

WEEKLY UPDATE: 11/10/2017
NORTH CAROLINA FISHERIES ASSOCIATION
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MARINE FISHERIES COMMISSION

Meeting set for November 15 & 16 in Kitty Hawk

Latest word is that the Commission appointments WILL NOT be made prior to the MFC meeting next week in Kitty Hawk! There are 3 seats up for consideration: Commercial industry seat held by Sammy Corbett; Science seat held by Mike Wicker; Recreational industry seat that was held by Joe Shute. Joe had indicated he was not interested in reappointment.

The following seats expire next June: Recreational fisherman, Rick Smith; Commercial fisherman, Janet Rose; and At-Large seat, Mark Gorges.

The meeting will be at the Hilton Garden Inn in Kitty Hawk, and will begin at 2:00pm Nov. 15th and 8:30am on Nov. 16th. Public comment will be held at 6:00pm on the 15th and members of the public may speak to the Commission on any fisheries-related topic. The chairman will allow each speaker to comment for up to 3 minutes and no other public comment time is scheduled. Deadline for submitting written comments, including email, to the Commission through DMF is 8:00am on Monday the 13th.

Those who wish to give handouts to the MFC should bring at least 12 copies.

The public may listen to the meeting on the internet but it's based upon a maximum of 200 participants on a first-come basis. Directions can be found [here](#).

A full meeting agenda and briefing book materials can be found [here](#).

NCFA BOARD MEETING on NOVEMBER 27th:

NCFA Board will meet on Monday, November 27th at Noon at the Civic Center in Washington, NC. This will be a November/December meeting.

CALENDAR

Nov 13-14; ASMFC Menhaden Management Board: BWI Marriott at Baltimore
Nov 15-16; NC Marine Fisheries Commission; Kitty Hawk
Nov 27; Noon; NCFA Board of Directors; Civic Center; Washington, NC
Dec 4 – 8; South Atlantic Council; Doubletree; Atlantic Beach, NC
Dec 11 – 14; Mid Atlantic Council; Westin Annapolis; Annapolis, MD
