



Habitat Resources Priority Issue Team Mid-Year Meeting Agendas

Registration:

Nov. 6: <https://us06web.zoom.us/join/91175267911?pwd=ZlZkd0pD0iH9FaX0pV8VR6M-Sc06Ux9gxH>

Nov 12: <https://us06web.zoom.us/join/91175267911?pwd=ZlZkd0pD0iH9FaX0pV8VR6M-Sc06Ux9gxH>

November 6, 2024 – 2:00- 4:00pm

Time	Topic/Speaker
2:05 – 2:10 pm	Welcome to the Habitat Resources Priority Issue Team (HRT) Mid-year Meeting #1, and Review of the Overall Meeting Agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>James Pahl, HRT Chair</i> <i>Louisiana Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority (CPRA)</i> • <i>Lauren Pourciau, HRT Coordinator, CPRA</i>
2:10 – 2:25 pm	Review of the History and Structure of the HRT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>James Pahl, CPRA</i>
2:25 – 2:30 pm	Perspectives from a Retiring Steering Committee Member <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Rusty Swafford, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration</i>
2:30 – 2:40 pm	Overview of the <i>Summary of Team-related Activities Pursuant to the Goals of Governors’ Action Plan 4 (Tier 2)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>James Pahl, CPRA</i>
2:40 – 2:45 pm	Upcoming Events and Next Steps for the HRT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>James Pahl, CPRA</i>
2:45 – 3:00 pm	Questions & Answers, Open Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>James Pahl and Lauren Pourciau</i>
Regional Sediment Management Focal Area	
3:00 – 3:05 pm	Welcome to the Regional Sediment Management (RSM) Focal Area Discussion and Review of the RSM Working Group Agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Jared Harris, Mississippi Department of Marine Resources</i> • <i>Laurel Reichold, US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE)</i>
3:05 – 3:15 pm	Overview of the RSM Information in the HRT’s Tier 2 Document <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Jared Harris</i>
3:15 – 3:25 pm	Ongoing Project Update: Cost/benefit Sediment Case-study Analysis <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Soupy Dalyander, The Water Institute</i>
3:25 – 3:35 pm	US Army Corps Regional Sediment Management Initiatives in the Gulf <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Laurel Reichold</i>
3:35 – 3:45 pm	Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM)-related RSM Initiatives in the Gulf <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) New HRT Project Discussion: Gulf-wide Sediment Inventory Project 2) Update on Ongoing GOMA-BOEM Coordination <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>TBD</i>
3:45 – 4:00 pm	Questions & Answers, Open Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Jared Harris and Laurel Reichold</i>



November 12, 2024 – 9:00- 11:00am

Time	Topic/Speaker
Living Shorelines Focal Area	
9:05 – 9:10 am	Welcome to the Living Shorelines (LS) Focal Area Discussion and Review of the LS Working Group Meeting Agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>René Baumstark, Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission</i> • <i>Matt Chasse, NOAA</i>
9:10 – 9:20 am	Overview of the LS Information in the HRT’s Tier 2 Document <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>René Baumstark</i>
9:20 – 9:30 am	Potential Project Presentation: Assessing the Impact of Neighboring Shoreline Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Eric Sparks, Mississippi-Alabama Sea Grant</i>
9:30 – 9:40 am	Potential Project Presentation: Investigation of seagrass role in wave dissipation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Becky Prado, Moffat & Nichol</i>
9:40 – 9:50 am	Florida Restoration Guide – A Living Shorelines Meta-analysis and State-wide Site Suitability Model <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>TBD</i>
9:50 – 10:00 am	Questions & Answers, Open Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>René Baumstark and Matt Chasse</i>
Habitat Assessment Focal Area	
10:00 – 10:05 am	Welcome to the Habitat Assessment (HA) Focal Area Discussion and Review of the LS Working Group Meeting Agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Evan Pettis, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department</i> • <i>Robin McCall, US Environmental Protection Agency</i>
10:05 – 10:15 am	Overview of the HA Information in the HRT’s Tier 2 Document <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Evan Pettis</i>
10:15 – 10:25 am	Ongoing Project Update: Management Challenges in Response to Tropicalization of Gulf Coast Habitats Web Series <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>TBD</i>
10:15 – 10:25 am	Ongoing Project Update: Gulf Coast Oyster Habitat Status and Trends <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>David Buzan, Freese and Nichols</i>
10:35 – 10:45 am	Ongoing Project Update: Planning for a 2030 Gulf Coast Seagrass Status and Trends <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Larry Handley and/or Catherine Lockwood, CNL World</i>
10:45 – 10:55 am	Questions & Answers, Open Discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Evan Pettis and Robin McCall</i>
10:55 – 11:00 am	Review of Upcoming Events and Next Steps for the HRT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>James Pahl, CPRA</i>