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CMR to meet Tuesday, February 19

BILOXI, Miss. – The state Commission on Marine Resources will meet Tuesday, February 19, in Biloxi.

The meeting begins at 9 a.m. and will be held at the Bolton State Building in the first-floor auditorium.

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
February 19, 2019 at 9:00 a.m.
Bolton Building Auditorium
1141 Bayview Avenue, Biloxi, MS 39530

- A. Call to Order
 - 1. Pledge of Allegiance
 - 2. Moment of Silence
- B. Approval of Minutes
 - 1. Approval of Minutes – December 18, 2018 – Chairman - Action
 - 2. Approval of Special Session Minutes – December 3, 2018 – Chairman – Action
 - 3. Approval of Special Session Minutes – December 12, 2018 – Chairman – Action
 - 4. Approval of Minutes – January 15, 2019 – Chairman – Action
 - 5. Approval of Special Session Minutes – January 24, 2019 – Chairman – Action
- C. Approval of Agenda – Chairman
- D. Executive Director’s Report
 - 1. Employment, Contracts and Procurement Updates – Joe Spraggins
 - 2. Establish PEER Review Committees – Legal Counsel
 - 3. Repeal of Title 22 Part 20, Chapter 21, Paragraph 105 – Update – Legal Counsel
 - 4. Legislative Update – Joe Spraggins
- E. Commissioners Report
 - 1. Tarpon Update – Dr. Jim Franks / Commissioner Mark Havard
- F. OFFICE OF MARINE PATROL – Chief Keith Davis
 - 1. Report on Citations
- G. OFFICE OF COASTAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT – Jan Boyd
 - 1. Bureau of Wetlands Permitting
 - a. City of Diamondhead – The applicant is seeking an extension to the previously authorized Permit – Permit Extension – Jennifer Wilder - Action
 - 2. a. Grand Bay NRDA and Land Acquisition and Habitat Management Project Overview – Ayesha Gray

- H. OFFICE OF COASTAL RESTORATION AND RESILIENCY – George Ramseur
 - 1. No Presentation this Month
- I. OFFICE OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION
 - 1. FY19 Monthly Report – Shavay Gaines
- J. Directorate
 - 1. Public Affairs – Charmaine Schmermund
- K. OFFICE OF MARINE FISHERIES – Joe Jewell
 - 1. Oyster Task Force Update – Joe Jewell
 - 2. Gear Task Force – Final Adoption of Title 22 Part 5 and Part 8 – Rick Burris
 - 3. Update on the Charter for Hire Task Force Meeting – Carly Somerset
 - 4. Recommendations for Development of a Fish Tagging Program – Wade Hardy
 - 5. Assessment of Species for Consideration for Compliance with Federal Guidelines – Trevor Moncrief
 - 6. CMR Emergency Measures in Response to Environmental Conditions – Legal Counsel
 - 7. Mississippi Red Snapper EFP Update 2019 Season – Trevor Moncrief
 - 8. Oyster Depuration Feasibility Study – Paul Mickle
- L. Other Business
 - 1. Executive Session – pending litigation
- M. Public Comments