WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION FALL 2013 WORKSHOP

WHERE WE'RE AT, WHERE WE'RE GOING: TOWARDS A WATER RESOURCES MANAGEMENT PLAN

Capitol Park Museum 660 N. 4th St. Baton Rouge, La.

Thursday, October 17th, 2013

AGENDA

- I. 10:00 a.m. Welcome
- II. 10:05 a.m. Introduction
- III. 10:15 a.m. Education Session: Where We're At With Water Planning
 - a. The Role of Freshwater in the Coastal Master Plan Jerome "Zee" Zeringue, Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority
 - b. The Development of a Groundwater Management Program *Karen Gautreaux, Water Resources Commission*
 - c. Evolution of Groundwater Management since 2003– Gary Snellgrove, Office of Conservation
 - d. Creation and Operation of the Surface Water Management Program *James Devitt, Dept. of Natural Resources*

LUNCH BREAK – On your own downtown, 12:00-1:15

- IV. 1:15 p.m. Planning Session: Where We Need to Go
 - a. The Currents of Water Resource Demand and Management in the 21st Century *Mark Davis, Tulane University*
 - b. Next Steps in Management: An Initial Planning Proposal *Matthew Reonas, Office of Conservation*
 - c. Roundtable Discussion
- V. 3:00 p.m. Final Remarks