

## **OCOVI – Ocean and Coastal Observing – Virgin Islands, Inc.**

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### ***For immediate release: OCOVI's Annual Meeting – December 19<sup>th</sup>***

OCOVI will hold its required public Annual Meeting on Saturday, December 19, 2020. It will be conducted remotely by ZOOM and telephone conference. Advanced registration is required. Register by sending your name, email address and affiliation to OCOVI Project Director Luis Sylvester at [luissylvester@msn.com](mailto:luissylvester@msn.com). Registrants will receive details for joining the ZOOM meeting by email in advance of meeting day.

Starting at 10:00 AM, the meeting will consist of General and Business sessions. The General session will include introductions, a progress report and acceptance of nominations from the floor for one existing Board vacancy. **Nominations are also accepted in advance by email** sent the Project Director at [luissylvester@msn.com](mailto:luissylvester@msn.com). This session will also feature a brief and informative presentation for your enjoyment as well as the opportunity for the audience to ask questions and make comments.

The Business session will start after a quick break (approximately at 11:00 AM) and will be focused on elections with only Board members eligible to vote. After accepting nominations and voting to fill the vacancy, the Board will elect its officers for the next year.

For more details, please contact the Project Director. You can find more information about OCOVI on its web page ([www.ocovi.org](http://www.ocovi.org)), its Facebook page ([www.facebook.com/ocoVirginIslands/](https://www.facebook.com/ocoVirginIslands/)) and Instagram ([@oco\\_vi](https://www.instagram.com/oco_vi)).

We look forward to convening OCOVI's Annual Meeting on Saturday, December 19<sup>th</sup>.