

NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION

SEPTEMBER 8, 2005

Michigan Technological University
Memorial Union Building
1400 Townsend Drive
Houghton

(Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are open to the public.)

- 1:00 p.m. **NRC POLICY COMMITTEE ON WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES**
1. Fisheries Regulations
 2. NRC Policy Committee on Finance and Administration - Report
- 3:00 p.m. **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**
- 4:30 p.m. **PUBLIC APPEARANCES BEFORE THE NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION:** (The actual order of appearances MAY change and MAY be grouped by subject matter.)

REGULAR MEETING OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION

(The NRC reserves the right to continue this portion of the meeting on the following day.)

I. NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACTION

- A. Approval of Minutes –
August 11, 2005 Natural Resources Commission Meeting
- B. Approval of Natural Resources Commission Meeting Dates for 2006
- C. P. J. Hoffmaster State Park Managed Antlerless Deer Hunts
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- D. Deer Management Assistance Permits (DMAP)
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