

NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION

AGENDA

OCTOBER 8, 2009

**ONTONAGON THEATRE OF PERFORMING ARTS
311 N. STEEL STREET
ONTONAGON**

(Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are open to the public.)

12:00 noon NRC POLICY COMMITTEE ON LAND MANAGEMENT

1. Access for Timber Sales
2. Status of Municipal/School Forest Lands

1:45 p.m. NRC POLICY COMMITTEE ON WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES

1. Fisheries Regulations
2. Wildlife Regulations
 - Authority for Supplemental Feeding of Deer
 - Quality Deer Management Procedures – Discussion
3. UP Habitat Work Group, Private Land Wildlife Habitat Issues Identification – Final Report

3:00 p.m. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

1. Partners In Conservation Award Presentation
2. Director's Action Items – Discussion
3. Legislative Update
4. Washington, D. C. Report
5. UP Citizens' Advisory Committees Update
6. 2010 Budget Update
7. Special Recognition

**4:30 p.m. PUBLIC APPEARANCES BEFORE THE
NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION**

- Marcy Cella
- Pat Kitzman – Commercial Forest Act
- Charles Markham – Commercial Bear Baiting
- Nancy Warren, Earthlink – Commercial Bear Baiting
- Dale McNamee, U. P. Sportsman’s Alliance – Deer Issues
- Rory Mattson, U. P. Sportsman’s Alliance – Deer Issues
- Dave Westerberg, U. P. Sportsman’s Alliance – Deer Issues
- George Lindquist, U. P. Whitetails of Marquette County
- Al Ettenhofer, UP Whitetails Association Inc. – Deer Issues
- Amy Spray, MUCC – Deer Management
- John Lucas Trenary, U. P. Sportsman’s Alliance – Deer Issues
- Jay Maki, Tahquamenon Sportsmen’s Club – Deer Issues
- Don Canfield, Tahquamenon Sportsmen’s Club – Deer Issues,
Wolves

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE
NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION**

**I. FOR INFORMATION ONLY
NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACTION IN NOVEMBER**

Authority for Supplemental Feeding Deer
 Wildlife Conservation Order Amendment No. 20 of 2009
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II. NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACTION

- A. Approval of Minutes – September 10, 2009
 Natural Resources Commission Meeting

- B. Managed Waterfowl Area Technical Amendment
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Shingleton Management Unit – Alger County

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- (3) The Munising Visitors Bureau Tract –
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