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MEMORANDUM

To: Members of the Environmental Review Commission
From: Mariah Matheson, Commission Assistant
Re: Disposition of Reports and Other Information Received by the Commission

The following reports and other information have been submitted to the Commission since the last reports distribution on 25 November 2008. These reports are distributed, held, or otherwise accounted for as follows:

A. The following report has been submitted by the Department of Transportation and is being distributed in connection with today's agenda as follows:

- 1) Annual report on development and implementation of a plan to reduce vehicle miles traveled by State and private sector employees and vehicle emissions resulting from job-related travel, including commuting to and from work. 1 October 2008. Statutory Authority: G.S. 143-215.107C(d) and (e). *Agenda Item #4*

B. The following reports have been submitted by the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) and are being distributed in connection with today's agenda as follows:

- 2) Annual report on the program to streamline the process for the issuance of an improvement permit or an authorization to construct for an on-site subsurface wastewater system in certain counties by authorizing local health departments, authorized agents of DENR, and licensed soil scientists to complete soil and site evaluations in participating counties. 1 October 2008. Authority: S.L. 2006-136, Sec. 3. *Agenda Item #6*
- 3) Annual report on the Wastewater Discharge Elimination Program. 15 October 2008. Statutory Authority: S.L. 2001-452, Sec. 2.9. *Agenda Item #8*
- 4) Annual report on the implementation of stormwater rules and programs. 1 October 2008. Statutory Authority: GS. 143-214.7(e). *Agenda Item #9*
- 5) Annual report on implementation of the Sedimentation Pollution Control Act of 1973. 1 October 2008. Statutory Authority: G.S. 113A-67. *Agenda Item #10*

- 6) Annual report on fish kills in the previous year. 1 December 2008. Statutory Authority: G.S. 143B-279.7 (c). *Agenda Item #11*

C. The following report has been submitted by the Department of Transportation and is being distributed today as a read-only report:

- 7) Annual report on the evaluation and adjustment of the boundaries of the area served by each Metropolitan Planning Organization. 1 November 2008. Statutory Authority: G.S. 136-202(d).

D. The following reports have been submitted by DENR and are being distributed today as read-only reports:

- 8) Annual report on the progress in developing and implementing the Coastal Habitat Protection Plans and reports on the completion or substantial revision of each draft Coastal Habitat Protection Plan. 1 September 2008. Statutory Authority: G.S. 143B-279.8(e) and G.S. 143B-279.8(f).
- 9) Annual report on the impacts on water quality and other environmental impacts from the new urban waterfront area development authorized by this act and evaluate the costs and benefits from the development to the area in which the development is located. 1 October 2008. Authority: S.L. 2004-117, Sec. 4.
- 10) Semiannual report on the pilot program for inspection of animal waste management systems including a comparison of the costs of conducting operations reviews and inspections under the pilot program with the costs of conducting operations and inspections. 15 April and 15 October 2008. Statutory Authority: G.S. 143-215.10D and G.S. 143-215.10F.

E. The following reports have been submitted by DENR and are being held for distribution in connection with agenda items at a future meeting of the Commission:

- 11) Annual report on the activities and allocations from the Parks and Recreation Trust Fund from the prior fiscal year. 1 October 2008. Statutory Authority: G.S. 113-44.15(c).
- 12) Implementation of the Ecosystem Enhancement Program and use of the Ecosystem Enhancement Fund, including inventory of property and easements. 1 November 2008. Statutory Authority: G.S. 143-214.13.
- 13) Annual report on progress towards attaining the State's goal of protecting one million acres of farmland, open space, and conservation lands. 1 October 2008. Statutory Authority: G.S. 113A-241(c)).

Please contact George Givens, Jeff Hudson, Jennifer McGinnis, Jennifer Mundt, or Mariah Matheson at (919) 733-2578 if you have any questions or comments.
