

**North Carolina Marine Fisheries Commission**  
**Nov. 16-18, 2016 Meeting**  
**Motions**

Motion by Chuck Laughridge to approve the agenda. Second by Joe Shute.  
Approved with no opposition.

The minutes from the August meeting were approved by consensus.

**Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council Nomination**

Motion by Alison Willis to forward the names of Dewey Hemilright, Chris Hickman, Jeff Oden and Brent Fulcher to the Governor's Office for consideration for nominees to the Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council obligatory seat. Second by Joe Shute.

Motion carries 7-1.

**Standard Commercial Fishing License Recommendations**

Motion by Chuck Laughridge to send a letter from the full commission, the same as the Oct. 7 letter to Rep. Jimmy Dixon, regarding Standard Commercial Fishing License criteria. Second by Alison Willis.

Motion carries 6-1.

**Martins Point Conflict Resolution**

Motion by Alison Willis to authorize the issuance of a proclamation by prohibiting gill nets within 200 feet of Mr. Leigh Forbes' dock to address a user conflict and to authorize further proclamations prohibiting gill nets in a 2 ½-mile area of southern Currituck Sound Joint Waters from Martins Point, running south along the shoreline to Wright Memorial Bridge to address user conflicts. Second by Janet Rose.

Motion carries 6-0 with one abstention.

Substitute motion by Chuck Laughridge to adopt the draft proclamation as provided by the division. Motion fails for lack of second.

**Central Southern Stripes Bass**

Motion by Chuck Laughridge to postpone discussion on Central Southern Striped Bass to the February commission meeting with the intent for possible action on a proclamation or request for a supplement. Second by Rick Smith.

Motion carries 5-1 with one abstention.