In closing out Fiscal Year (FY) 2023, the Department of Commerce (DOC) has successfully completed Phase 1B for the implementation of the Business Applications Solution (BAS) Project with NOAA, BIS, EDA, and ES-A. BAS is an agency-wide, IT modernization effort to deploy an integrated suite of financial and business management applications in support of our mission using a Software-as-a-Service (SaaS), cloud-computing environment. This first set of bureaus is now live with Oracle EBS for financial management, Unison PRISM for acquisition management, Sunflower Asset Management System for asset management, and the new BAS single sign on portal for accessing the applications and help desk services.

During Phase 1A, the BAS PMO successfully deployed PRISM AAP and Sunflower for end users. During Phase 1B, the BAS PMO collaborated with the user community to:

- Complete System Integration Testing (SIT) and User Acceptance Testing (UAT) for BAS Solution Suite core applications and integrated systems
- Develop a comprehensive Business Process Guidebook covering all BAS core systems for use by DOC end users
- Assign user roles and conduct end user training to equip NOAA and servicing bureaus with the necessary skills and knowledge to operate within the systems effectively
- Establish multiple communication channels to inform and engage users and other stakeholders in the BAS solution and decisions, including monthly Change Network meetings and an ongoing Table Talk series focused on important topics users can revisit anytime on the BAS Portal
- Complete FY23 Annual Security Assessment and Interconnection Security Agreements

For more information on BAS Implementation, the BAS PMO offers real-time events open to everyone, such as the quarterly Town Halls that communicate the status of the BAS program.
and regular Table Talks to discuss specific aspects of the Program. The BAS PMO also maintains a robust repository of information on the BAS Portal, which is now live. The BAS Portal is a great way to find out more about BAS and about upcoming events that provide additional opportunities to engage with the Program.

You can also catch up on the latest BAS news by reviewing the Announcements on the BAS Portal homepage. If you have any questions about the program or about the next steps, please contact BASProject@doc.gov.

Please feel free to reach out with any immediate questions.

Warm Regards,

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