Coastal Habitat Protection Plan – Wetland Technical Virtual Workshop

Coastal Wetland Mapping and Monitoring

Date: Wednesday, August 19 **Time:** 9:30am – 12:00pm

Location, Webex:

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Workshop Goal: Identify impediments to mapping and monitoring of North Carolina's coastal wetland resources and develop recommendations to support coastal wetland conservation and enhancement.

Workshop Objectives - Participants will:

- Discuss efforts to develop a comprehensive synthesis of wetland mapping and monitoring efforts in North Carolina;
- Identify shortcomings of current mapping and monitoring efforts and help rank their relative importance; and
- Discuss strategies to address high priority wetland mapping and monitoring needs.

Agenda

9:20am	Log into Webex
9:30am	Welcome & Introductions
9:40am	Overview of CHPP update process – Jimmy Johnson, Albemarle Pamlico National Estuary Partnership
9:50am	State-wide coastal wetland monitoring efforts – Ken Richardson, N.C. Division of Coastal Management
10:15am	Emerging wetland sensing technologies and approaches – Justin Ridge, Marine Robotics and Remote Sensing Lab at Duke University Marine Lab
10:40am	Summary of pre-workshop survey questions & discussion – Curt Weychert, N.C. Division of Coastal Management
11:00am	Quick Break
11:05am	Polling & Discussion – Shortcomings of current coastal wetland mapping and monitoring efforts
11:20am	Polling & Discussion – Strategies to address mapping shortcomings
12:00pm	Adjourn