



Mobile Bay National Estuary Program Community Action Committee Meeting

Five Rivers Delta Center
Thursday, October 17, 2013 at 10:30

Agenda

1. Welcome
2. Approval of minutes
3. Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, Threats
4. Recommended Actions
5. Five year strategy
6. Alabama Water Watch Training
7. Next meeting
8. Adjourn



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Minutes

Attendance:

Ray Mayhall, Fowl River Area Civic Association
Harold White, Fowl River Area Civic Association
Casi Callaway, Mobile Baykeeper
Leslie Gahagan, Wolf Bay Watershed
Ellen Leslie, Town of Perdido Beach
Lloyd Culp, Friends of Bon Secour National Refuge Association
David Dueitt, Lake Forest Improvement Committee
Larry Freeman, Bon Secour River Protection Association
Dennis Hatfield, Little Lagoon Preservation Society

MBNEP Staff: Roberta Swann, Christian Miller, Kelley Barfoot

1. Call to order

CAC Chair Casi Callaway called the meeting to order at 10:40 a.m.

2. Welcome and introductions

Ms. Callaway welcomed attendees and asked for each to introduce themselves to the group.

3. Approval of minutes

Mr. Lloyd Culp motioned for approval of minutes from September 26, 2013 meeting.

Mr. Ray Mayhall second.

4. Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Threats

Ms. Leslie Gahagan gave an overview of a SWOT and asked the group to give a short overview of the SWOT for their area. She gave an example that a strength would be an established and active volunteer monitoring program or a developed watershed management plan.

See table for complete analysis

The group stated particular problems of concern are trash, coast line protection, land acquisition, erosion, habitat loss, hydrology connections, water impairments, restoration, sustainability and stormwater flooding.

5. Five year strategy

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Mr. Christian Miller updated the group regarding and upcoming Alabama Water Watch Training that will be held January 17th and 18th at Five Rivers Delta Center.

Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 1:30 p.m.