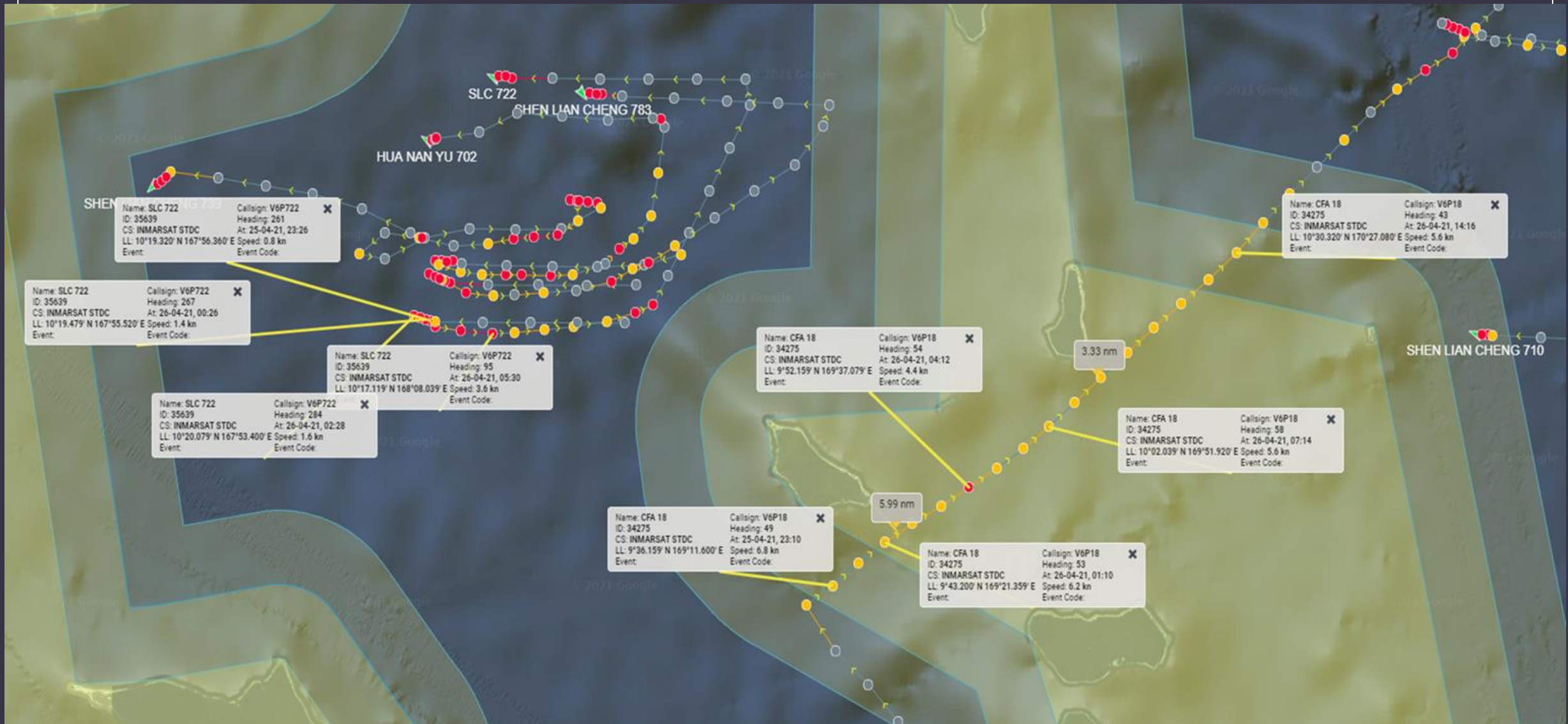
FAD Buoy, Mili Atoll

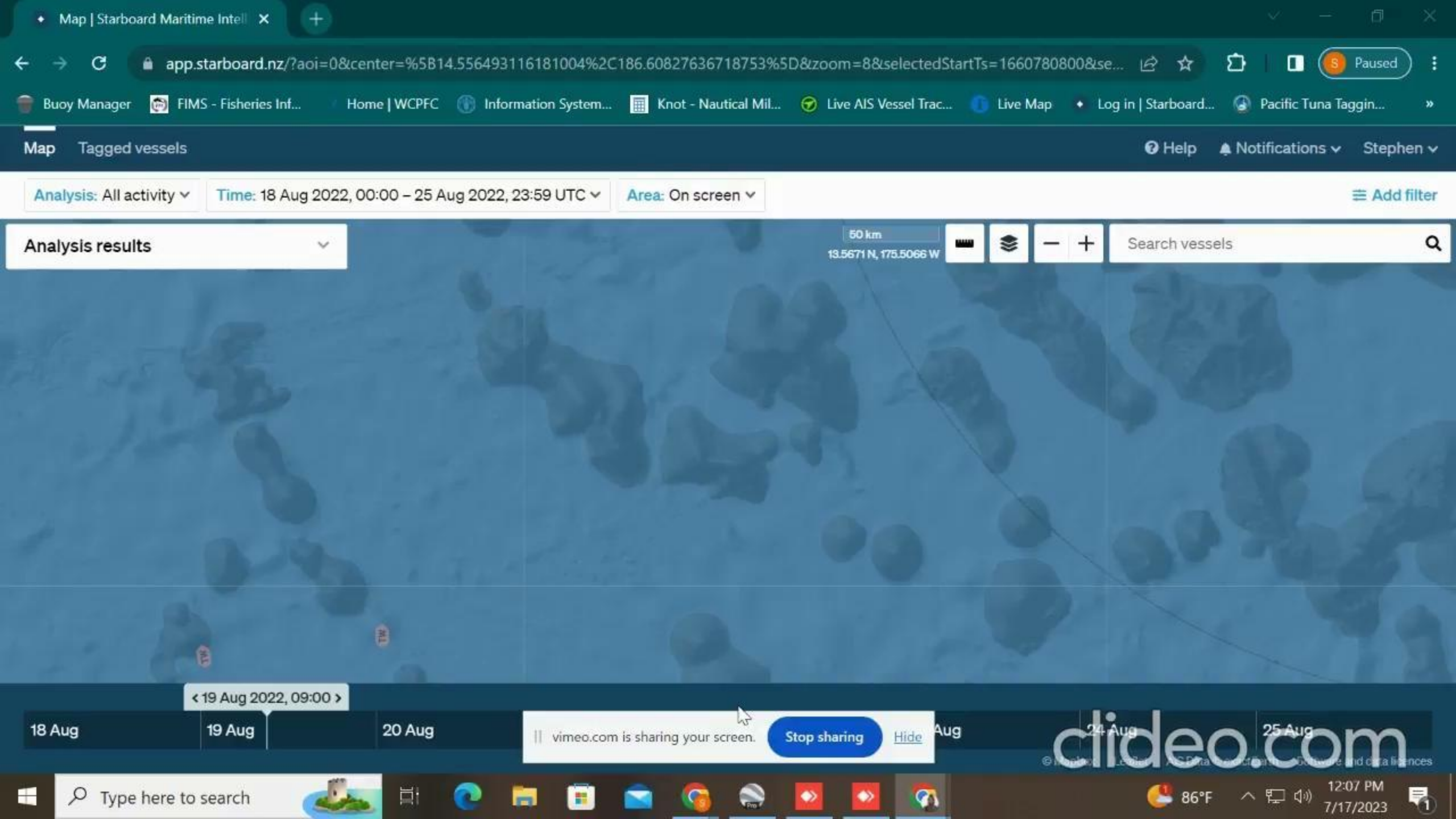
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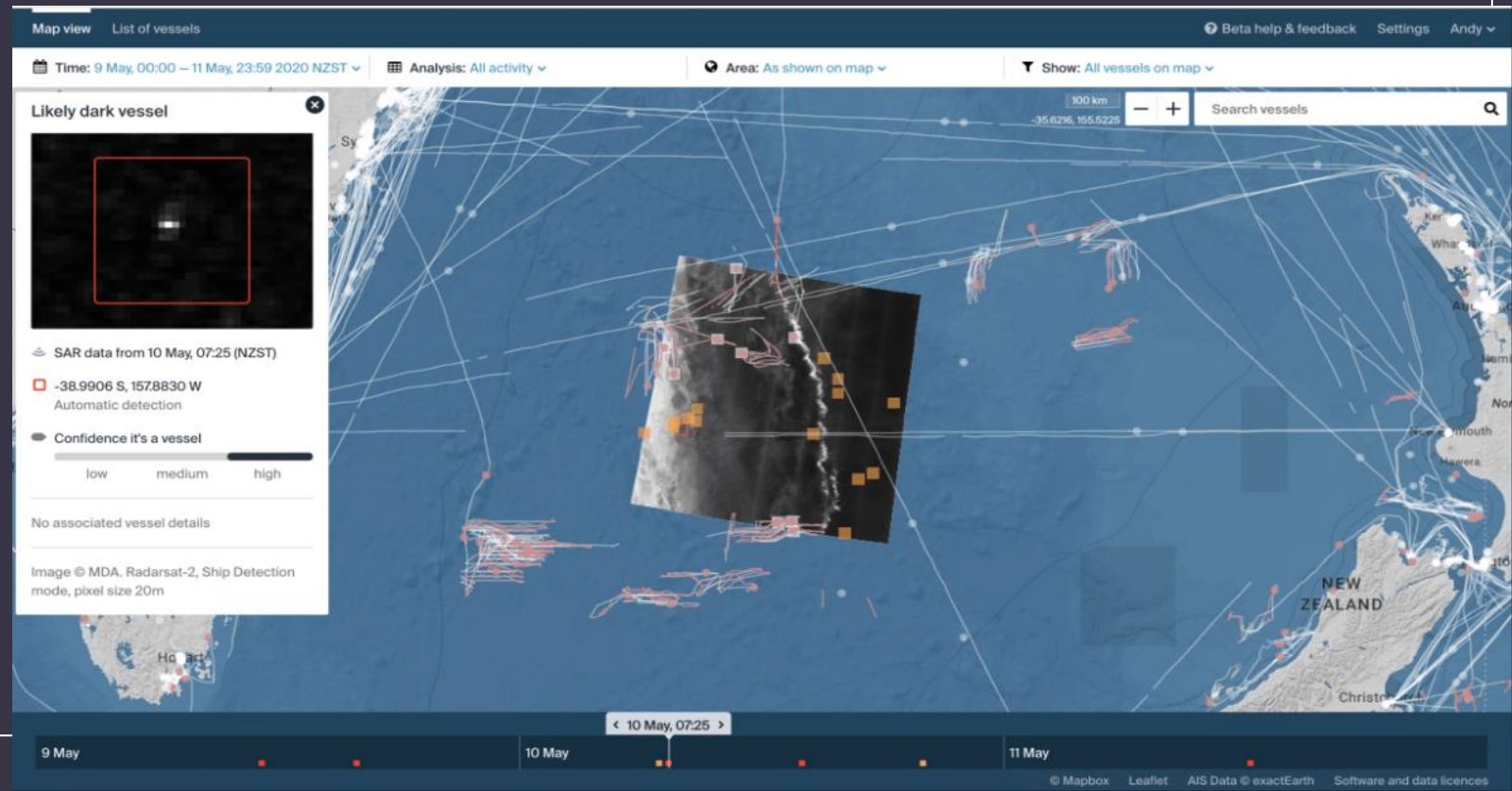






# MCS Operations Update

- Community outreach and awareness
- Vessel sightings and intelligence
- DVD: Dark vessel detection trials with Starboard

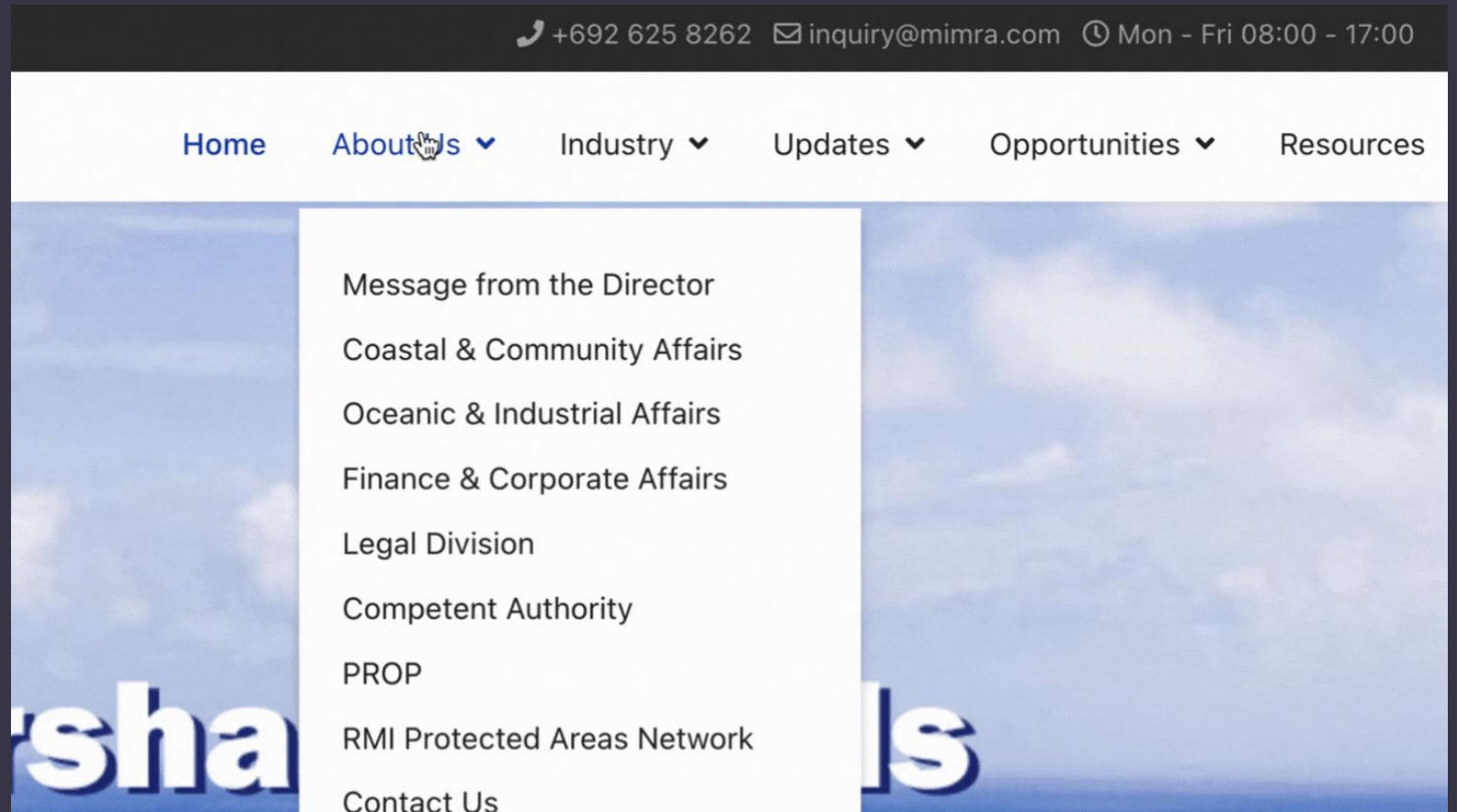


# MIMRA UPDATES & SHARED DOCUMENTS

## MIMRA Website

[www.rmimimra.com](http://www.rmimimra.com)

- Contains regularly updated information from various MIMRA divisions.
- Resources (fisheries legislations, regulations, annual reports, etc.)



# KOMMOL TATA!

QUESTIONS?