



Monday August 23, 2021

3:00 PM

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Agenda

- I. Call to Order, *Chairman Jim Johnson*

Old Business

- II. Today's Agenda
- III. Adopt May 24, 2021 meeting minutes

New Business

- I. Introductory Remarks
Elizabeth Biser, NCDEQ Secretary
- II. American Recovery Plan and funding for State broadband initiatives
*Nate Denny, Deputy Secretary for Broadband & Digital Equity,
N.C. Department of Information Technology Division of Broadband and Digital Equity*
- III. Update on Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative petition to EMC and DEQ actions
Mike Abraczinskas, Director, Division of Air Quality (DAQ), NCDEQ
- IV. Presentation on VW Phase II Settlement funding opportunity; historically under-resourced counties outreach program
Brian Phillips, Supervisor, Mobile Sources Compliance Branch, DAQ, NCDEQ
- V. Presentation and Discussion of Section 11 of the 2021 Farm Act: Create a New General Permit for Farms with Farm Digester Systems
Joy Hicks, Senior Director for Governmental Affairs, NCDEQ
- VI. Adjourn
- VII. Break
- VIII. Public Comment Period 5:10 PM – 6:10 PM