



**NOO
RAAJJE**

HEALTHY OCEANS,
THRIVING COMMUNITIES

WHAT IS NOO RAAJJE?

Noo Raajje is a 5 year program and partnership between the Government of the Maldives and the Blue Prosperity Coalition to protect the ocean and its resources to build a bright future for communities, the economy, and the environment.

The program will also promote the advancement of Maldivian ocean science and stewardship through research, education, capacity building, and outreach, including collaborating with and providing support to local scientists and civil society. Noo Raajje aims to sustainably grow economies, improve livelihoods and jobs, and protect and restore ecosystem health.

OUR APPROACH



BLUE ECONOMY

Sustainable use of the ocean's resources to improve livelihoods, communities, economies and ecosystems.



MARINE SPATIAL PLANNING

A public process to better manage and balance uses of the ocean space.



SUSTAINABLE FISHERIES

Strategies and tools to ensure that fisheries will be viable for generations to come.



MARINE PROTECTION

Areas in the ocean where human activities are limited so marine life can regenerate.

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OUR WORK & PROGRESS

- Conducted **two scientific expeditions** to form the first archipelago-wide assessment of the health of the Maldives' ocean
- Facilitated a **marine science and stewardship training** program for Maldivians
- Completed a **legal and policy framework assessment** to determine the foundation for developing an enforceable, comprehensive and sustainably financed Marine Spatial Plan and Blue Economy strategy
- Launched a **nationwide survey effort** to learn how Maldivians use and value the ocean

WHO'S INVOLVED

Noo Raajje is an initiative led by the Government of the Maldives in partnership with the Blue Prosperity Coalition. We work closely with local and international experts around the globe.



**BLUE PROSPERITY
COALITION**

"71% of Maldivians rely on the ocean for their primary source of income. It's imperative that we protect the health of our oceans now and for the future." - President Ibrahim Mohamed Solih

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