

**APNEP Scientific and Technical Advisory Committee
Quarterly Meeting Agenda
April 30, 2007
Pitt County Office Complex, 403 Government Circle, Greenville, NC**

- 10:00 a.m. Call to Order..... White**
Nancy White, STAC Co-Chair, will call the meeting to order.
- Welcome
 - Approval of winter meeting minutes
- 10:15 a.m. APNEP UpdateCarpenter**
Dean Carpenter, APNEP Science Coordinator, will update the Committee on APNEP activities since the winter meeting.
- 10:30 a.m. Prioritization of Technical Issues..... Carpenter**
Committee members will be asked prior to today's meeting to recommend technical issues that they feel the STAC and APNEP should address in the near term. The results of the submissions will be shared and members will work toward their prioritization. An action plan (e.g., white paper, workshop scheduling) will be drafted for those issues ranking highest.
- 12:15 p.m. North Carolina Waterfront Access Study Committee..... Cheuvront**
Dr. Brian Cheuvront, Federal Aid Coordinator of the North Carolina Division of Marine Fisheries and member of the North Carolina Waterfront Access Study Committee, will brief the Committee on the recommendations of the NCWASC report to the North Carolina Assembly released on April 13.
- 1:00 p.m. The Nature Conservancy's Conservation Action Planning..... DeBlieu**
STAC member Jeff DeBlieu will brief the Committee on The Nature Conservancy Conservation Action Planning (CAP) initiatives that overlap the APNEP region.
- 2:00 p.m. Fisheries Monitoring, Assessment, and Management..... Rader**
STAC Executive Board member Doug Rader will brief members on efforts to integrate fish management planning, habitat restoration, and fisheries status within the APNEP region, using river herring as a case study.
- 2:30 p.m. Workshop to Establish Sustained Water Level Measurements..... Christian**
STAC Executive Board member Bob Christian will brief members on a March 14 workshop held in Kitty Hawk whose goal was to develop an action plan to establish one or more water level monitoring stations in the Albemarle-Pamlico estuaries.
- 3:00 p.m. Adjourn**

Note: The scheduled times for issue topics are estimates and may vary during the meeting.