

Natural Resources Commission

Meeting Agenda
February 13, 2020
Lansing Community College
Gannon Building-Michigan Room
422 North Washington Square
Lansing, Michigan 48933

9:30 a.m. Michigan State Parks Advisory Committee

1. Opening/Public Comments (*Olson*) 10 min
2. Resolutions of support: (*Jensen*) 60 min
 - a. 02-2020-01: Lime Island State Recreation Area General Management Plan
 - b. 02-2020-02: Porcupine Mountains Wilderness State Park General Management Plan
3. Chief and General Updates (*Olson*) 20 min

11 a.m. NRC Policy Committee on Wildlife and Fisheries

1. Wildlife Division Chief Update (*Kennedy*) 5 min
 - a. Furbearer Regulations (*Bump*) 30 min
 - b. Use of Electronic Trap Monitors for Nuisance Animal Control Business (*Burton*) 10 min

Noon Lunch Break

1 p.m. NRC Committee of the Whole

1. Director's Report
 - a. Budget Update (*Eichinger*) 5 min
 - b. RSS Update (*Weston*) 5 min
2. Legislative Report
3. Committee Reports
 - a. Michigan State Parks Advisory Committee
 - b. NRC Policy Committee on Wildlife and Fisheries

Immediately Following Committee of the Whole –

Public Appearances Before the NRC

Gary Morgan – Bear Hunting Regulations

Paul Rose – Pigeon River Advisory Council Report and Baiting/Feeding

Jim Sweeney, Concerned Sportsmen of Michigan – APR/CWD study

Ian Fitzgerald, MUCC – Furbearer Regulations

Elliot Hubbard – Baiting/Feeding

Millard Holton – Elevated Platform Hunting

Julie Duke, Attorneys for Animals – Wildlife Issues

Melvin Smith – APR/CWD Study

Regular Meeting of the Natural Resources Commission

I. FOR INFORMATION ONLY - NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION

- A. [Furbearer Regulations](#)
Wildlife Conservation Order Amendment No. 1 of 2020
- B. [Use of Electronic Trap Monitors for Nuisance Animal Control Businesses](#)
Wildlife Conservation Order Amendment No. 2 of 2020

II. NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION - ACTION

- A. Approval of Minutes
January 9, 2020 Natural Resources Commission Meeting
- B. [Special Fishing Regulations for Warmwater Species on Select Waters](#)
Fisheries Order 206.20A

III. DIRECTOR – ACTION

- A. [Public Act 288 \(PA 288\) of 2016; Forest Road Inventory Update](#)
Land Use Order of the Director Amendment 2 of 2020
- B. [Free Fishing Licenses Monday, February 17, 2020](#)
Approval to Offer Free Fishing Licenses and
Create a Free Fishing Three-day Weekend

C. Land Transactions

- 1. [Forest Resources Land Acquisition](#)
[Roscommon Management Unit – Roscommon County](#)
[The Liberty Lodge Tract](#)
Land Transaction Case #20190180
- 2. [State Forest Easement Acquisition](#)
[Crystal Falls Management Unit – Iron County](#)
[The Baumler Easement](#)
Land Transaction Case #20190225

IV. OLD BUSINESS

- A. [Statewide Trout, Salmon, Whitefish, Cisco, Grayling, and Smelt Regulations](#)
Fisheries Order 200.20A

(Hold for possible closed session)

V. COMMISSIONER REPORTS

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