Natural Resource Uses Subcommittee of the Galveston Bay Council

18 September 2024 – 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM CST 17041 El Camino Real, Ste 210

Meeting Agenda

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10:00: Introductions and Housekeeping

10:10: State of the Bay, 5th ed. & Regional Monitoring Database Erin Kinney, Ph.D., Houston Advanced Research Center; Ryan Bare, Ph.D., Houston Advanced Research Center

10:30: FY 26 Project Proposal Presentations

- 1. Salt Lake Native Marsh Shoreline Protection Project: Friends of Brazoria Wildlife Refuges/USFWS
- 2. FY2024-2025 Conservation Assistance Program: Galveston Bay Foundation
- 3. North Deer Island Habitat Restoration & Enhancement (Phase 1): National Audubon Society
- 4. The 10th Addition to the Coastal Heritage Preserve through a 4th Acquisition at Middle Tract, Galveston Island, Texas: Texas Parks and Wildlife Department
- 5. The 11th Addition to the Coastal Heritage Preserve through a 4th Acquisition at Middle Tract, Galveston Island, Texas: Texas Parks and Wildlife Department
- 6. Informing ongoing management of environmental water transactions to preserve or enhance tidal bayou function in East Bay: Texas Water Trade
- 7. UHCL Prairie, Savanna and Wet Prairie Restoration: University of Houston-Clear Lake
- 8. From Scat to Conservation: Community-based research of Galveston Bay's ghost wolves (from PPE): Michigan Technological University
- 9. Developing Molecular Tools for Demographics and Distribution of Galveston Bay Estuary System Sea Turtles (from M&R): Texas A&M University at Galveston

11:30: FY 26 Project Proposal Discussion and Recommendations

Open Discussion Overview of FY Submission Timeline

11:55 Updates from the Estuary Program Staff Updates

NRU Project Updates - Deferred for Time

Other

Roundtable and Member Updates Announcements Selection of a Presenter for Next Meeting

12:00: Adjourn

Future Meetings:

2024 NRU Meeting Dates: December 4, 2024, 10:00 a.m.

Oyster Restoration Workgroup Meeting (Annual) - TBD



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