

## ACTIONS N.C. WILDLIFE RESOURCES COMMISSION

## August 23, 2018 N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission Headquarters 1751 Varsity Drive Raleigh, North Carolina

**Ethics Inquiry and Recusal** – Commissioner Monty Crump recused himself from discussion and action on a Phase I property acquisition plan for the High Rock Tract in Davidson, Davie, and Rowan counties. (**Exhibit C-1**)

**Approval of July 12, 2018 Meeting Minutes** – The Commission approved the July 12, 2018 North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission (NCWRC) minutes as written in the exhibit and distributed to members. (**Exhibit A**)

**2018 Thomas L. Quay Wildlife Diversity Award Presentation** – The Commission presented the 2018 Thomas L. Quay Wildlife Diversity Award and a Resolution to Nelson MacRae of Wilmington.

**Commission Action from the Land Use and Access Committee (LUAC)** – The Commission approved a motion to delegate approval of Phase I land acquisitions to the LUAC. Phase II land acquisitions will be brought to the entire Commission for action.

**Commission Action from the Committee of the Whole Meeting** – The Commission approved a motion to change the October 2018 Commission meeting dates. Committee meetings will be held on Tuesday, October 2, 2018. The NCWRC meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 3, 2018.

**Special Presentation** – Dr. David Cobb, *Wildlife Management Division Chief*, presented Allen Boynton, retiring *Wildlife Diversity Program Coordinator*, with an original Duane Raver alligator painting in appreciation of his years of service to the NCWRC.

**Phase I Land Acquisitions** – With Commissioner Monty Crump recused, the Commission gave approval for staff to work with the State Property Office and funding partners to develop an acquisition plan for the High Rock Tract in Davidson, Davie, and Rowan counties. (**Exhibit C-1**) The Commission approved working to develop an acquisition plan for the Hauser Tract in Polk County. (**Exhibit C-2**)

**Phase II Land Acquisitions** – The Commission approved the acquisitions of the Riegel Ridge Tract in Columbus County; Murphy Tract in Pender County; and Warren Tract in Pamlico County. **(Exhibits D-1, D-2, and D-3)** 

**2018-2019 Field Trial Schedule** – The Commission approved the 2018-2019 Running Schedule for the J. Robert Gordon Sandhills Field Trial Area. (**Exhibit E**)

**Final Adoption, 15A NCAC 10F .0325 - Chowan County** – The Commission adopted an amendment to extend the no-wake zone in Pembroke Creek in Edenton, shore to shore from 50 yards north of the W. Queen Street bridge to a line 200 yards southeast of the bridge. (Exhibit F)

**Notice of Text, 15A NCAC 10F .0333 - Mecklenburg and Gaston Counties** – The Commission approved an application from the Lake Wylie Marine Commission to publish Notice of Text in the *NC Register,* hold one public hearing, and open the public comment period for a proposed amendment for a no-wake zone in the vicinity of the Yachtsman Community piers, Terry's Marina, and a beach in the Yachtsman on Lake Wylie community, on Lake Wylie in Mecklenburg County. **(Exhibit G)** 

**Final Adoption – 15A NCAC 10F .0100 – Motorboat Registration** – The Commission adopted amendments to 15A NCAC 10F .0103 - .0107, .0109, and .0110; and readopted 10F .0102 as part of the 2016 Periodic Review of Rules. (Exhibit H)

**Final Adoption – 15A NCAC 10F .0200 – Safety Equipment and Accident Reports –** The Commission adopted amendments to 15A NCAC 10F .0201 and .0202 as part of the 2016 Periodic Review of Rules. (Exhibit I)

**Final Adoption – 15A NCAC 10F .0301 - General Provisions** – The Commission adopted 10F .0301 as part of the 2016 Periodic Review of Rules. (Exhibit J)

**2019 Statewide Public Hearing Schedule** – The Commission approved the January 2019 public hearing schedule for the 2019-2020 Annual Rule Cycle. (**Exhibit L**)

Adjournment – Chairman John Coley adjourned the meeting at 10:23 a.m.