

FLORIDA BEACH PATROL CHIEFS ASSOCIATION University of Miami FRIDAY March 10, 2017 @ 10:00am

Directions to the University of Miami Meeting:

4600 Rickenbacker Causeway Miami FL 33149.

I-95 S until it ends (Exit 1A); you will take last exit toward Key Biscayne. Follow signs to Rickenbacker Causeway (please note there are a few tolls). Park outside the gate to the campus and walk in. There will be someone to direct individuals to the meeting.

<u>AGENDA</u>

Meeting called to order / Thank host agency

Approval of minutes from The Manatee County Meeting.

Communications

Officers Reports:

- President: Eric Hellstrom
- VP / South: Mike Huck
- VP / Central: Joe Peloquin
- VP / North: Andy Ritchie
- VP / Panhandle: Rich Huffnagle
- VP / West Coast: Joe Westerman
- Treasurer: Phil Wotton
- Secretary: Breck Ballou
- Advisor: Breck Ballou

Disposing of bills – Treasury balance/ Collection of 2017 dues

Business - USLA / SER Update

Discussion

- Demonstration of new wave tank (60 minutes)
- Short Presentation by Holly Parker, Surf Rider Foundation.
- Short Presentation by Dr. John Hearin about wave formation--pre and post nourishment.
- Presentation about the impact of beach nourishment on public safety (Dr. Haus and Dr. Fletemeyer)
- Announcement of the next International Rip Current Symposium with Chiefs possible involvement.
- Banquet Awards/USLA Awards (25 year etc..)
- Banquet Update from Palm Beach County

New /Old Business (If Time Permits)

- Public Education
- Assignment of Surveys

Committee Reports

- Beach Statistics // Salary Survey // Florida Beaches and Phone Directory
- FBPCA Apparel Coordinator
- Sprint Series Tournaments / EMS Competitions
- Special Risk Retirement
- Public Education
- FBPCA 2017 Budget Expenditures and projects
- FBPCA Librarian / Historian Photographer
- FBPCA By-Laws
- FBPCA Membership Drive
- Statewide meetings / Educational Conferences
- Central and South America developmental aid
- Comprehensive study National & International
- USLA/ SER meeting liaison
- Junior Lifeguard Program Coordinator/ Liaison
- FBPCA & USLA Liaison
- Research and Development
- Chiefs Public Information Officer (PIO)

Closing statements and meeting adjournment

Next meeting: Friday April 7th – Palm Beach County Please assist Host agency with clean-up of facility.