

ACTIONS N.C. WILDLIFE RESOURCES COMMISSION

August 26, 2021 9:00 a.m. N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission Webinar Meeting Raleigh, North Carolina

Roll Call of Commissioners – Pursuant to NCGS §166A-19.24 (Public Bodies/Remote Meetings During Declared Emergencies), the roll call of Commissioners attending the webinar meeting was taken.

Approval of July 29, 2021 Meeting Minutes – With an approved amendment to the names of who gave the invocation and pledge of allegiance, The Commission approved the July 29, 2021 Wildlife Resources Commission meeting minutes as written in the exhibit **(EXHIBIT A)**

Phase II Land Acquisition - the Commission approved the acquisition of the Cox Property at Summit Boating Access Area in Halifax County **(EXHIBIT C)**

Other Property Matters – the Commission voted not to approve the Sandhills Game Land Easement Request from Verizon Wireless to purchase two Utility Easements across game land roads to install a cell tower on adjacent property **(EXHIBIT D-1)**, voted not to approve the Clark Easement Request at Pond Mountain Game Land to a private property owner **(EXHIBIT D-2)**, and tabled the Perrigo Easement Request at Needmore Game Land to a private property owner until October's Commission Meeting **(EXHIBIT D-3)**.

Rulemaking Notice of Text – 15A NCAC 10C .0314 – Striped Bass – the Commission approved publishing Notice of Text in the *NC Register* with an open comment period and virtual public hearing for proposed temporary changes to the Striped Bass Rule. (EXHIBIT E)

Rulemaking Notice of Text – 15A NCAC 10H .1601 – Controlled Rabbit Hunting Preserves – the Commission approved publishing Notice of Text in the *NC Register* with an open comment period and virtual public hearing for proposed rules for Controlled Rabbit Hunting Preserves. **(EXHIBITS F-1, F-2)**

Nongame Wildlife Advisory Committee Appointments – the Commission appointed Jared Gray, NC Department of Transportation; J. Edward Corey III, NC State Parks: Lane Sauls, Jr., Ecological Engineering LLP; Bruce White, GFR Forestry Consultants, PLLC; and Dustin Smith, NC Zoo, to the Nongame Wildlife Advisory Committee. (EXHIBIT G)

Adjournment – Chairman Monty Crump adjourned the meeting at 10:02 a.m.