



# COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

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Monty Crump, Chair   Mark Craig, Vice-Chair  
All Wildlife Commissioners

**October 25, 2023**

**3:45 – 5:00 pm**

**Commission Room / Zoom**

**Centennial Campus, Raleigh**

### Welcome/Open Meeting

- **Roll Call** Margo Minkler
- **Permanent Rulemaking Notice of Text – 2024-2025 Annual Cycle Inland Fisheries rules** Christian Waters
- **Permanent Rulemaking Notice of Text – 2024-2025 Annual Cycle Land and Water Access Rules** Daron Barnes
- **Permanent Rulemaking Notice of Text – 2024-2025 Annual Cycle Wildlife Management Rules** Chris Kreh
- **Permanent Rulemaking Notice of Text – 2024-2025 Annual Cycle Administrative Rules** Colonel Ben Meyer
- **Permanent Rulemaking Adoption – 10B .0500 Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Rules** Melva Bonner
- **Permanent Rulemaking Notice of Text – 10A .0500 Declaratory Rulings Rules** Melva Bonner
- **Permanent Rulemaking Notice of Text – 10E Public Fishing and Boating Access Areas Rules** Melva Bonner
- **Property Matters – Hinson Lake Lodge Lease Renewal** Ben Solomon
- **Water Safety Rulemaking** Betsy Haywood
  - **Permanent Rulemaking Final Adoption – 15A NCAC 10F .0333 Mecklenburg and Gaston Counties**
  - **Permanent Rulemaking Technical Correction – 15A NCAC 10F .0310 Dare County**
- **Review Proposed Changes to 15A NCAC 10A .1601 – License Fees** Carrie Ruhlman and Jason Cottle
- **Consider Rate of Transfer from Bond Investment Fund to the Equity Investment Fund for the Endowment Fund** Jason Cottle
- **2024 Wildlife Resources Commission Meeting Schedule** Executive Director Ingram



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- **Recognition of Staff Awards**
  - **2023 Governor’s Awards for Excellence – Safety and Heroism**
    - Sgt. Dustin Durham and Master Officer Charles Vaughn
  - **2023 Governor’s Conservation Achievement Award**
    - **Natural Resources Scientist of the Year** – Travis Wilson
    - **Wildlife Enforcement Officer of the Year** – Master Officer Ryan Biggerstaff
  - **2023 Southeastern Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies Awards**
    - **Fisheries Biologist of the Year** – Doug Besler
- **Closed Session** – Consider motion to go into closed session, pursuant to N.C. General Statute §143-318.11 (a)(3) to consult with agency counsel to preserve attorney-client privilege on ongoing litigation involving Sunday hunting

Executive Director Ingram

Chairman Crump

### Additional Topics

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