

NC Rules Review Commission

1711 New Hope Church Rd.

Raleigh, NC 27609

RE: Objection to and request for legislative review of the following rules proposed by the Wildlife Resources Commission:

When will North Carolina Stop killing the largest most reproductive female fish? BOFFFF BIG OLD FAT FECUND FEMALE FISH is science ignored by NC wildlife & NC Marine Fisheries.

I object to the following legislation as the legislation does not help improve the genetics of the resource!

15A NCAC 10C .0801 INLAND GAME FISHES DESIGNATED IN JOINT FISHING WATERS

15A NCAC 10C .0802 TAKING AND POSSESSION OF OTHER FISHES BY HOOK AND LINE IN JOINT FISHING WATERS

Legislation should require total utilization of all fish harvested!

All legislation should require NO DISCARDS. NEW LEGISLATION SHOULD REQUIRE GROUND APPLICATION OF ALL STATE REGULATED WASTE WATER. The highway and state owned land are more than ample area to land applicate all waste water.

SPANING FACILITIES DEDICATED TO RELEASING POST HATCH LARVA FISH OPERATED BY PRIVATE FACILITIES COULD RECOVER MOST STOCKE IN 5 YEARS.

REVIEW WHY THE MARINE RESOURCE CENTERS ***** BECAME AQUARIUMS *****

SHOULD THE AQUARIUMS BECOME SPAWNING CENTERS?

Sincerely,

James Fletcher

123 Apple Rd manns Harbor NC 27953

5-1-2024

McGhee, Dana

From: Buzz Ackerman <hotknives@msn.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 9:01 AM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] rule change

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Sincerely,
Frank S. Ackerman

Sent from [Outlook](#)

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From: Todd Wade <twade5916@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 8:52 AM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Rule change

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Sincerely
Todd Wade

Sent from my iPhone

McGhee, Dana

From: Jeff Coward <jtcoward55@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 8:29 AM
To: Rules, Oah; Ascher, Seth M
Subject: [External] Objection to Proposed Rules 15A NCAC 10C .0801 and 15A NCAC 10C .0802

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Sincerely,
Capt. Jeffrey T Coward

Sent from my iPhone

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From: Arthur D Smith <artsmith@rsnet.org>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 8:15 AM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Objection and Request

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From: Ryan Speckman <ryan@localsseafood.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 8:13 AM
To: Rules, Oah; Ascher, Seth M
Subject: [External] NC Rules Review Commission

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Ryan Speckman
Co-founder Locals Seafood
919.673.4705
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[facebook.com/localsseafood](https://www.facebook.com/localsseafood)
twitter.com/localsseafood

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From: Fulcher's Administrator <admin@fulchers.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 7:59 AM
To: Rules, Oah; Ascher, Seth M
Cc: Chrissy Fulcher-Cahoon
Subject: [External] request legislative review
Attachments: IMG_0001.jpg

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Sarah Winfrey
Fulcher's Seafood
252-745-7711 phone
252-745-5605 fax
114 Gatlin Rd
Alliance, NC 28509
admin@fulchers.com

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April 30, 2024

Via email: oah.rules@oah.nc.gov
seth.ascher@oah.nc.gov

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Sincerely,

Christina Fulcher

McGhee, Dana

From: Thomas Smith <tmsmith0620@ec.rr.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 7:23 AM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] NC Rules Review

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Sincerely,
Thomas smith
Beaufort NC
Sent from my iPhone

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From: Chris weaver <keveldog@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 7:20 AM
To: Rules, Oah; Ascher, Seth M
Subject: [External] Objection to and request for legislative review of the following rules proposed by the Wildlife Resources Commission:

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Sincerely,
Chris Weaver
Timberlake NC

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From: Myles Peabody <mylespeabody@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 7:11 AM
To: Ascher, Seth M; Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Rules review

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Sincerely,
Myles J. Peabody

McGhee, Dana

From: frans old man <fransoldman@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 7:10 AM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External]

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Sincerely,
Alan Polk

McGhee, Dana

From: Paul Lane <pslane.crab@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 6:39 AM
To: Ascher, Seth M; Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Re: Objection to and request for legislative review of the following rules proposed by the Wildlife Resources Commission:

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Sincerely,
Paul S. Lane
602 S Main Street
Robersonville, NC 27871

On Wed, May 1, 2024 at 6:37 AM Jamie W. Lane <jamiewlane22@gmail.com> wrote:

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Sincerely,
Jamie Lane

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From: Jamie W. Lane <jamiewlane22@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 6:36 AM
To: Ascher, Seth M; Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Objection to and request for legislative review of the following rules proposed by the Wildlife Resources Commission:

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Sincerely,
Jamie Lane

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From: Carolynne Mayo <mayoc2014@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 11:03 PM
To: Ascher, Seth M; Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Objection & Request for Legislative Review

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Sincerely,
Darin & Carolynne Mayo

McGhee, Dana

From: Amanda Williams <amandajp88@icloud.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 10:26 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Rules and review

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Sincerely,
Amanda j Williams
Sent from my iPhone

McGhee, Dana

From: walt mcnamee,III <waltmcnameeiii@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 10:08 PM
To: Rules, Oah; Ascher, Seth M
Subject: [External] Objection to Proposed Regulations

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Sincerely,
Walter McNamee III

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From: tarheelkris89@gmail.com
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 9:39 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Rules Review

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Sincerely,
Kris Ward

McGhee, Dana

From: Wells J Barker <wbarker1@ec.rr.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 9:26 PM
To: Rules, Oah; Ascher, Seth M
Subject: [External] Regs

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Sincerely,
Wells Barker
1857 Hwy. 101
Beaufort, N.C.

McGhee, Dana

From: Catherine Sanders <c.alexissanders@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 9:04 PM
To: Ascher, Seth M; Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Objection

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Sincerely,

Catherine Sanders

McGhee, Dana

From: Catherine Alexis Ireland <c.alexisireland@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 9:03 PM
To: Rules, Oah; Ascher, Seth M
Subject: [External] Objection

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Sincerely,

Catherine Ireland

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From: Pam Hannah <tphannah@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 8:54 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Proposed Rules

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Sincerely, Pam Hannah

McGhee, Dana

From: Thomas Newman <thomas.newman03@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 8:33 PM
To: Rules, Oah; Ascher, Seth M
Subject: [External] Objection To Rule Making

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Sincerely,
Thomas Newman

7821 Holly Springs Church Road
Williamston, NC 27892

Thomas.newman03@gmail.com

Sent from my iPhone

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From: David Williams <captdavidwilliams@icloud.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 8:27 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Rules Review

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From: Kimmy Ward <kimmyward5@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 8:18 PM
To: Rules, Oah
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To: Ascher, Seth M; Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Rules review

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seth.ascher@oah.nc.gov

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Sincerely,
Hartsough

Have a blessed day

McGhee, Dana

From: Photos <jsparks001@ec.rr.com>
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To: Ascher, Seth M; Rules, Oah
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Sincerely,
Ron Sparks

McGhee, Dana

From: Stanley Hall <hallstanley0419@gmail.com>
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James S Hall

McGhee, Dana

From: James Williams <jwwilliams875@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 7:14 PM
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Sincerely, James Williams

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From: Russell Williams <russellwilliams1972@icloud.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 6:48 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Rules Review

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Sincerely, Russell Williams

Sent from my iPhone

McGhee, Dana

From: Jennifer Williams <jgwilliams050672@icloud.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 6:45 PM
To: Rules, Oah
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Sent from my iPhone

McGhee, Dana

From: jared ward <jaredward52@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 6:33 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Objection to and request for legislative review of the following rules proposed by the Wildlife Resources Commission

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Sincerely, Jared Ward

Sent from my iPhone

McGhee, Dana

From: Maggie Ward <mdwardd@icloud.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 6:05 PM
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Subject: [External] Rules Review

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Sincerely, Maggie Ward

McGhee, Dana

From: Kimmy Ward <kimmyward@embarqmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 4:09 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Rules Review

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Sincerely,
Kimberly Ward

Sent from Kimmy Ward

McGhee, Dana

From: Claire Ward <claire.ward82403@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 6:04 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Rules review

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Sincerely, Claire Ward

McGhee, Dana

From: Oswald Williams <w.oswaldwilliams@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 6:02 PM
To: eth.ascher@oah.nc.gov; Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Objection Letter

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Sincerely,
Walton Oswald Williams

McGhee, Dana

From: Siebold Seafood <sieboldsseafood@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 4:19 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Rules Review

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Sincerely,
Siebold's Seafood LLC
James Siebold

McGhee, Dana

From: Suzanne Siebold <suzannesiebold31@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 4:12 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Rules review

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Sincerely,
Suzanne Siebold

McGhee, Dana

From: Adam Tyler <reeladdiction4life@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 3:50 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Cc: Ascher, Seth M
Subject: [External] Objection to and request for legislative review of the following rules proposed by the Wildlife Resources Commission:
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I would like my letter on record opposing the Wildlife Resources Commission and their proposed rules. I would also suggest that the legislature severely curtail there budget in the upcoming year.

Adam Tyler

April 30, 2024

Via email: ash.rules@oah.nc.gov
seth.ascher@oah.nc.gov

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Sincerely,



Adam W. Tyler
527 Marshallberg Rd
Smyrna, NC 28579
252-723-8046

McGhee, Dana

From: Tere Potter <teresita923@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 3:40 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Objection to 15A NCAC 10C .0801 0802

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We have objection to and request for legislative review of the following rules proposed by the Wildlife Resources Commission: 15A NCAC 10C . 0801 Inland Game Fishes Designated In Joint Fishing Waters.

15A NCAC 10C .0802 Taking and possession of other fishes by hook and line in joint fishing waters.

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Sincerely ,Teresita Potter

McGhee, Dana

From: Darrow Buck <braxtonbucksmom@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 3:25 PM
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Sincerely,

Darrow Paul

Sent from my iPhone

McGhee, Dana

From: Tony Sample <tsample37@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 3:07 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Objection to proposed rules

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Sincerely,

Tony Sample

McGhee, Dana

From: Jennifer Garcia <jgarcia05051981@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 2:50 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] NC Rules Review Commission

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Sincerely,
Jennifer Garcia

McGhee, Dana

From: Isaiah Smith <isaiah.l.smith@outlook.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 2:46 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Objection to and request for legislative review of the following rules proposed by the Wildlife Resources Comm

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Sincerely,

Respectively,

Isaiah L. Smith
2963 Cedar Island Road
Cedar Island, NC 28520

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From: Faron Daniels <FDaniels@wanchese.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 2:21 PM
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Faron Daniels

McGhee, Dana

From: Brian Peede <brian.peede@truenorthseafood.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 2:19 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Cc: Ascher, Seth M
Subject: [External] from Wanchese Fish Co
Attachments: scan.pdf

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Brian Peede
Wanchese Fish Co
817 Jefferson Ave
Newport News, Va 23607
757-673-4511
C 757-438-5498
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seth.ascher@oah.nc.gov

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From: Ted Smithwick <smithwickgirls@darientel.net>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 10:54 AM
To: Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] legislation

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Sincerely, Ted Smithwick
1429 Norman Ave Ne
Townsend Ga. 31331
912-832-7005

McGhee, Dana

From: Jeff Oden <slshcrkwtrwks@aol.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 10:54 AM
To: Rules, Oah; Ascher, Seth M
Subject: [External]

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I Jeff Oden object and request legislative review of proposed rule 15ANCA . 10C 801, 15ANCA10C.802

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sincerely. jeff oden

Sent from my iPhone

McGhee, Dana

From: Forest Williams <foresthwilliams@hotmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 11:35 AM
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Subject: [External] delay rules

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Sincerely,

Forest Williams- Owner
252-670-1176

McGhee, Dana

From: cathy jones <cathyjones123@live.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 1, 2024 11:41 AM
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Subject: [External] Delay rules

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Sincerely,

Cathy Jones

Burgos, Alexander N

From: Rules, Oah
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 1:59 PM
To: Burgos, Alexander N; Ascher, Seth M
Subject: FW: [External] Rules Review

From: hm28515@aol.com <hm28515@aol.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 1:57 PM
To: Rules, Oah <oah.rules@oah.nc.gov>
Subject: [External] Rules Review

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Sincerely,
Helena Mayo

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Burgos, Alexander N

From: Ascher, Seth M
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 2:32 PM
To: Rules, Oah
Cc: Burgos, Alexander N
Subject: FW: [External] WRC

From: Shirley Ireland <shirleyireland1968@icloud.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 2:16 PM
To: Ascher, Seth M <seth.ascher@oah.nc.gov>
Subject: [External] WRC

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From: Faron Daniels <FDaniels@wanchese.com>
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From: Darin Mayo <dm28515@gmail.com>
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Sincerely,
Darin Mayo

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From: Karen Oneal <kso28515@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 2:12 PM
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Karen Oneal

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From: Rules, Oah
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 1:28 PM
To: Burgos, Alexander N
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From: Ross Butler <Ross.Butler@oceanfleetservices.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 1:27 PM
To: Rules, Oah <oah.rules@oah.nc.gov>; Ascher, Seth M <seth.ascher@oah.nc.gov>
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Sincerely,

Ross Butler
CEO
Wanchese Fish Company

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Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 1:28 PM
To: Burgos, Alexander N
Subject: FW: [External] 15A NCAC 10C .0801, .0802

From: Seafood <seafood@onealsseaharvest.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 1:27 PM
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Sincerely,

Benjamin S O'Neal

Owner, President
O'Neal's Sea Harvest, Inc.

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From: Rules, Oah
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 1:28 PM
To: Burgos, Alexander N
Subject: FW: [External] object to proposed rules by the WRC

From: Doug Cross <doug@bestseafood.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 30, 2024 1:23 PM
To: Rules, Oah <oah.rules@oah.nc.gov>; Ascher, Seth M <seth.ascher@oah.nc.gov>
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Via email: oah.rules@oah.nc.gov
seth.ascher@oah.nc.gov

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Sincerely, TERRY PRATT

April 30, 2024

Via email: oah.rules@oah.nc.gov
seth.ascher@oah.nc.gov

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Sincerely,



Stevenson L. Weeks
710 Cedar Street
Beaufort, NC 28516
252-725-2503

April 30, 2024

Via email: nc_rules@nash.nc.gov
soth.escher@nash.nc.gov

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Sincerely,



Debbie G. Lovick
418 Tradd Street
Beaufort, NC 28516
252-808-5371

Burgos, Alexander N

From: jhawkins9@ec.rr.com
Sent: Monday, April 29, 2024 10:27 PM
To: Burgos, Alexander N; Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Re: Objection to permanent adoption of WRC Joint Fishing Rules

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I object to the following North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission (WRC) rules before the April 30, 2024 North Carolina Rules Review Commission (RRC).

SECTION .0800 JOINT FISHING WATERS

15A NCAC 10C .0801 is adopted with changes as published in 38:11 NCAC 700 as follows:

SECTION .0800 JOINT FISHING WATERS 15A NCAC 10C .0801 INLAND GAME FISHES DESIGNATED IN JOINT FISHING WATER

15A NCAC 10C .0802 is adopted with changes as published in 38:11 NCAC 701 as follows:

15A NCAC 10C .0802 TAKING AND POSSESSION OF OTHER FISHES BY HOOK AND LINE IN JOINT FISHING WATERS.

The rules are not necessary.

The rules appear to violate general statutes which state that the WRC may not specify fish of commercial importance without the concurrence of the Marine Fisheries Commission (MFC); the MFC has not concurred any species through formal notice. Also, joint fishing waters are "coastal fishing waters" that have significant numbers of freshwater fish, yet the WRC is proposing authority to manage coastal fish taken by hook/line in those waters that are disparate from those in coastal waters (as shown through the WRC flounder management).

Both rules increase confusion to the public as to what state agency (the North Carolina Marine Fisheries Commission (MFC) or the WRC) has jurisdiction on coastal species in water jointly managed by the two agencies.

The rules will create law enforcement confusion and uncertainty in judicial settings.

The rules will potentially jeopardize compliance with federal and interstate compact fisheries regulations that the MFC (and its associated agency, the NC Division of Marine) have complied with for over 30 years.

These rules need to be reviewed by members of the General Assembly.

Jess H. Hawkins III

From: Katy West <westkbh@outlook.com>

Sent: Monday, April 29, 2024 6:00 PM

To: alexander.burgos@oah.nc.gov <alexander.burgos@oah.nc.gov>; oah.rules@oah.nc.gov <oah.rules@oah.nc.gov>

Subject: Objection to permanent adoption of WRC Joint Fishing Rules

Please find attached as an electronic submittal of my letter in objection to the following NCWRC rules before the April 30, 2024 RRC.

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Please contact me if additional items are needed . Thank you. Katy West

Burgos, Alexander N

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Sent: Monday, April 29, 2024 6:00 PM
To: Burgos, Alexander N; Rules, Oah
Subject: [External] Objection to permanent adoption of WRC Joint Fishing Rules
Attachments: RequestLegislativeReviewApril30_2024WRCSection0800.docx

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April 29, 2024

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

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oah.rules@oah.nc.gov

Re: 15A NCAC 10C .0801 & 15A NCAC 10C .0802

Members of the Commission:

I request that the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission's (NCWRC) recently adopted Amendments to WRC JOINT FISHING WATERS RULES 15A NCAC 10C .0801 & 10C .0802 be independently reviewed during the next legislative session as set out in N.C.G.S. 150B-21.3. I further request that the amendments effective date be delayed as set out in that same provision.

This request is in reference to NCWRC JOINT FISHING WATERS Rules:

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The NCWRC stated the justification for these rules as follows:

15A NCAC 10C .0801: There has been confusion in the public and government agencies as to the Commission's authority over species designated as inland game fish when found in Joint Fishing Waters. Certain inland game fish are under the authority of the Wildlife Resources Commission in all public fishing waters. The proposed changes clarify the regulations for those species that apply to both recreational and commercial fishing in Joint Fishing Waters.


15A NCAC 10C .0802: There has been confusion in the public and government agencies as to the Commission's authority over fishes taken by hook and line in Joint Fishing Waters. Per 15A 03Q .0106 and 15A NCAC 10C .0106, the Commission has authority for fish taken by hook and line in Joint Fishing Waters. The proposed rule clarifies that authority including size and creel limits, seasons, and if the species may be sold.

I strongly disagree with the interpretation of NCWRC of their **sole statutory** agency authority for hook and line fishing in Joint Fishing Waters. The rules quoted do not reflect the statutory authority granted to the Division of Marine Fisheries (MFC) in Coastal Fishing Waters of which Joint Fishing Waters are a subset. Please refer to the numerous impacts described and objections in the public record regarding the WRC adoption of their joint rules. Comments provided specifically highlight divergent management of marine and estuarine species managed by the NCMFC and NCDMF and, in many cases, those that fall under federal or interstate management authority. These rules do not foster public clarification or effective fisheries management. Rather, they will reduce clarity and increase ambiguity for the regulated public by

establishing divergent regulations for species already managed and under the authority of the MFC and the statutorily required Fishery Management Plans (Fisheries Reform Act of 1997). Please see <https://coastalreview.org/2024/01/agencies-acknowledge-confusion-fisheries-conflict-creates/>

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Katy West", is written over a light gray rectangular background.

Katy West
102 Terry Street
Greenville, NC 27858