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CHARTER FOR SHIPS COMMITTEE

WHY IS THIS MISSION NEEDED OR WHY IS IT IMPORTANT

Each sink site will require ships specifically chosen for that site. Each ship has different characteristics and these must be understood to fully develop the preparation criteria.

DESCRIPTION OF WHAT NEEDS TO BE DONE

1. Identify all ships available on the West Coast for disposal
2. Locate and obtain ships plans
3. Liaise with Federal Government (MARAD, Navy, US. Coast Guard) regarding ship suitability and availability.
4. Prioritize ships identified in #3 above
- ~~3. Develop specifications to make ships diver & environmentally prepared such as:
 - a. Cutting holes
 - b. Removing overhead piping and wiring
 - c. Removing all wiring or only PCB laden type
 - d. Removing hatches/doors/windows
 - e. Removing bulkheads
 - f. Removing toxics~~
- ~~4. Research what has & has not worked in other reefing areas (i.e., Yukon, British Columbia, Spiegel Grove, etc.) (liaison with Research Committee)~~

DEFINE SUCCESS FOR THIS COMMITTEE

1. All West Coast ships have been identified
2. All ships plans have been obtained
- ~~2-3. Suitable and available ships have been identified and prioritized~~
- ~~3. Specifications to make ships diver & environmentally prepared have been developed~~
- ~~4. Research into what has/has not worked in other reefing areas is complete~~

OVERALL PROJECT: For the duration

SKILLS/PEOPLE OR EQUIPMENT NEEDED TO ACCOMPLISH MISSION OF COMMITTEE

People experienced in ship nomenclature, reading ships plans, research, ~~shipyard capabilities, methods of removing wire~~