

**PUBLIC OYSTER SEED GROUND VESSEL PERMIT APPEALS BOARD**

**MINUTES**

**September 27, 2016**

**JAKOV JURISIC**

**CHAIRMAN**

**NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA**

The following constitute minutes of the Public Oyster Seed Ground Vessel Permit Appeals  
Board Meeting

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September 27, 2016 – 10:00 A.M.  
2ND FLOOR CONFERENCE ROOM  
LDWF OFFICE IN THE UNO ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY BUILDING  
2021 LAKESHORE DRIVE, NEW ORLEANS, LA 70122

Meeting called to order by Chairman Jakov Jurisic at approximately 10:01am.

AGENDA

I. Roll Call

- Shane Bagala – Present
- Wilbert Collins – Present
- Buddy Daisy – Absent
- Dan Coulon – Present
- Byron Encalade – Present
- Jakov Jurisic – Present
- Brad Robin – Present
- Sam Slavich – Present
- Peter Vujnovich, Jr. – Present

Quorum present.

II. Approval of Minutes from Meeting of August 23, 2016

- Vujnovich – Motion to Approve
  - Coulon – Seconded
  - MOTION CARRIED (unanimous)

III. Hearing of Deferred Renewal Permit Appeals

1. Randy Chaisson (attending)

- Ty Lindsey, Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries (LDWF) Biologist, told the Board that Chaisson had been deferred at the previous meeting due to car trouble. He explained that Chaisson claimed his boat sank and was unable to work and was not able to pay taxes, which is why LDWF was unable to renew his permit.
- Jurisich asked Chaisson if he had any receipts, documents, etc. that could show boat repairs.
  - Chaisson said he did not.
- Robin told Chaisson to take pictures of the boat and get receipts.
- Encalade said he would be willing to arrange with Chaisson to view the boat and report back to the Board.
- Slavich – Motion to defer appeal pending proof of boat recovery
  - Robin – Seconded
  - MOTION CARRIED (unanimous)

- IV. Update on Recommendation Made at August 23, 2016 Meeting
    - Lindsey reported the Board made a recommendation for a renewal permit for one appellant at its August 23, 2016 meeting and that Secretary Melancon agreed with the recommendation and that the appellant had been issued his permit.
  
  - V. Receive public comments
    - None received.
  
  - VI. Set next meeting date
    - Coulan – Motion to set next meeting date in conjunction with the next OTF meeting.\*
      - Encalade – Seconded
      - MOTION CARRIED (unanimous)
  
  - VII. Adjournment
    - Vujnovich – Motion to Adjourn
      - Coulan – Seconded
      - MOTION CARRIED (unanimous)
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Meeting adjourned at approximately 10:21am; Duration of Meeting: approximately 20 min.

Minutes drafted by Ty Lindsey, LDWF Biologist

\*The OTF met later the same day as scheduled and set Monday, November 7, 2016 as their next meeting date to be held in New Orleans, Louisiana. Therefore, the next Public Oyster Seed Ground Vessel Permit Appeals Board meeting will be scheduled for Monday, November 7, 2016 in New Orleans, Louisiana. A meeting time will be determined by Chairman Jurisich after consultation with the OTF Legislative Committee, which intends to meet the same day.