FLOWER GARDEN BANKS NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY
ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING
Wednesday, February 8th, 2011
9:00 AM – 2:00 PM, Ballroom, 2nd Floor

Artificial Reef Working Group Meeting
2:30 – 4:30 PM, Conference Room, 1st Floor

AGENDA

9:00 AM Welcome & Announcements G.P. Schmahl

9:15 AM Administrative Business and Announcements Larry McKinney
Adoption of agenda
Approval of minutes of previous meeting
Brief Council Member Announcements

9:30 AM Sanctuary Update G.P. Schmahl
Report on sanctuary activities since Nov. 2011

10:15 AM Standing Subcommittee Reports Jacqui Stanley
Youth Working Group Subcommittee
Artificial Reef Working Group Frank Burek

10:45 AM Staff Year-in-Review Reports Shelley DuPuy
Education and Outreach Emma Hickerson
Research

11:30 AM New Business

11:45 AM Public Comment and Q&A Period

12:00 PM Lunch

1:00 PM Presentation and Discussion Paul Sammarco
Professor,
Louisiana Universities Marine Consortium (LUMCON)
Dr. Sammarco will address his current research interests
which include distribution, abundance, and recruitment of
corals in the northern Gulf of Mexico; artificial reef
structures; and invasive species.

2:00 PM Adjourn

BREAK

2:30 PM Artificial Reef Working Group Meeting Frank Burek
Open to all SAC members and the public
Agenda to be provided