NC Coastal Resources Advisory Council November 19, 2019 Islander Hotel Emerald Isle, NC Meeting Summary

Attendance

Greg "rudi" Rudolph (Chair) Spencer Rogers (Co-Vice Chair)

Bobby Outten (Co-Vice Chair)

Daniel Grim

Mike Moore

Todd Roessler

David Moye

Debbie Smith

Dave Weaver

Rhett White

Call to Order

Rudi Rudolph called the meeting to order with 12 members in attendance.

Placement of Fill Material Seaward of Setback Line

DCM staff discussed 15A NCAC 07H .0309 Exceptions within the Ocean Hazard Areas and that currently the rule does not allow for external fill to be placed seaward of the Setback Line. Staff explained that the rule does allow for fill to be placed for parking areas that consists of clay, packed sand or gravel. DCM staff asked the CRAC for their thoughts regarding allowing fill seaward of the setback line for minor grading and leveling purposes. The CRAC discussed this issue and in general believed that external fill should be allowed for grading pending material compatibility. The CRAC requested DCM staff to further investigate this issue with possible rule amendments to allow external compatible fill material to be allowed seaward of the setback line.

USACE Easement Requirements for Dredged Material Placement on State Property

CRAC briefly discussed the USACE's recent requirement for easements from Towns for placing dredged material on state property. The CRAC recommended that a meeting with the USACE was needed to clarify this issue.

Ad Hoc Building Committee

Spencer Rogers discussed the need to look at CAMA deck, piling and other construction rules that might somehow be in conflict with the NC Building Codes or local flood standards. The CRAC agreed to create and Ad Hoc Building Committee to investigate this issue.

Adjourn

With no further business the Council adjourned and joined the CRC meeting.