

Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

Fish and Wildlife Commission

MEETING via Web Conference Agenda Watch on TVW

WHEN: Friday, April 9, 2021 – 8:30 A.M.

WHAT:

A. ESHB 1261 Mineral Prospecting – Decision

Staff will ask for a decision on the Hydraulic Code rule proposal to implement ESHB 1261.

Staff Report: Margen Carlson, Habitat Director and Theresa Nation, Environmental Planner

B. Petition - Hoh River - Decision

Staff will brief the Commission on a petition and ask for a decision on the repeal of regulation WAC 220-312-020 section (41)(e)(iii) which prohibits fishing from floating devices on the Hoh River above Morgan's Crossing.

Staff Report: James Losee, Region 6, Fish Program Manager

C. <u>Hatchery Policy (C-3619) Review – Decision</u>

The Commission will discuss and take action on the Anadromous Salmon and Steelhead Hatchery Policy C-3624, this would supersede Commission Policy C-3619.

Staff Report: Ron Warren, Director of Fish Policy and Kenneth Warheit Supervisor, Genetic and Fish Health Laboratories

D. 3- Year Season Setting Rules - Decision

Staff will ask the Commission for a decision on rule changes and updates regarding 3-year hunting season rules.

Staff Report: Anis Aoude, Game Division Manager and Brock Hoenes, Ungulate Section Manager, Game Division

E. Future Meeting Planning

The Commission will discuss the upcoming meeting agendas and review an updated Year-at-a-Glance.

F. General Discussion

Commissioners and the Director will discuss recent activities and items of interest.

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Donald McIsaac, Ph.D., Hockinson

(Western Washington Position, Clark County)

Occupation: Retired Executive Director of the Pacific Fishery Management Council; Part-time Consultant

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