

NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION

AGENDA

November 10, 2016

**MSU Diagnostic Center
4125 Beaumont Road, Lansing, MI 48910**

1:00 p.m. NRC Policy Committee on Wildlife and Fisheries

1. Centerfire Firearms for Nighttime Raccoon, Opossum, Fox, and Coyote Hunting
2. Fisheries Update
3. Wildlife Update
 - a. Furbearer Topics for Review
 - b. 2016 Deer Management Plan Update
 - c. Hunter Retention Project Update
 - d. Chinese Delegation

2:00 NRC Committee of the Whole

1. Director's Report
2. Legislative Report
3. Committee Reports
 - a. NRC Policy Committee on Wildlife and Fisheries

Immediately Public Appearances Before the NRC

Following Amy Trotter, Deputy Director, MUCC

Committee Dale Hendershot, Michigan Trapper and Predator Callers Assoc.,

of the Whole Centerfire at Night

Merle Jones, Michigan Predator Hunters for Centerfire at Night, Centerfire at Night

Kevin Rought, Michigan Predator Hunters for Centerfire at Night, Centerfire at Night

Paul Cianciolo/Rob Schultz, Michigan Predator Hunters for Centerfire at Night, Centerfire at Night

REGULAR MEETING OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION

I. FOR INFORMATION ONLY – NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION

- A. Centerfire Firearms for Nighttime Raccoon, Opossum, Fox and Coyote Hunting
Wildlife Conservation Order Amendment No. 11 of 2016
FOR INFORMATION ONLY..... 1-7

II. NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACTION

- A. Approval of Minutes
October 13, 2016 Natural Resources Commission Meeting
- B. Spring Turkey Regulations
Wildlife Conservation Order Amendment No. 10 of 2016..... 8-12

III. FOR INFORMATION ONLY – DIRECTOR

- A. Michigan Deer Management Plan Update 2016
FOR INFORMATION ONLY..... 13-56

IV. DIRECTOR'S ACTION

- A. Land Transactions
 - 1. Sale of Surplus DNR-Managed Land
Gaylord Management Unit – Antrim County
Land Transaction Case #20140225..... 57-60
 - 2. Sale of Surplus DNR-Managed Land
Gaylord Management Unit – Cheboygan County
Land Transaction Case #20150031..... 61-64
 - 3. Sale of Surplus DNR-Managed Land
Musketawa Trail – Muskegon County
Land Transaction Case #20160087..... 65-67
 - 4. State Forest Land Exchange
Gaylord Management Unit – Antrim County
Brighton Recreation Area, Rose Lake District – Livingston County
Boss Investment #2 Exchange
Land Transaction Case #20150085..... 68-71

- 5. Forest Resources Land Acquisition
Atlanta Management Unit – Montmorency County
Rack & Fin Club Parcel
Land Transaction Case #20160150..... 72-74

- 6. Forest Resources Land Acquisition
Gaylord Management Unit – Cheboygan County
Detroit & Mackinaw Railway – Stoney Creek Parcel
Land Transaction Case #20160151..... 75-77

COMMISSIONER REPORTS

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