**Louisiana Oyster Task Force Meeting**

**Mitch Jurisich, Chairman**

**Tuesday, April 16, 2019, 1 p.m.**

**East Bank Regional Library Meeting Room**

**4747 W Napoleon Ave, Metairie, LA 70001**

1. **Pledge of Allegiance**
2. **Roll call and introduction of guests**
3. **Approval of February 26, 2019 Minutes and April 16, 2019 Agenda**
4. **Treasury Report**

A.      LOTF Financial Report & Oyster Tag Sales

1. **Committee Reports**
2. Public and Private Oyster Grounds Committee (Mitch Jurisich)
3. Enforcement (Major Edward Skena)
4. Legislative (Jakov Jurisic)
5. Research (Earl Melancon)
6. Coastal Restoration (Dan Coulon)
7. Marketing (LDWF)
8. Health (Justin Gremillion)
9. Professionalism (LDWF)
10. Aquaculture (Steve Pollock)
11. Joint Task Force Working Group (Mitch Jurisich)
12. **New Business**
13. To Hear an Update on the 2018-2019 Oyster Season- LDWF
14. To Hear an Update on the Oyster Lease Moratorium Lifting NOI- OTF/ LDWF
15. Discussion of FDA/LDH Proposals for Increased Surveillance of AOC Water Quality- OTF
16. To Hear an Update on Levels of Oyster Cultch Material Removed when Harvesting Seed Oysters from Public Oyster Beds- OTF
17. **Public Comment**
18. **Set Next Meeting**
19. **Adjourn**

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