



# Natural Resources Commission

## Meeting Agenda

Date: September 14, 2023

Time: 9:30 a.m.

Location: Lansing Community College

West Campus Rooms M119-121

5708 Cornerstone Drive

Lansing, Michigan 48917

### Committee Agendas – 9:30 a.m.

- I. Fisheries Committee
  - a. [Michigan Steelhead Management](#) (*Jay Wesley & Dr. Seth Herbst, Fisheries Division*)
- II. Wildlife Committee
  - a. Michigan United Conservation Clubs Policy Recommendations (*Justin Tomei, MUCC Policy Assistant*)

### Committee of the Whole Agenda – 11:30 a.m.

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Approval of Agenda
- IV. Approval of Minutes
  - a. [August 10, 2023](#)
- V. Director's Report
  - a. [Fisheries Orders](#) (*Dr. Seth Herbst, Fisheries Division*)

**BREAK FOR LUNCH – RETURN AT 1:00 P.M.**

VI. Public Comment – [NRC Public Appearance Guidelines](#)

- a. 5 Minute Comment
  - i. Ray Schmidt – Steelhead Management
  - ii. Brian Pitser, Michigan River Guide Association – Steelhead Limits
- b. 3 Minute Comment
  - i. Rob Steenbergh – Deer Population

VII. New Business

- a. Director Matters – None
- b. Land Transactions
  - i. [Land Exchange](#)  
[Forest Resources Division, Schoolcraft County](#)  
[The Heiden Exchange](#)  
[Land Transaction Case #20220251](#)
  - ii. [Land Exchange](#)  
[Forest Resources Division, Lake County](#)  
[The Selvig Exchange](#)  
[Land Transaction Case #20230046](#)
  - iii. [Sale of Surplus Land](#)  
[Forest Resources Division, Roscommon County](#)  
[Land Transaction Case #20230044](#)
  - iv. [Sale of Surplus Land](#)  
[Forest Resources Division, Marquette County](#)  
[Land Transaction Case #20230047](#)
- c. NRC/Director Orders
  - i. [Fisheries Order 200.23A](#)  
[Inland River and Stream – Trout and Salmon Regulations](#)
  - ii. [Fisheries Order 204.24](#)  
[Spawning Closures](#)
  - iii. [Fisheries Order 252.23](#)  
[Statewide Lake Whitefish, Rount Whitefish, Cisco, Rainbow Smelt and Arctic Grayling Regulations](#)
  - iv. [Fisheries Order 253.24](#)  
[Great Lakes and Connecting Waters – Trout and Salmon Regulations](#)
  - v. [Fisheries Order 254.23A](#)  
[Inland Lakes – Trout and Salmon Regulations](#)

VIII. Old Business

- a. Director Matters – None
- b. NRC/Director Orders
  - i. [Fisheries Order 206.23A](#)  
[Special Fishing Regulations for Warmwater Species on Select Waters](#)
    - [Commissioner Cozad Amendment](#)
  - ii. [Fisheries Order 215.23A](#)  
[Statewide Warmwater Regulations for Largemouth Bass, Smallmouth Bass, Northern Pike, Walleye, Sauger, Muskellunge, Channel Catfish, Flathead Catfish, Yellow Perch, Sunfishes, and White Bass](#)
  - iii. [Fisheries Order 219.23](#)  
[Bow, Spear, and Crossbow Fishing Regulations](#)
  - iv. [Fisheries Order 229.23](#)  
[Netting Regulations](#)
  - v. [Fisheries Order 240.23](#)  
[Sturgeon Regulations](#)

IX. Commissioner Reports

X. Closed Session

XI. Adjournment

## Meeting notes

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