



Wednesday, November 4, 2009

9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars
6th Floor Flom Auditorium

9:00 AM WELCOME

- Blair A. Ruble, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars

9:05 AM OPENING REMARKS

- Mark Hurley, America's Energy Coast Industry Council and Shell
- The Honorable Mary Landrieu, U.S. Senator (LA)
- R. King Milling, America's WETLAND Foundation

9:15 AM REPORT ON AMERICA'S ENERGY COAST ACTIONS

No Net Loss of Culture

- Tina Shumate, Mississippi Department of Marine Resources

Proper Utilization of Harbor Maintenance Trust Fund

- Ted Falgout, Port Fourchon, LA

10:00 AM REMOVING OBSTACLES TO COASTAL SUSTAINABILITY

Conflicting Federal Policies

- Sidney Coffee, America's WETLAND Foundation
- Gerry Galloway, University of Maryland

Moderator: Valsin A. Marmillion, America's WETLAND Foundation

10:30 AM BREAK

10:45 AM REMOVING OBSTACLES TO COASTAL SUSTAINABILITY – CONTINUED

Effective Implementation of NEPA Process

- Ted Falgout, Port Fourchon, LA
- Karla Raettig, National Wildlife Federation
- John Gillen, Texas General Land Office

Moderator: Valsin A. Marmillion, America's WETLAND Foundation



CIAP: A State Perspective

- Tina Shumate, Mississippi Department of Marine Resources
- Jody Henneke, Texas General Land Office
- Garret Graves, Louisiana Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority

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Working with Congress on Policy Solutions

- Tanner Johnson, U.S. Senator Mary Landrieu's Office (invited)
- Ken Koposis, U.S. House of Representatives, Transportation and Infrastructure Committee

12:00 PM ADJOURNMENT

- R. King Milling, America's WETLAND Foundation
- Mark Hurley, America's Energy Coast Industry Council and Shell