

NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION

AGENDA

April 13, 2017

**MSU Diagnostic Center for Population and Animal Health
4125 Beaumont Road, Lansing, Michigan 48910**

8:00 a.m. NRC Marketing, Partnership, Youth and Outreach Advisory Committee

1. Salmon in the Classroom Education Program Overview
2. Invasive Carp Challenge Overview
3. Walk Through of Youth Conservation Council

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

1. Blue Ribbon Plan Update
2. Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund Grants
3. Sleepy Hollow State Park General Management Plan
4. Bay City Recreation Area Name Change
5. Recreation Passport Fees – Sold at State Parks
6. General Updates

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

1. Fisheries Division Update
 - a. Fisheries Order 200.17 Lakes Michigan & Huron Lake Trout Regulations
 - b. Lake Trout Rehabilitation
2. Wildlife Division Update
 - a. Sandhill Crane Update
 - b. Certain Rifle Use with Straight-walled Cartridges and Case Length Restrictions in the Limited Firearms Deer Zone
 - c. Hunter Retention Survey Update

2:30 p.m. NRC Committee of the Whole

1. Director's Report
2. Legislative Report
3. Committee Reports
 - a. NRC Marketing, Partnership, Youth and Outreach Advisory Committee
 - b. Michigan State Parks Advisory Committee
 - c. NRC Policy Committee on Wildlife and Fisheries

Immediately Public Appearances Before the NRC

Following Erik Schnelle, President, Michigan QDMA, Antler Point Restrictions (APRs)
Committee Ken Dalton, Bringing Michigan Pheasant Hunters Back to the Fields, Pheasants
of the Chad Brummel, APRs
Whole Mark Klett, Straight-walled Cartridge Law

Amy Trotter, Deputy Director MUCC, Straight-walled Cartridge
Bob Walker, United Sportsmen’s Alliance, APRs and CWD

REGULAR MEETING OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION

I. FOR INFORMATION ONLY – NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION

- A. Statewide Trout, Salmon, Whitefish, Lake Herring and Smelt Regulations
Fisheries Order 200.17
FOR INFORMATION ONLY..... 1-35

- B. Certain Rifle Use with Straight-walled Cartridges and Case Length
Restrictions in the Limited Firearms Deer Zone
Wildlife Conservation Order Amendment No. 3 of 2017
FOR INFORMATION ONLY..... 36-41

II. NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACTION

- A. Approval of Minutes
March 9, 2017 Natural Resources Commission Meeting

III. DIRECTOR’S ACTION

- A. Proposed May 4, 2017 Oil and Gas Lease Auction..... 37-38

- B. Land Transactions
 - 1. Wildlife Land Exchange
Stanton State Game Area – Montcalm County
Sickler Exchange
Land Transaction Case #20120241..... 39-42

 - 2. Forest Resources Land Acquisition
Atlanta Management Unit – Presque Isle County
The Marsh Tract
Land Transaction Case #20160225..... 43-45

COMMISSIONER REPORTS

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