**Shrimp Task Force Meeting**

The following is the agenda for the Louisiana Shrimp Task Force Meeting. The public is invited to attend.

Wednesday, May 1, 2019, 10:00 a.m.

Terrebonne Council Meeting Room

8026 Main Street, Houma, LA 70360

**AGENDA**

1. **Pledge of Allegiance**
2. **Roll call and Introduction of Guests**
3. **Approval of the March 27, 2019 meeting minutes and of the May 1, 2019 Agenda**
4. **Treasury Report**
5. Budget Report- LDWF
6. Tier 2.1 Financial Disclosure Reminder
7. **Federal Shrimp Permit Report-** STF
8. **New Business**
9. To Hear an update on the Nearshore Reef Planning Proposal- LDWF
10. To Hear a Presentation on the 2019 Spring Shrimp Season- LDWF
11. To Hear a Presentation on the Vermillion Bay Shrimp Landings- LDWF
12. To Hear an Update on the Shrimp Bycatch Study- LDWF
13. To Hear a Presentation on Shrimp Industry Drone Purchase and Enforcement- LDWF
14. To Hear an Update on Louisiana’s Seafood Future Initiative- Dr. Robert Twilley
15. To Hear Discussion and Consider Funding for the Shrimp Industry’s Trip to Washington, D.C.- STF
16. To Consider Shrimp Task Force Seat Vacancy Nominations- STF
17. Officer Elections- STF
18. **Public Comment**
19. **Adjourn**

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