

AGENDA

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

NJ FISH AND GAME COUNCIL TELEPHONIC MEETING

February 8, 2022, 10:00 a.m.

Call to Order

Public Announcement:

Roll Call: Phil Brodhecker, Joe DeMartino, Jim DeStephano, Dr. Rick Lathrop, Ed Kertz, Rob Pollock, Robert Puskas, Loren Robinson, Ken Whildin, and Frank Virgilio

Approval of Minutes from the December 14, 2021 meeting. The January 2022 meeting was cancelled.

Chairman's Comments

Director Dave Golden's Comments

****Public Comment Period on Agenda Items:**

Council Reports:

1. Agriculture: Brodhecker, Kertz, Puskas
2. Sebastian Reist, DVM
3. Farmer/Sportsman Relations: Brodhecker
4. NJ State Federation of Sportsman's Clubs: DeMartino, DeStephano, Robinson, Whildin, Virgilio
5. Finance Committee: Robinson
6. Fish Committee: Pollock
7. Game Committee: Virgilio
8. Endangered & Non-Game Species Advisory Committee: Lathrop
9. Waterfowl Stamp Advisory Committee: DeMartino
10. Wildlife Rehabilitators Advisory Committee: DeStephano
11. Public Member Comments: Pollock
12. Legislative Update: Mary Monteschio

Division Reports:

1. Central Services: Ginger Kopkash, Assistant Director
2. Freshwater Fisheries: Shawn Crouse, Chief
3. Information and Education: Al Ivany, Chief

4. Land Management: Jason Hearon, Chief
5. Law Enforcement: Frank Panico, Acting Chief
6. Wildlife Management: Carole Stanko, Chief
7. Endangered and Nongame Species: John Heilferty, Chief

Old Business:

- Norvin Green Forest (cover under Wildlife Mgmt. Bureau Update)
- Hunting Digest Stakeholder Update
- Greenwood Lake Update
- Black Bear Education Marketing Campaign (non-lethal measures)
- Community Based Deer Management Plan - Mercer

Executive Session 12 pm – 1pm

New Business:

Diversity Initiative

Pheasant/Quail Survey

**2022 Spring Trout Stocking

** Public Comment Period on 2022 Spring Trout Stocking **

License Restoration (2)

Public Comment

Adjournment

Next Meeting: March 8, 2022, 10:00 a.m. Meeting type TBD.