

MISSISSIPPI ADVISORY COMMISSION ON MARINE RESOURCES

Tuesday, February 20, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.

Bolton Building Auditorium

1141 Bayview Avenue, Biloxi, MS 39530

- A. Call to Order
 - 1. Pledge of Allegiance
 - 2. Moment of Silence
- B. Approval of Minutes
 - 1. Approval of Minutes – January 23, 2024 – Chairman – Action
- C. Approval of Agenda – Chairman
- D. Executive Director’s Report – Joe Spraggins
 - 1. Employment, Contracts and Procurement Updates
 - 2. Agency Update
 - 3. Actions Update from Prior Meeting
- E. Commissioners Report
- F. OFFICE OF MARINE PATROL – Chief Kyle Wilkerson
 - 1. Report on Citations
- G. OFFICE OF COASTAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT – Jennifer Wittmann
 - 1. Bureau of Wetlands Permitting
 - a. Jackson County Port Authority – The applicant is proposing to fill 3.27 acres of Coastal Wetlands and tidally-influenced marsh for the construction of a rail line adjacent to the Escatawpa River in Moss Point, Jackson County – Certificate of Exclusion – Alyssa Timbs
 - b. Mississippi Department of Marine Resources – The applicant is requesting authorization for the construction of a site for the beneficial use of dredged material near the mouth of the West Pascagoula River in Jackson County – Permit – Katie Nelson
- H. OFFICE OF COASTAL RESTORATION AND RESILIENCY – Rhonda Price
 - 1. No Presentation this Month
- I. OFFICE OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION – Leslie Brewer
 - 1. FY24 Monthly Report – Leslie Brewer

- J. Directorate
 - 1. Public Affairs – Charmaine Schmermund
- K. OFFICE OF MARINE FISHERIES – Traci Floyd
 - 1. State Saltwater Finfish Record – Trevor Moncrief
 - a. Conventional Tackle:
 - 1. Red Grouper (*Epinephelus morio*) – 22 lbs. 12 oz. – Ron McMillan
- L. Grand Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve – Ayesha Gray
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- M. Other Business
- N. Public Comments