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MCMR meeting to be held May 20 in Bay St. Louis

BILOXI, Miss. – The Mississippi Commission on Marine Resources will meet at 10 a.m., Tuesday, May 20, in Bay St. Louis.

The meeting will be held at the Hancock County Board of Supervisors' board room, 854 Highway 90, Suite A, Bay St. Louis, Miss.

The building is across the street from Hancock County Medical Center.

The agenda for Tuesday's meeting 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 www.dmr.ms.gov.

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COMMISSION ON MARINE RESOURCES

May 20, 2014 AGENDA

10:00 a.m.

Hancock County Board of Supervisors' Boardroom, 854 Highway 90, Suite A, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

- A. Call to Order
- B. Approval of Minutes Commission Meeting – April 15, 2014 – Action
- C. Approval of Agenda – Chairman – Action
- D. Executive Director's Report
 - 1. Administrative Penalties – Action
 - a. Johnny E. Rea – Cause No. 022114-2
 - b. Trang Thi Huynh, Family Seafood – Cause No. 022114-1
 - c. Harbor Fuel and Bait, Inc., Long Beach Tackle Box, Gulfport Tackle Box and The Tackle Box Too, Justin Roland – Cause No. 012414-1
- E. OFFICE OF MARINE PATROL – Interim Chief Rusty Pittman
 - 1. Report on Citations
- F. OFFICE OF MARINE FISHERIES – Joe Jewell
 - 1. State Records – Erick Porche – Action
 - Conventional Tackle:
 - a. Atlantic Bumper (*Chloroscombrus chrysurus*) 6.03 oz. – Thomas O'Brien
 - 2. Gulf FINFO: Demonstrating Sustainability through Education – Alex Miller
 - 3. Red Snapper Summit Update – Matt Hill – No Action
 - 4. Beverly Martin – Mississippi Hospitality and Restaurant Association
 - 5. Title 22 Part 5: Sunset Clause – Matt Hill – Action
 - 6. Title 22 Part 5: Gill Nets – Final Notice – Joe Jewell – Action
 - 7. Oyster Season Update – Scott Gordon
 - 8. Shrimp Season Update – Rick Burris – Action
- G. OFFICE OF COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT – Jan Boyd
 - 1. Bureau of Wetlands Permitting
 - a. Hancock County Board of Supervisors – The applicant is requesting to modify the length of a previously authorized pier within a marina – Permit Modification – Chris Pickering – Action
 - b. Boyd Gaming – The applicant is requesting to modify an existing permit to extend the time to retain a bridge and moored work barge to facilitate dry dock construction on their casino barge – Permit Modification – Greg Christodoulou – Action
 - c. Dale Gollott – The applicant is requesting to construct additional piers on his property for access and increased recreational opportunity – Exclusion – Greg Christodoulou – Action
 - d. Kevin Courville – The applicant is requesting to retain existing piers and a boathouse and authorization to construct additional structures – Violation/After-the-Fact Permit – Greg Christodoulou – Action
- H. OFFICE OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION

1. FY14 Monthly Report – Bill Feidt

- I. Directorate

1. Public Affairs – Melissa Scallan

- J. Other Business

1. John Marquez, Coastal Conservation Association Mississippi (CCA), Executive Director – Proposed gill net regulations, CMR process for consideration of action items and notification of the public

- K. Public Comments