

Governor's Cup Billfishing Series Advisory Board of Directors
Meeting Wednesday, March 12, 2025
Virtual Meeting, Charleston, SC

GCAB Members Present: B. Gressette, D. Jennings, D. Menefee, F. Bergen, H. McAlhaney, H. Turner, M. Herring, M. Glaesner, R. Rodelsperger, S. Dooley, T. Gredick, W. Frierson

DNR Staff Present: B. Keppler, A. Dukes, E. Gooding, E. Wait, S. Bates, W. LaDue

Call Meeting to Order – Chairman Gressette:

Chairman Gressette called the meeting to order. A. Dukes provided a roll call.

Public Comment: N/A

New Business – All:

- A. Dukes presented the potential project for SC Memorial Reef. The AB discussed the possible concrete addition to the Highway 41 Bridge site. The AB additionally reviewed potential costs of the project and current account balances.
- M. Glaesner made a motion to move forward with the project to fund SC Memorial Reef for the concrete material in Georgetown to be added to the Highway 41 Bridge site. F. Bergen 2nd. Motion passed unanimously.
- The AB reviewed the Fishing Guidelines before going to the DNR Board for ratification. No action taken.
- The AB discussed the opportunity to sponsor the upcoming 2nd Annual Carolina Ladies Billfish Classic.
- T. Gredick made a motion to approve the Governor's Cup providing the Sapphire Supporter level sponsorship for the 2nd Annual Carolina Ladies Billfish Classic. W. Frierson 2nd. Motion passed unanimously.

Other Business – All:

- The AB discussed the Sport Fishing Championship.

Adjournment: Chairman Gressette adjourned the meeting at 2:39 p.m.