Fisheries Management Plans - Privacy Notice

Data Collected: Fisheries Management Plans (FMP) collects and processes personal information for the purposes of developing, implementing, and monitoring FMPs.

We collect and process the following personal information:

- personal identifiers (names)
- email address(s)
- Telephone number(s)
- organisation
- job title
- interest (sector or topic area and geographical area)

Personal information may be subsequently retained for audit or clarification purposes.

How the data will be used: Personal information will be used in engagement and consultation activities, and to update stakeholders on FMP news.

How the data will be stored: Personal information will be securely stored within the MMO electronic document and records management system.

The Legal basis for processing data: Personal information provided to the MMO will be processed under Article 6(1)(e) of the UK GDPR which states that processing is necessary for the purposes of a task carried out in the public interest or in the exercise of official authority vested in the controller.

We may share personal information:

- where we are under a duty to do so in order to comply with a legal obligation, or we are permitted to do so to protect the rights, property or safety of others, including but not limited to, exchanging information with other organisations for the purposes of fraud protection and crime prevention
- where we are required to do so in the support of either our or another public body's statutory duties and official functions

As a data subject, you have a number of rights under the Data Protection Act 2018. These include the right to access the information which we hold about you. In some cases, you may have the right to have your personal data rectified, erased, or restricted and to object to certain uses of your data. This would not affect the legality of what we do with your personal data before you make such a request and would not stop us from continuing to use your data to the extent that we do not require your consent. It would stop us from further using your data for purposes which do require your consent (e.g. marketing).

Period of Retention (or criteria to determine): Data will be retained for a maximum of 7 years. This is in accordance with our retention policies. On the expiration of this period, we will remove your data through permanent deletion.