

Natural Resources Commission

Meeting Agenda

Date: February 10, 2022

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Location: Lansing Community College

West Campus Rooms M119-121

5708 Cornerstone Drive

Lansing, Michigan 48917

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Committee Agendas – 9:00 a.m.

- I. [Fisheries Committee](#)
 - a. Committee personnel, goals, and procedures
 - b. Fisheries Order process and schedule for 2022
 - c. Steelhead regulation update and planning
 - d. Saginaw River walleye regulation update
 - e. Fisheries Division comments

- II. Wildlife Committee

Committee of the Whole Agenda – 10:30 a.m.

- I. Call to Order – Chair Carol Moncrieff Rose

- II. Introduction of new Commissioners Mark “David” Anthony and Leslie Love

- III. Roll Call

- IV. Approval of Agenda

- V. Approval of Minutes
 - a. [January 13, 2022](#)

VI. Director's Report

- a. Law Enforcement Division Lifesaving Award – Conservation Officer Holly Pennoni (*Gary Hagler, Chief, Law Enforcement Division*)
- b. Partners in Conservation Award – Dean Hall (*Kristin Phillips, Chief, Marketing and Outreach Division*)
- c. [Wildlife Annual Report and Pure Michigan Hunt Winners Announcement](#) (*Holly Vaughn, Wildlife Division*)
- d. [Furbearer Regulations](#) (*Adam Bump, Wildlife Division*)
- e. [Migratory Game Bird Hunting Seasons and Managed Waterfowl Area Regulations](#) (*Randy Knapik, Wildlife Division*)
- f. [Results of Wolf Public Attitude Survey](#) (*Dr. Shawn Riley, MSU*)
- g. [Legislative Report](#) (*Informational Item*)

12:00 – 1:00 Break for Lunch

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

- a. 5 Minute Comment
 - i. Molly Tamulevich, MI State Director, HSUS – Wolves and Bobcats
 - ii. Jeff Godi, Citizens Waterfowl Advisory Committee – Waterfowl season regulations
- b. 3 Minute Comment
 - i. Erin Stacks – Wildlife rehabilitation
 - ii. Jenny Cook, Michigan Equine Trails – Safe Passing Plan
 - iii. Erik Schnelle, National Deer Association – Making Michigan Deer Hunting Great – Together
 - iv. Mike Thorman – Bears, Furbearers, and Wolves
 - v. Mark Jones – Sandhill Cranes
 - vi. Mary Rosseell Jones – Sandhill Cranes

VIII. New Business

- a. Director's Orders – None
- b. Land Transactions
 - i. [Sale/Release of Public Use Restriction on DNR Conveyed Land Western Upper Peninsula District, Keweenaw County Land Transaction Case #20210051](#)
 - ii. [Acquisition of State Parks and Recreation Land Parks and Recreation Division, Keweenaw County The Faith World Outreach Tract](#)

[Land Transaction Case #20210183](#)

- c. NRC/Director Orders
 - i. [Wildlife Conservation Order Amendment No. 1 of 2022 Furbearer Regulations](#)
 - ii. [Wildlife Conservation Order Amendment No. 2 of 2022 Migratory Game Bird Hunting Seasons and Managed Waterfowl Area Regulations](#)

- IX. Old Business
 - a. Director's Orders
 - i. [Land Use Orders of the Director Amendment No. 1 of 2022 Public Act 288 \(PA 288\) of 2016; Forest Road Inventory Update](#)
 - b. NRC/Director Orders – None

- X. Commissioner Reports

- XI. Closed Session

- XII. Adjournment

Meeting notes

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