

**84<sup>TH</sup> MEETING OF THE COASTAL ENGINEERING RESEARCH BOARD**

**Marriott New Orleans Metairie at Lakeway  
Metairie, LA  
2-3 April 2008**

**WORKING DRAFT AGENDA**

**GOAL AND OBJECTIVES:** To examine the Louisiana Coastal Protection and Restoration Study (LACPR) and the Mississippi Coastal Improvement Project (MsCIP) from the “Systems Perspective” in order to advise the Chief of Engineers on the research that is needed and the technical skills and capabilities that must be developed in order for the Corps to robustly implement a “Systems Approach to Coastal Protection.”

**THEME: Regional System-Wide Analysis Lessons Learned from LACPR and MsCIP**

**Wednesday, 2 April 2008 (Jefferson Grand Ballroom)**

0800 – 0820	Welcome and Opening Remarks	MG Don T. Riley, President BG Michael J. Walsh, Commander, Mississippi Valley Division COL Alvin B. Lee, Commander, New Orleans District BG Joseph Schroedel, Commander, South Atlantic Division
0820 – 0850	Overview	Mr. Zoltan L. Montvai, Headquarters, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
0850 – 0950	LACPR and MsCIP (Regional System-wide Analysis) (Presentations on Breath of Subject)	
	a. Oceanographic	Dr. Ty V. Wamsley, Coastal and Hydraulics Laboratory (CHL)
0950 – 1010	Break	
1010 – 1130	Continuation of LACPR and MsCIP (Regional System-wide Analysis)	
	b. Sediment	Dr. Jeffrey P. Waters, CHL
	c. Fresh Water Systems and Ecology	Dr. Barbara A. Kleiss, Environmental Laboratory
1130 – 1230	Lunch (St. Tammany Meeting Room)	

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1230 – 1330	Continuation of LACPR and MsCIP (Regional System-wide Analysis)	
	d. Economical and Sociological Systems	Mr. Brian Harper, Institute for Water Resources
	e. Political Systems	Dr. Leonard A. Shabman, Resources for the Future (Tentative)
1330 – 1430	States Perspective	Dr. William W. Walker, Mississippi Department of Marine Resources
		Mr. Garret Graves, Governor's Office of Coastal Activities (Tentative)
1430 – 1445	Break	
1445 – 1515	Public Comment	
1515 – 1530	Remarks from Members of the Board	
1530	Adjourn	
1600 – 1730	Executive Session (Orleans Meeting Room)	
1830 – 2030	Social	

**Thursday, 3 April 2008**

0900 – 1200 Board Working Session (Orleans Meeting Room)