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May CMR Meeting to Be Held May 15 at Bolton State Building

BILOXI, Miss. – The Mississippi Commission on Marine Resources (CMR) will hold its May meeting on Tuesday, May 15, 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
May 15, 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 – April 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:
 - 2. Program Status:
 - a) All Items Current
 - 3. Shrimp Season Update – Traci Floyd -- Action
 - 4. Title 22 Part 6 Bait Mullet – Public Hearing Report/Final Adoption – Mike Buchanan – Action
 - 5. State Records – Erick Porche – Action
 - Conventional Tackle:
 - Bonnethead Shark (*Sphyrna tiburo*) – 12 lbs. 11 oz. Michael Fournier Sr.
- H. Coastal Ecology – Jan Boyd
 - 1. Staff Follow-Up Items:
 - a) All Items Current
 - 2. Program Status
 - a) Judy Steckler, Land Trust for the Mississippi Coastal Plan – Bayou Auguste restoration project overview – Non-Action
 - 3. Bureau of Wetlands Permitting
 - a) Boyd Biloxi (formerly Imperial Palace of Mississippi) – The applicant is proposing to construct a temporary bridge to facilitate previously authorized upgrades to the casino barge moorings – Permit Modification – Greg Christodoulou - Action
 - b) Hancock County Board of Supervisors – Expansion of an existing marina – Permit Modification – Ron Cole – Action
 - c) Dr. David P. Hesse – The applicant is seeking after-the-fact authorization to construct a boathouse – Violation/After-the-fact General Permit – Lynn Moore - Action
 - d) John Smith – Keyhole boat slip 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
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 - 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