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CMR to meet Oct. 17 in Hancock County

BILOXI, Miss. – The state Commission on Marine Resources will meet Tuesday, Oct. 17, in Hancock County.

The meeting begins at 10 a.m. and will be held in the boardroom of the Hancock County Government Annex building, 854 U.S. 90, Suite A, in Bay St. Louis.

An agenda is attached.

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 DMR online at dmr.ms.gov.

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COMMISSION ON MARINE RESOURCES
October 17, 2017 at 10:00 a.m.
Hancock County Board of Supervisors Boardroom
854 Highway 90, Suite A, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

- A. Call to Order
 - 1. Pledge of Allegiance
- B. Approval of Minutes
 - 1. Approval of Minutes – September 19, 2017 – Chairman – Action
- C. Approval of Agenda – Chairman – Action
- D. Executive Director’s Report
- E. OFFICE OF MARINE PATROL – Chief Keith Davis
 - 1. Report on Citations
- F. OFFICE OF MARINE FISHERIES – Joe Jewell
 - 1. Bureau of Shellfish (Amended as of 10.16.17)
 - a. 2017-2018 Oyster Season Summary – Mike Brainard
 - b. Increase Biloxi Bay Harvest Quota - Action
- G. OFFICE OF COASTAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT – Jan Boyd
 - 1. Bureau of Wetlands Permitting (Amended as of 10.16.17)
 - a. Mississippi State Port Authority – The applicant is seeking authorization to expand the existing Mississippi State Port facility – Exclusion – Jennifer Wittmann – Action
 - b. City of Biloxi – The applicant is requesting to modify a permit for maintenance dredging within the Point Cadet Marina located on the Mississippi Sound in Biloxi – Permit Modification – Greg Christodoulou – Action
 - c. Huntington Ingalls Industries – The applicant is requesting to modify a permit for the maintenance dredging of a launch pit at their Pascagoula facility to accommodate repairs to the USS Fitzgerald – Permit Modification – Greg Christodoulou – Action
 - d. Taylor Norton – Several piers constructed without a permit – Violation/ATF General Permit – Kristyn McGuire – Action
- H. OFFICE OF COASTAL RESTORATION AND RESILIENCY – George Ramseur
 - 1. No presentation this month.
- I. OFFICE OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION – Kacey Williams, Chief Financial Officer
 - 1. FY18 Monthly Report – Kacey Williams

- J. Directorate
 - 1. Public Affairs – Melissa Scallan
- K. Other Business
- L. Public Comments