St. Marys River AOC BPAC Meeting Agenda

Place: Ontario Room, Cisler Center, LSSU

Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan

When: September 30th, 2015 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

1. Call to order/introductions

2. Approval of Last Meetings Minutes

• June 17th, 2015

3. Business arising from previous minutes

• In response to the presentation by Peter Tonazzo (City of SSM Planner) on the draft proposed Natural Heritage Policies within City's new Official Plan, Klaas Oswald has prepared a submission for the City's Planning Division – review and discuss.

4. Presentations

5. Office Reports

- Megan Kelly Update on BPAC Support Grant Application
- BPAC website is now being hosted by Algoma University (http://bpac.algomau.ca/).
- Carrie Ginou's last day was Friday September 18th.
- RAP Office (Ontario) will be participating in the Latornell Conservation Symposium in November.
- · SPAC update

6. Agency Updates

Agency updates will be provided during the meeting

7. Memberships

- For new members, applications must be received & prospective members present for confirmation standard procedure.
- Ron Prickett has applied for membership.

8. New Business

- Current status and next steps for 4 BUIs on Michigan side: Benthos, Beach Closings, Eutrophication and Dredging (Initiated by John Riley).
- Klaas Oswald has prepared a possible draft submission regarding wetland policy in regards to Ontario governments recent discussion papers review and discuss.

9. Public Comments

10. Next Meeting