Welcome

• ‘Housekeeping’
  – Parking Validation
  – Exits
  – Restrooms

• Introductions
Recap/Timeline

• Draft guidance available in December 2017

• Stakeholder Interaction in 2018
  – Kick-off Meeting 1 – January 23, 2018
  – Comments – February 28, 2018
  – Meeting 2 – June 13, 2018
  – Meeting 3 – July 10, 2018
  – Meeting 4 – August 27, 2018
  – Meeting 5 – September 20, 2018
  – Meeting 6 – October 4, 2018

• Pilot Phase through late summer 2018
  – Completed

• Draft Rule proposed by end of 2018
  – September & October 2018 – drafting rule

• Final Rule promulgated by end of 2019

Stakeholders

Adaptation Strategies • America’s WETLAND Foundation • Beall Law • City of Carencro • Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority • Comite Resources • CSRS • Digital Engineering • Dow • Entergy • ExxonMobil • Freese and Nichols • Green Army • Gulf Coast Center for Law & Policy • Gulf Restoration Network • Harris, DeVeille & Associates • Harrison Law • JMB Companies • Lafayette Consolidated Government • Lake Pontchartrain Basin Foundation • Louisiana Chemical Association • Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Forestry • Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality • Louisiana Department of Natural Resources • Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries • Louisiana Environmental Action Network • Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation • Louisiana Legislature, House of Representatives • Louisiana Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association • Louisiana State University Agricultural Center • Louisiana Sea Grant • Louisiana Water Synergy Platform • Louisiana Wildlife Federation • NextEra Energy Marketing • NRG • PCA • PPM • Providence Engineering and Environmental Group • RES • Restore the Earth Foundation • Schlumberger • Shell • Sierra Club • Sparta Groundwater Commission • St. Tammany Parish Government • Stonehenge • TestAmerica • Texas Institute for Applied Environmental Research, Tarleton State University • The Nature Conservancy • The Water Institute of the Gulf • Tierra Resources • Tradebe Environmental Services • Tulane Environmental Law Clinic • USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service • USDA Office of Environmental Markets • US Environmental Protection Agency
Draft Rule

• Review edits from September 20 discussion

Tentative Rulemaking Timeline

**Targeted Dates**

- **October 5, 2018**  Draft Rule & Forms to Regulation Development (RD) Section
- **November 20, 2018**  RD sends forms to Fiscal Office
- **December 10, 2018**  Notice of Intent submitted to *Louisiana Register*
- **December 20, 2018**  Notice of Intent published in *Louisiana Register*
  Comment Period Begins
- **January 24, 2019**  Rulemaking Hearing
- **January 31, 2019**  Comment Period Ends

- Dates To Be Determined (TBD) – possible may occur Spring/Summer 2019
  - Comment Summary Response & Concise Statement to RD
  - Summary Report to Legislative Oversight Committee
  - Final Rule to RD
  - Final Rule to *Louisiana Register*
  - Final Rule Published in *Louisiana Register*
Guidance

• Revision with consideration of stakeholder feedback

• Stakeholder review of revision
  – *Anticipated October/November 2018*

• Revised version available at same time as rule proposed

Other Considerations

• What other trading items should we discuss that have not been brought up?
Other Considerations

• Looking ahead, how do you foresee future interactions as a stakeholder group?

Wrap-Up

• Tentative Timeline
  – Revised Guidance
    • October/November 2018
  – Target propose rule by end of the year
    • December 20, 2018 Louisiana Register
  – Hearing & Comment period
    • Hearing January 24, 2019*
    • Comment period ends January 31, 2019*
  *dependent on making the Dec 20, 2018 Louisiana Register
Water Quality Credit Trading
Stakeholder Meeting

• Thank you!


• Link to materials from past meetings, draft guidance, ACWA case studies, etc.