**Louisiana Oyster Task Force Meeting**

**John Tesvich, Chairman**

**Tuesday, May 30, 2017, 1 p.m.**

**2021 Lakeshore Dr., STE 210**

**New Orleans, LA 70122**

1. **Roll call and introduction of guests**
2. **Approval of April 18, 2017 Meeting Minutes and May 30, 2017 Agenda**
3. **Treasury Report**

A.      Oyster Tag Sales

B.      LOTF Financial Report

1. **Committee Reports**
2. Public and Private Oyster Grounds Committee (Mitch Jurisich)

B.      Enforcement (Captain Chad Hebert)

C.      Legislative (Jakov Jurisic)

D.     Research (Earl Melancon)

E.      Coastal Restoration (Dan Coulon)

F.      Marketing (LDWF)

G.      Health (Lance Broussard)

H.     Sustainability (LDWF)

I.        Professionalism (LDWF)

J. Aquaculture (John Supan)

 k. Joint Task Force Working Group (Mitch Jurisich)

1. **New Business**
2. To Hear a Presentation on the Public Oyster Seed Grounds 2016/2017 Season Summary and Supplemental Information- LDWF Staff
3. To Hear an Update on the Mid-Barataria Sediment Diversion Project- Seth Irby
4. Discussion on the Gulf of Mexico Shellfish Initiative- Beth Walton
5. To Consider a Resolution for the State’s Continued Work on the Gulf Hypoxia Issue- Doug Daigle
6. To Consider Funding to Close the Bohemia Salinity Control Structure- OTF
7. **Public Comment**
8. **Set Next Meeting**
9. **Adjourn**

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