

97th Meeting
NATIONAL BOATING SAFETY ADVISORY COUNCIL

AGENDA

FULL COUNCIL MEETING

Holiday Inn Ballroom

Thursday, March 23, 2017

- 8:30 – 8:35 Call to Order**
- Chairman Maxim, NBSAC Chairman
- 8:35 – 8:45 Welcoming Remarks**
- CAPT Verne Gifford, NBSAC Sponsor
Director of Inspections and Compliance
- 8:45 – 9:00 Opening Remarks**
- Chairman Dan Maxim
- 9:00 – 10:00 Recreational Boating Safety (RBS) Program Report**
- CAPT Tom Boross, Chief, Office of Auxiliary and Boating Safety
- Jeff Hoedt, Chief, Boating Safety Division, Office of Auxiliary and Boating Safety
- 10:00 – 10:15 BREAK**
- 10:15 – 10:20 Alternate Designated Federal Officer’s Report**
- Jeff Ludwig, Office of Auxiliary and Boating Safety
- 10:20 – 10:30 Call for New Business & Public Comment**
- Chairman Maxim
- 10:30 – 10:40 Members’ Items**
- Jeff Hoedt, Office of Auxiliary and Boating Safety
- 10:40 – 11:30 How to Design an Effective Outreach Campaign**
- Bob Sprague, PCI Communications
- 11:30 – 1:00 LUNCH**
- 1:00 – 1:30 2017 National Recreational Boating Safety Survey (NRBSS)**
- Dr. Ed Mahoney, Michigan State University
- Don Kerlin, Office of Auxiliary & Boating Safety
- 1:30 – 1:50 Grant Update**
- Pavlo Oborski, Office of Auxiliary & Boating Safety
- 1:50 – 2:00 BREAK**

SUBCOMMITTEE MEETINGS

- 2:00 – 5:00 Boats & Associated Equipment Subcommittee**
- 2:00 – 2:10 Welcome and Introductions**
- Pete Chisholm, Subcommittee Chairman
- 2:10 – 2:25 Visual Distress Signals Update – RTCM SC132 Draft Standard Development**
- Marty Jackson, Office of Design and Engineering Standards (CG-ENG)

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Thursday, March 23rd Cont.

- 2:25 – 2:45 Update on Transition to New Life Jacket Approval Standards**
- Jackie Yurkovich, Office of Design & Engineering Standards (CG-ENG)
- 2:45 – 3:45 Partnership Activities: Propeller Safety & Engine Cutoff Switch Safe Boating Campaign**
- Rachel Johnson, National Safe Boating Council
- Partnership Activities: Educational Work by the Water Ski Industry Association**
- Larry Meddock, WSIA
- Partnership Activities: NMMA’s Activities to Promote Boating Safety**
- Nicole Vasilaros, National Marine Manufacturers Association
- 3:45 – 4:00 BREAK**
- 4:00 – 4:20 Fuel Issues: Ethanol & Isobutanol**
- Nicole Vasilaros, National Marine Manufacturer’s Association
- 4:20 – 4:40 Recent Propeller Injuries & Discussion of Potential Mitigation Strategies**
- Phil Cappel, Office of Auxiliary & Boating Safety
- John Adey, American Boat & Yacht Council
- 4:40 – 4:50 Update on Status of Review of Federal Manufacturing Standards (33 CFR Parts 181 & 183) & Discussion of Potential Recommendation**
- Phil Cappel, Office of Auxiliary & Boating Safety
- 4:50 – 5:00 New Business & Public Comment on Issues Related to Boats & Associated Equipment**
- Pete Chisholm, Subcommittee Chairman

Friday, March 24, 2017

9:00 – 11:30 Prevention Through People Subcommittee

- 9:00 – 9:10 Welcome and Introductions**
- Rich Jepsen, Subcommittee Chairman
- 9:10 – 9:40 Streamlining On-Water Instructor Licensing**
- Rich Jepsen, Subcommittee Chairman
- 9:40 – 10:00 Accident Data and Sources: What is Available to Review and Analyze**
- Rich Jepsen, Subcommittee Chairman
- 10:00 – 10:15 NTSB Report**
- Rich Jepsen, Public Member
- 10:15 – 10:30 BREAK**
- 10:30 – 11:00 Alignment of On-Water Training and Classroom Boating Safety Course Standards**
- Joanne Dorval, US Sailing
- Pam Dillon, National Association of State Boating Law Administrators
- 11:00 – 11:20 Boating Safety Outreach and Non-Regulatory Interventions**
- Rich Jepsen, Subcommittee Chairman

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- 11:20 – 11:30 New Business & Public Comment on Issues Related to Prevention through People**
- Rich Jepsen, Subcommittee Chairman

11:30 – 1:00 LUNCH

1:00 – 5:00 Strategic Planning Subcommittee

- 1:00 – 1:15 Welcome, Introduction, and Opening Comments**
- Ernie Marshburn, Subcommittee Chairman

- 1:15 – 1:45 Results of Issues Prioritization Survey**
- Harry Hogan, Office of Auxiliary & Boating Safety

- 1:45 – 2:30 USCG 2017-2021 Strategic Plan Implementation Report: Initiative 1**
Introduce team members and expertise
Implementation progress, milestones, timelines, and metrics
- Vann Burgess, Initiative Leader

2:30 – 2:45 BREAK

- 2:45 – 3:45 USCG 2017-2021 Strategic Plan Implementation Report: Initiative 2**
Introduce team members and expertise
Implementation progress, milestones, timelines, and metrics
- Phil Cappel, Initiative Leader

- 3:45 – 4:45 USCG 2017-2021 Strategic Plan Implementation Report: Initiative 3**
Introduce team members and expertise
Implementation progress, milestones, timelines, and metrics
- Don Kerlin, Initiative Leader

- 4:45 – 5:00 New Business & Public Comment on Issues Related to Strategic Planning**
- Ernie Marshburn, Subcommittee Chairman

FULL COUNCIL MEETING

Saturday, March 25, 2017

- 9:00 – 9:15 Call to Order**
- Chairman Maxim

- 9:15 – 10:00 Prevention through People Subcommittee Report**
- Subcommittee Report
- Public Comment
- Council Action
- Rich Jepsen, Subcommittee Chairman

- 10:00 – 10:45 Boats and Associated Equipment Subcommittee Report**
- Subcommittee Report
- Public Comment
- Council Action
- Pete Chisholm, Subcommittee Chairman

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Saturday, March 25, 2017, Cont.

10:45 – 11:30 Strategic Planning Subcommittee Report

- Subcommittee Report
- Public Comment
- Council Action
 - Ernie Marshburn, Subcommittee Chairman

11:30 – 12:00 Closing Remarks

- CAPT Boross
- CAPT Gifford
- Chairman Maxim

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