

Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM)  
**North Carolina Renewable Energy Task Force Meeting Agenda**  
 Coastline Conference & Event Center  
 501 Nutt Street  
 Room B  
 Wilmington NC 28401  
 October 7, 2015  
 9:00 a.m – 3:45 p.m.

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	<b>Registration</b>	
9:30 a.m. – 9:40 a.m.	<b>Opening Remarks</b>	Mr. James Bennett Program Manager Office of Renewable Energy Programs, BOEM  Ms. Stephanie Hawco Energy Communications Director North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality (NC DEQ)
9:40 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	<b>Introduction of Invitees</b>  <b>Meeting Purpose, Agenda Review and Meeting Protocols</b>	Mr. Will Waskes, BOEM  Mr. Tushar Kansal, CBI
10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	<b>Concerns of Visual Impacts to North Carolina’s Coastal Communities</b> • <b>North Carolina DENR</b>	Donald van der Vaart Secretary, NC DENR
10:10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	<b>Overview of BOEM Leasing Process including Individual State Status Update</b>	Ms. Jennifer Golladay, BOEM
10:30 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	<b>History of BOEM Offshore Wind Planning Offshore North Carolina</b> • <b>Call For Information and Nominations</b> • <b>Area Identification</b>	Mr. Will Waskes, BOEM Mr. Brian Krevor, BOEM
11:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	<b>Break</b>	All
11:30 a.m. – 12:00 a.m.	<b>North Carolina Environmental Assessment for Lease Issuance and Site Assessment Activities</b>	Mr. Brian Krevor, BOEM
12:00 a.m. – 12:20 p.m.	<b>Task Force Purpose &amp; Charter Review</b> • <b>Background</b> • <b>Role</b> • <b>Membership</b>	Mr. Will Waskes, BOEM

12:20 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	<b>Lunch (on your own)</b>	
1:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	<b>A Bald Head Island Perspective</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Bald Head Island Conservancy</b></li>   <li>• <b>Bald Head Association</b></li> </ul>	Suzanne Dorsey Executive Director Bald Head Island Conservancy  Carrie Moffett Executive Director Bald Head Association
2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	<b>Benthic Habitat Mapping and Assessment in the Wilmington-East Wind Energy Call Area</b>	Dr. Christine Voss, UNC Chapel Hill
2:30 p.m. – 2:50 p.m.	<b>Introduction of the Proposed Sale Notice (PSN) For Commercial Wind Offshore North Carolina</b>	Mr. Will Waskes, BOEM
2:50 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	<b>Break</b>	All
3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	<b>Auction Format and Fiscal Terms</b>	Mr. William Anderson, BOEM
3:30 p.m. – 3:40 p.m.	<b>Action Items, Meeting Wrap Up and Next Steps</b>	Mr. Tushar Kansal, CBI Mr. Will Waskes, BOEM
3:40 p.m.	<b>Closing Remarks</b>	Mr. James Bennett, BOEM Ms. Stephanie Hawco, NC DEQ
3:45 p.m.	<b>Intergovernmental Meeting Adjourns</b>	
4:00 p.m.	<b>General Public Q&amp;A Session with BOEM (15 minutes After Intergovernmental Meeting Adjourns)</b>	