

## **AGENDA**

The agenda items and order may be changed at the discretion of the chair.

### **NJ FISH AND GAME COUNCIL MEETING**

#### **CENTRAL REGION OFFICE**

One Eldridge Road  
Robbinsville, NJ 08691

**December 12, 2023, 10:00 a.m.**

#### **PUBLIC CAN ATTEND VIRTUALLY OR IN-PERSON**

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Public Announcement:

Council Roll Call: Frank Virgilio (Chair), Jim DeStephano, Mitchell Jones, Ed Kertz, Dr. Rick Lathrop, Rob Pollock, Robert Puskas, Loren Robinson, and Ken Whildin.

Approval of minutes from the September 6, 2023 meeting

Approval of minutes from the October 10, 2023 meeting

Approval of the 2024 Fish and Game Council meeting schedule

Chairman Virgilio's Comments

Assistant Commissioner Dave Golden's Comments

Council Reports:

1. Agriculture: Jones, Kertz, Puskas
2. Wildlife/Animal Health: Sebastian Reist, DVM
3. Farmer/Sportsman Relations: Jones
4. NJ State Federation of Sportsman's Clubs:  
DeStephano, Robinson, Whildin, Virgilio
5. Finance Committee: Robinson  
Finance Report
6. Fish Committee: Pollock

7. Game Committee: Virgilio
8. Endangered & Non-Game Species Advisory Committee: Lathrop
9. Waterfowl Stamp Advisory Committee: Whildin
10. Wildlife Rehabilitators Advisory Committee: DeStephano
11. Law Enforcement Committee: Whildin
12. Public Member Comments: Pollock
13. Legislative Update: Mary Monteschio

Fish & Wildlife Reports:

1. Business Administration: Kim Springer, Chief
2. Freshwater Fisheries: Shawn Crouse, Chief
3. Information and Education: Al Ivany, Chief
4. Land Management: Jason Hearon, Chief
5. Law Enforcement: Frank Panico, Chief
6. Wildlife Management: Lisa Barno, Assistant Director
7. Endangered and Nongame Species Program, NO REPORT

Old Business:

- Greenwood Lake Update

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New Business:

**\*\* Community Based Deer Management Plans (CBDMP) \*\***

Bernards Township

**\*Public Comment on Bernards Twp. CBDMP\***

Joint Base

**\*Public Comment on Joint Base CBDMP\***

Essex County

**\*Public Comment on Essex County CBDMP\***

Princeton Township

\*Public Comment on Princeton Twp. CBDMP\*

Mercer County

\*Public Comment on Mercer County CBDMP\*

License Restoration (1)

Public Comment

Adjournment

Next Meeting: January 9, 2024, 10:00 a.m. Meeting type - in-person.

Please note: Items denoted by asterisks indicate a topic the Council will discuss and vote on at the meeting.