



Management Committee Meeting

July 8-9, 2008

Embassy Suites Hotel
New Orleans, LA

- AGENDA -

Tuesday, July 8, 2008

- 1:30pm** **Welcome and Introductions**
Myron Knudson, Federal Co-Chair (EPA)
Bruce Moulton, State Co-Chair (TX)
- Welcome from Louisiana
 Louis Buatt, Assistant Secretary, Office of Environmental Assessment
- 1:45pm** **Overview of Meeting Agenda & Objectives**
Bryon Griffith, Director, Gulf of Mexico Program Office
- Status Review of Follow-up Action Items**
 Bryon Griffith

Critical Initiatives / Priorities

- 2:00pm** **Gulf of Mexico Alliance – Update & Development of Governors’ Action Plan II**
Bill Walker, Mississippi DMR
- Overview of Proposed Priority Team Action Plan II Goals & Actions**
 Legislative Update
 Bill Walker, Mississippi DMR
- Action Plan Implementation and Integration Upcoming Workshop– Next Steps**
 Phil Bass, GMPO
- 2:45pm** **DOI Initiatives**
Jess Weaver
- 3:15pm** ----- **BREAK** -----
- 3:30pm** **GOMA Environmental Education and Coastal America Update**
Sharon Hayes, GMPO
- 4:00pm** **Gulf Business and Industry Initiatives**
Mike Lyons, Louisiana Mid-Continent Oil & Gas
- 4:15pm** **Gulf Coastal Services Center & GOMA Grants**
Todd Davison, NOAA
- 4:30pm** **Gulf of Mexico Program & GOMA Grants**
Gloria Car, GMPO
- 5:00pm** **Adjourn for the day...**
- 5:30pm** **No Host Social – Hotel**

DAY 2 - Critical Initiatives / Priorities (Continued)

Wednesday, July 9, 2008

8:30am **Review and Endorsement of Proposed 20th Year Celebration Activities**
Bryon Griffith

9:00am **Special Projects/Area Reports**

Binational Harmful Algal Bloom Monitoring Pilot - Update
Bryon Griffith

NASA Remote Sensing – Gulf of Mexico Alliance Initiative
Mark Glorioso, NASA

10:15 am----- BREAK -----

MS River Monitoring Efforts
LMRCC/Memphis, FWS/ACOE

USGS/DOI Nutrient Loading,100 Watersheds & other Modeling efforts
Jess Weaver, USGS

Gulf Regional Sediment Management Master Plan Update
Hypoxia Language in WRDA 2007
David Vigh, ACOE

New Hypoxia Action Plan – Update on Task Force Meeting June 2008
Phil Bass

11:30am **Citizens Advisory Committee Report**
Jim Kachtick & Casi Callaway

11:45am **Committee Roundtable Discussion**
Bruce Moulton & Myron Knudson

12:30pm **Wrap-up / Next Steps**
Bryon Griffith
