

Joint LEC/LETC Virtual Meeting

Wednesday, March 15, 2023

9:00 am – 3:00 pm EDT

CLOSED SESSION

9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

1. Introductions – *N. Pearce (Chair)/L. Casterline (Vice-Chair)*
2. Approval of Minutes (October 2022 – closed session) – *Pearce and Casterline*
3. Rank Nominations for the 2022 Law Enforcement Officer/Team of the Year Award - All

GENERAL SESSION

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

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1. Introductions and Adoption of Agenda – *Pearce and Casterline*
2. Approval of Minutes (October 2022 – general session) – *Pearce and Casterline*

Gulf Council LETC Items

3. SEFHIER Program Update – *Lasseter*
 - i. ~~Modification of For hire Vessel Trip Declaration Requirements~~
4. Potential Changes to Reef Fish Harvest Restrictions – *Lasseter*
 - i. Gray Triggerfish Commercial Trip Limit
 - ii. Greater Amberjack Management Measures
 - iii. Gag Grouper Recreational Fishing Season
5. Council SOPPs regarding fishing violations (update) – *Lasseter*

GSMFC LEC Items

6. IJF Program Activity - VanderKooy
 - a. Mangrove Snapper Profile Preparations
 - b. Commission Pubs
7. State Report Highlights - *All*
 - a. Florida
 - b. Alabama
 - c. Mississippi
 - d. Louisiana
 - e. Texas
 - f. USCG
 - g. NOAA OLE

- h. USFWS
- 8. Other Business

Adjourn

Written state reports are requested in advance and only highlights will be presented for time purposes during state reporting item.

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