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NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION AND COMMENT MEETING

**South Atlantic Alliance
Draft Action Plan – Public Information and Comment
October 26, 2010
6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.**

**New Bern Riverfront Convention Center – Tryon A
203 South Front Street
New Bern, NC 28563**

The South Atlantic Alliance is a voluntary partnership established by the Governors of North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Florida. The mission of the South Atlantic Alliance is to significantly increase regional collaboration among South Atlantic states, with federal agency partners and other stakeholders, to sustain and enhance the environmental (coastal/marine), natural resource, economic, public safety, social, and national defense missions of the respective states and the South Atlantic region.

The South Atlantic Alliance has developed a draft *Action Plan* that identifies specific Goals, Objectives and Actions within four priority issue areas: Healthy Ecosystems, Working Waterfronts, Clean Coastal and Ocean Waters, and Disaster Resilient Communities. The draft *Action Plan* is available online:

<http://www.southatlanticalliance.org>. A public information and comment meeting will be held at the New Bern Riverfront Convention Center, Tryon A Room, from 6:30-8:00 PM on October 26, 2010 to solicit verbal comments on the draft *Action Plan*.

Written comments will be accepted until November 1, 2010. Written comments should be submitted via email to SAA@ncdenr.gov. E-mail submissions should indicate in the subject line if comments are General or pertain to a specific priority issue area (Healthy Ecosystems, Working Waterfronts, Clean Coastal and Ocean Waters, and Disaster Resilient Communities). Comments may also be submitted in writing to: Chris Russo- NCDENR Secretary's Office, 1601 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1601.

Implementing science-based policies and solutions that enhance and protect the value of coastal and ocean resources of the southeastern United States to support the region's culture and economy now and for future generations.

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