

ACTIONS N.C. WILDLIFE RESOURCES COMMISSION

July 29, 2021 9:00 a.m. N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission Meeting Raleigh, North Carolina

Approval of June 9, 2021 Wildlife Resources Commission (NCWRC) Meeting Minutes – the Commission approved the June 9, 2021 NCWRC minutes as written in the exhibit. (Exhibit A)

Adoption Of North Carolina Wildlife Resources Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Response Plan – the Commission adopted the revised North Carolina Wildlife Resources Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Response Plan (Exhibit C).

Motion from Committee of the Whole – on a motion from the Committee of the Whole the Commission adopted a Resolution on Recovering America's Wildlife Act (RAWA).

Phase II Land Acquisitions – the Commission approved the acquisition of the Hawkins Tract in Caldwell County (**Exhibit D-1**), the acquisition of the Handy Tract in Alleghany County (**Exhibit D-2**), the acquisition of the Three Top Tract in Ashe County (**Exhibit D-3**)

Other Property Matters – the Commission approved a staff request to donate the house and 1.28-acre lot a Texas Plantation Game Land to Tyrrell County to refurbish, repurpose and maintain the house and property (Exhibit E-1), a Temporary Construction Easement and Permanent Utility Easement to Fayetteville Public Works Commission near Lake Rim in Cumberland County (Exhibit E-2), tabled a permanent right-of-way easement request at Needmore Game Land to a private property owner until a before and after appraisal is performed and the potential easement value is brought back to the Land Acquisition and Property Committee for further discussion (Exhibit E-3), and voted in favor of placing an informational kiosk located on the Sandy Mush Game Land as well as a story in Wildlife in North Carolina magazine detailing significant contributions of Mr. Forrest Jarrett and Mr. Gene Hartman in lieu of renaming the Sandy Mush Game Lands after them (Exhibit E-4).

Rulemaking Notice of Text – 15A NCAC 10B – Hunting and Trapping— the Commission approved publishing Notice of Text in the *NC Register* with a public hearing and open comment period, for proposed technical changes and readoption of rules – (Exhibit F)

Rulemaking Notice of Text – 15A NCAC 10C – Inland Fishing Regulations – the Commission approved publishing Notice of Text in the *NC Register* with a public hearing and open comment period, for proposed technical changes and readoption of rules – (Exhibit G)

Adoption – 15A NCAC 10I – Endangered and Threatened Species – the Commission reviewed public comments and adopted amendments to 15A NCAC (EXHIBITS H-1, H-2).

Adoption – 15A NCAC 10C – Inland Fishing Regulations – the Commission reviewed public comments and adopted rules for Game Fish, Primary Nursery Areas, and Anadromous Fish Spawning Area (**EXHIBITS I-1, I-2**).

Adoption – 15A NCAC 10F .0329 – Rowan County – the Commission reviewed public comments and adoption of an extension of the no-wake zone at Tamarac Shores Marina on High Rock Lake (EXHIBITS J-1, J-2)

Adoption – 15A NCAC 10F .0317 – Stanly County – the Commission reviewed public comments and adoption of an extension of the no-wake zone within 50 yards of the railroad trestle on Badin Lake (EXHIBITS K-1, K-2)

Adoption – 15A NCAC 10F .0327 – Montgomery County – the Commission reviewed public comments and adoption of an extension of the no-wake zone within 50 yards of the Old North State Marina fuel dock (EXHIBITS L-1, L-2)

Election of Officers – the Wildlife Resources Commission elected Commissioner Monty Crump as Chairman and Commissioner Tommy Fonville as Vice Chairman for a term of two years or until their successors are elected and qualified pursuant to NCGS §143-243.

Adjournment – Chairman David Hoyle, Jr. adjourned the meeting at 10:33 a.m.