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HURRICANE RESEARCH ADVISORY COMMITTEE
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January 7, 2025

10:00 a.m.

Minutes

HURRICANE RESEARCH ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sergio Ascunce	Rebecca Quinn
Joe Belcher	Mike Savage
Milad Shabanian for Anne Cope, Ph.D.	Brad Schiffer
Jeffery Gross	Jim Schock
Mark Mikkelson	Vince Seijas
Craig Parrino	Brian Swope
John "Bud" Plisich	

HURRICANE RESEARCH ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS

NOT PRESENT:

Michael Bourré, Chairman	David Compton
Jeffery Schnellmann	

STAFF PRESENT:

Mo Madani	Marlita Peters
Jim Hammers	Justin Vogel
Sabrina Evans	Alan Burke

MEETING FACILITATION:

The meeting was facilitated by Jeff Blair from Facilitated Solutions, LLC. Consultation, Process Design & Facilitation. Information at: facilitatedsolutions.org

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Welcome:

Mr. Blair welcomed everyone to the meeting of the Hurricane Research Advisory Committee.

Roll Call:

Mr. Blair performed roll call for the HRAC. A quorum was determined with 13 members present at roll call

Agenda Approval:

Mr. Seijas entered a motion to approve the agenda as posted. Mr. Belcher seconded the motion. The motion was passed unanimously with a vote of 13 to 0.

Approval of Meeting minutes from November 13, 2024:

Mr. Belcher entered a motion to approve the minutes for November 13, 2024, meeting as posted. Commissioner Schock seconded the motion. The motion was passed unanimously with a vote of 13 to 0.

Research Work Plan FY 2024/2025:

Mr. Madani informed the Committee there were no changes to the Research Work Plan FY 2024/2025.

Motion:

No action.

Interim Draft Report for Research Project Titled “Investigation of the Wind-borne Debris Regions in ASCE 7-22.”

Staff:

Mr. Madani provided a brief overview of the process on the Interim Draft Report for Research Project Titled “Investigation of the Wind-borne Debris Regions in ASCE 7-22.”

Presenter:

Dr. Jennifer Bridge, UF provided details on the scope of work for the Interim Draft Report for the Research Project Titled “Investigation of the Wind-borne Debris Regions in ASCE 7-22.”

Discussion:

Members of the Workgroup and Dr. Jennifer Bridge went into discussion with questions and comments.

Public Comment:

Jaime Gascon, Miami-Dade County, briefly provided his comments on the Interim Draft Report for the Research Project Titled “Investigation of the Wind-borne Debris Regions in ASCE 7-22.”

Discussion:

Members of the Workgroup and Dr. Jennifer Bridge went into discussion with questions and comments.

Motion:

Mr. Plisich entered a motion to accept the Interim Draft Report for the Research Project Titled: “Investigation of the Wind-borne Debris Regions in ASCE 7-22,” and to include references to the FEMA MAT reports indicated by John Plisich in the eventual final report. Mr. Savage seconded the motion. The motion was passed unanimously with a vote of 13 to 0.

Other Workshop Business:

None.

Public Comment:

None.

HRAC Member and Staff Comment:

None.

Adjourn:

Commissioner Schock entered a motion to adjourn the HRAC’s meeting. Mr. Savage seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously with a vote of 13 to 0 and the meeting was adjourned the at 10:57 a.m.