DRAFT Agenda

The agenda items and order may be changed at the discretion of the chair

NJ Endangered and Nongame Species Advisory Committee

Friday, April 20, 2018 -- 10:00 a.m.

Location:

Fourth Floor Large Conference Room Station Plaza 5 501 E. State St., Trenton, NJ 08625

GENERAL 10:00 – 10:30 AM

- 1. Call to order
- 2. Public notice
- 3. Introductions
- 4. Approval of minutes of 11/15/2017 and 1/31/2018 meetings
- 5. Status of action items.
- 6. Director's Report (Larry Herrighty or designee)
- 7. Legislative report (Paulette Nelson or designee)

PUBLIC INPUT 10:30 – 10:40 am (limit to 5 min/person)*

UPDATES (old business) 10:40 – 11:10 am

- Status of appointments/re-appointments
- Update on revisions to Wildlife Action Plan based on public review and schedule for final submission
- Recovering America's Wildlife Act
- Check-in re. compliance with Ethics Commission requirements.

NEW BUSINESS

- Bird species status assessment (Delphi) -- review of reports and recommendations for no-consensus species.
- Issues raised by status assessment results -- need to consider "experimental population" and/or "safe harbor" provisions in regulations

^{*}The Chairperson will provide opportunity for interested members of the public to provide input to discussions on all agenda items when appropriate as discussions proceed. This specific Public Comment agenda item is meant to provide an opportunity for the public to speak to concerns regarding endangered and nongame wildlife conservation that may not be on the meeting agenda. The Chairperson may limit the length of public comment as needed to allow for completion of the rest of the meeting agenda.