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February CMR Meeting to Be Held February 14 at Bolton State Building

BILOXI, Miss. – The Mississippi Commission on Marine Resources (CMR) will hold its February meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 14, 2012, at 9 a.m. The meeting will be held at the Bolton State Building, 1141 Bayview Avenue in Biloxi.

The Mississippi Department of Marine Resources is dedicated to enhancing, protecting and conserving marine interests of the state by managing all marine life, public trust wetlands, adjacent uplands and waterfront areas to provide for the optimal commercial, recreational, educational and economic uses of these resources consistent with environmental concerns and social changes. Visit the MDMR online at www.dmr.ms.gov.

Attached: Agenda

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COMMISSION ON MARINE RESOURCES
1141 Bayview Avenue, Suite 101
February 14, 2012 AGENDA
9:00 a.m.

Meeting held at Bolton State Building, 1141 Bayview Avenue, Biloxi, MS 39530

- A. Call to Order
- B. Approval of Minutes Commission Meeting – January 17, 2012 - Action
- C. Approval of Agenda – Chairman - Action
- D. Public Comments
- E. Executive Director’s Report
- F. Marine Patrol – Chief Walter J. Chataginer
 - 1. Staff Follow-Up Items:
 - a) All Items Current
 - 2. Marine Patrol Report – Chief Walter J. Chataginer – No Action
- G. Marine Fisheries – Dale Diaz
 - 1. Staff Follow-Up Items:
 - a) All Items Current
 - 2. Program Status:
 - a) All Items Current
 - 3. Oyster Update – Scott Gordon – No Action
 - 4. State Records – Erick Porche – Action
 - Conventional Tackle:
 - a) Bigeye Tuna (*Thunnus obesus*) – 203 lbs. 14 oz. Chip Temple
 - b) Shortfin Mako (*Isurus oxyrinchus*) –550 lbs. Tim King
 - Fly Fishing Tackle:
 - c) Black Drum (*Pogonias cromis*) – 58 lbs. Thomas Dempsey
- H. Coastal Ecology – Jan Boyd
 - 1. Staff Follow-Up Items:
 - a) All Items Current
 - 2. Program Status
 - a) All Items Current
 - 3. Bureau of Wetlands Permitting
 - a) City of Bay St. Louis – Structural modifications to pier and breakwater structures; CMR issued Permit Modification at January meeting – Petition for Reconsideration - Greg Christodoulou - Action
 - b) John Smith – A keyhole boat slip has been constructed without a permit – Violation – James Davis - Action
- I. Tidelands Office – Joe Ziegler
 - 1. Staff Follow-Up Items:

a) All Items Current

2. Program Status

a) All Items Current

J. Administrative Services – Tom Doster

1. Staff Follow-Up Items:

a) All Items Current

2. Financial Report – Kara Vesa – No Action

K. Coastal Management and Planning – Tina Shumate

1. Staff Follow-Up Items:

a) All Items Current

L. Directorate

1. Staff Follow-Up Items:

a) All Items Current

2. Human Resources - Christy Royals

a) All Items Current

3. Public Affairs – Lauren Thompson

a) All Items Current

4. Legal – Joseph Runnels

a) All Items Current

5. Policies, Planning, Special Projects – Irvin Jackson

a) All Items Current

6. Support Services

a) All Items Current

M. Other Business