

**Coastal Wetlands Planning, Protection and Restoration Act
(CWPPRA)
Priority Project List 20
Regional Planning Team (RPT) Coast-wide Voting Meeting**

**LA Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, Louisiana Room
2000 Quail Dr. Baton Rouge, La
February 24, 2010, 9:30 am – 12:30 pm
AGENDA**

Meeting Purpose: To select PPL 20 nominees from the list of projects proposed during the PPL 20 Regional Planning Team (RPT) meetings held on January 26th, 27th, and 28th, 2010. Information on the PPL 20 project proposals is available on the web at: http://www.mvn.usace.army.mil/pd/cwppra_mission.htm. The CWPPRA Agencies and Participating Coastal Parishes will vote to select 20 nominee projects as described below.

1. Welcome and Introductions (Melanie Goodman).
2. Procedures for PPL 20 Coast-wide Voting:
 - a. Project proposals or changes will **NOT** be made during the meeting (proposals were accepted during the RPT meetings only, and changes were due by February 2, 2010).
 - b. Public comments will **NOT** be accepted during the meeting (oral comments were accepted during the RPT meetings and written comments were solicited through February 12, 2010).
 - c. Coastal Parish Voting representatives were designated during the PPL 20 RPT meetings. Each designated voting representative will fill out voting sheets to rank projects by each basin from highest to lowest, giving highest value to their highest priority project.
 - d. All voting sheets for all basins will be collected between 9:30 am and 10:30 am.
 - e. Votes will be tallied and sorted for all basins after all voting sheets are collected.
 - f. The projects with the highest resulting scores will be selected as PPL 20 nominees as follows for each basin: three projects will be selected in Terrrebonne, Barataria, and Pontchartrain Basins; two will be selected in the Breton Sound, Teche/Vermilion, Mermentau, Calcasieu/Sabine and Mississippi River Delta Basins; and one will be selected in the Atchafalaya Basin.
 - g. Demonstration project proposals that qualify will automatically be selected as nominee demonstration projects.
 - h. PPL 20 nominee project voting results will be presented during the meeting and posted on the Breaux Act News Flash and on the web at:
http://www.mvn.usace.army.mil/pd/cwppra_mission.htm.
3. Explanation of Nominee Project Evaluations and Technical Committee Selection of PPL 20 Project Candidates.

4. Meeting Announcements:

April 20, 2010	9:30 a.m.	Technical Committee	New Orleans
June 2, 2010	9:30 a.m.	Task Force	Lafayette
September 22, 2010	9:30 a.m.	Technical Committee	Baton Rouge
October 27, 2010	9:30 a.m.	Task Force	New Orleans
November 16, 2010	7:00 p.m.	PPL 20 Public Meeting	Abbeville
November 17, 2010	7:00 p.m.	PPL 20 Public Meeting	New Orleans
December 1, 2010	9:30 a.m.	Technical Committee	Baton Rouge