

Minutes
Wildlife Resources Committee
2 Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive, S. E.
Suite 1252 East Tower
Atlanta, GA 30334

June 23, 2020
9:00 a.m.
Via Teleconference Call

Attendees:

Committee Members

Joe Hatfield, Chair
Dwight Evans, Vice Chair
William Bagwell
Dwight Davis
Duncan Johnson
Ray Lambert
Billy New
Dee Yancey
Nancy Addison, Board Chairman, Ex-officio

Board Members

Rob Leebern
Paul Shailendra
Bodine Sinyard
Brother Stewart
Miki Thomaston

Staff Members

Mark Williams, Commissioner
Kyle Pearson
Cathy Barnette
Amber Carter
Artica Gaston
Courtney Hall
Thomas Barnard
Jeff Cown
Steve Friedman
Rusty Garrison
Doug Haymans
Tina Johannsen

Richard Dunn, Director
Lauren Curry
Jac Capp
Karen Hays
Chuck Mueller
Laura Williams

The June 23, 2020 meeting of the Wildlife Resources Committee was called to order by Chair Nancy Addison.

Chair Addison called on Mr. Joe Hatfield, Chairman of the Wildlife Resources Committee. Mr. Hatfield called on Tina Johannsen, Assistant Chief, Game Management, Wildlife Resources Division (WRD).

Dr. Johannsen stated in April there was a briefing regarding shifting the date of the quota deer hunt scheduled for Mistletoe State Park. She further stated the request was to move the scheduled November date to December to accommodate the movement of the Masters Golf Tournament, which is a big economic impact in the area, including the park.

Dr. Johannsen stated two comments were received via email: One individual who supported shifting the date and one who was opposed to shifting the date but not to the hunt, in general. She further stated there were no amendments to the original proposed language and she asked the Board to approve the change to the Mistletoe State Park quota deer hunt for the 2020 season.

A motion was made by Mr. Bagwell, seconded by Mr. Johnson, and carried unanimously that the Committee recommend the Board approve the Proposed Amendment to Subject 391-4-2, Hunting Regulations Pertaining to Mistletoe State Park, as presented.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.