Committee of the Whole

Meeting Agenda
Wednesday, May 6, 2020
3:00 – 4:30 pm
Webinar Meeting

Call to Order – Chairman David Hoyle

Migratory Birds and Waterfowl

- 2020-2021 Webless Migratory Birds, Resident Canada Geese, Extended Falconry, and Waterfowl Seasons – Review U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service frameworks, receive public comments, and select the 2020-2021 season dates and bag limits for webless migratory birds, resident Canada geese, extended falconry, and waterfowl – Brad Howard, Wildlife Management Division Chief (Exhibits C-1, C-2, C-3, C-4)

- 2020 Take of Migrant Peregrine Falcons for Use in Falconry - Consider staff recommendation to establish a season for taking up to 6 migrant peregrine falcons in 2020 – Brad Howard (Exhibit D)

- Consider Staff Recommendation to Notify U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service of Intent to Establish Duck Hunting Zones for the 2021-2025 Seasons – Brad Howard

Update on Wild Turkey Season – Brad Howard

Rulemaking

- Temporary Rulemaking - Bear – 15A NCAC 10B .0202 – Consider request to approve publishing Notice of Text on the OAH website for temporary rule amendment correcting the open season for bear in Camden, Chowan, and Pasquotank counties – Michael Smallwood, JD, Policy Analyst for Rules (Exhibit E)

- Temporary Rulemaking - Controlled Rabbit Hunting Preserves – 15A NCAC 10H .1501 – Review public comments and consider adoption of temporary rule 10H .1501 for the licensing and regulation of controlled rabbit
hunting preserves as provided for in SL 2019-204 – *Michael Smallwood* (Exhibits F-1, F-2)

- **License Fee Rule – 15A NCAC 10A .1601** - Review public comments and consider adoption of 10A .1601 to establish license fees in rule and adjust those fees by the Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers (CPI-U) – *Michael Smallwood* (Exhibits G-1, G-2)

- **Temporary Rulemaking Public Comments and Final Adoption – 15A NCAC 10F .0317 Stanly County** - Review public comments received during the open comment period and from public hearing. Consider adoption of temporary rule for 15A NCAC 10F .0317 for a no-wake zone on Lake Tillery in Stanly County, within 50 yards of the fuel docks at the Boathouse and Marina at 712 Berry Hill Drive in Norwood and a temporary rule for 15A NCAC 10F .0317 for a no-wake zone 85 yards north and 85 yards south of the NC Hwy 24/27/73 James B. Garrison bridge eastbound and westbound spans in Stanly County to mitigate water safety hazards during an NC DOT bridge construction project - *Betsy Haywood, No Wake Zone Coordinator* (EXHIBITS H-1, H-2)

- **Temporary Rulemaking Public Comments and Final Adoption - 15A NCAC 10F .0327 Montgomery County** – Review public comments received during the open comment period and from public hearing. Consider adoption of a temporary rule for 15A NCAC 10F .0327 on Lake Tillery in Montgomery County, 85 yards north and 85 yards south of the NC Hwy 24/27/73 James B. Garrison Bridge eastbound and westbound spans, to mitigate water safety hazards during an NC DOT bridge construction project – *Betsy Haywood* (EXHIBITS I-1, I-2)

- **Temporary Rulemaking Notice of Text – 15A NCAC 10F .0359 Cherokee County** – consider request to publish Notice of Text on the OAH website for a temporary rule amendment to correct coordinates for a no-wake zone within 50 yards of the Harbor Cove Marina, shore to shore, in the Harbor Cove Marina cove on Hiwassee Lake – *Betsy Haywood* (EXHIBIT J)

**Update on Agency Response to COVID-19** – *Gordon Myers, Executive Director*

**Other Business** – *Chairman Hoyle*

**Adjourn**