



**Migratory Birds/Waterfowl Committee**  
**Meeting Summary – July 15, 2015**  
**Commission Room, Raleigh NC**

*Migratory Birds/Waterfowl Committee Chairman* John Coley called the meeting to order at 2:10 pm.

**Attendees**

**Committee Members**

John Coley, Chair  
John Clark  
Tim Spear  
Brian White

Richard Edwards, Vice Chair  
Joe Barker  
Tommy Fonville  
Mark Craig

**Commissioners**

Wes Seegars  
Ray Clifton  
Garry Spence

Tom Berry  
Joe Budd

**Staff**

Gordon Myers  
Betsy Haywood  
Allen Boynton  
Lisa Hocutt  
David Cobb  
Philip Lucas  
Doug Howell  
Scott Anderson

Mallory Martin  
Isaac Harrold  
Margaret Martin  
Kate Pipkin  
Cameron Ingram  
Erik Christofferson  
David Sawyer

**Visitor**

Ned Jones – NC Trout Unlimited

**Discussion of 2015-2016 Webless Migratory Gamebird and Early Waterfowl Season Options**

Dr. David Cobb reviewed the exhibits for selection of 2015-2016 seasons and bag limits for webless migratory game birds, resident Canada geese and falconry. Cobb noted that expanded hunting methods are allowed only west of U.S. Highway 17.

Cobb noted that the September teal season is different. At the request of hunters, teal season will open September 12, a different day than opening of dove season.

Cobb also reviewed **Exhibit D-4**, extended falconry seasons for webless migratory birds. The Commission will discuss adoption of the seasons at the July 16 meeting.

**Adjourn**

Chairman John Coley adjourned the meeting at 2:20 pm.