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**ODNR Director Sean Logan re-elected chairman
of Ohio Lake Erie Commission**

Commission announces its 2010 meeting schedule

TOLEDO, OH – Sean D. Logan, director of the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, was recently re-elected chairman of the Ohio Lake Erie Commission for 2010. Jolene Molitoris, director of the Ohio Department of Transportation, was re-elected secretary.

Other 2010 commission members include Chris Korleski, director of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency; Lisa Patt-McDaniel, director of the Ohio Department of Development; Dr. Alvin Jackson, director of the Ohio Department of Health; and Robert Boggs, director of the Ohio Department of Agriculture.

Additionally, the Ohio Lake Erie Commission announced its schedule of quarterly meetings for the following year. All commission meetings are open to the public and include a public comment period. Organizations and citizens are encouraged to attend these meetings and provide comments.

The 2010 meeting schedule is as follows, but dates are subject to change. Meeting dates are also listed on the Ohio Lake Erie Commission's website at <http://lakeerie.ohio.gov>.

- **Wed., March 10, 10 a.m.** – Alum Creek State Park, 3615 S. Old State Road, Delaware (Delaware County)
- **Wed., June 23, 10 a.m.** – Shore Cultural Centre, 291 E. 222nd Street, Euclid (Cuyahoga County)
- **Wed., September 22, 10 a.m.** –The University of Toledo's Lake Erie Center, 6200 Bayshore Road, Oregon (Lucas County)
- **Wed., December 15, 10 a.m.** – Ohio Department of Agriculture, 8995 E. Main Street, Auditorium A, Reynoldsburg (Franklin County)

The Ohio Lake Erie Commission was established in 1990 for the purpose of preserving Lake Erie's natural resources, protecting the quality of its waters and ecosystem, and promoting economic development in the region.

The commission oversees the Ohio Lake Erie Protection Fund, a grant fund which promotes environmental protection and economic development in the Lake Erie watershed. This fund is

supported by Ohioans each time they purchase a Lake Erie license plate displaying either the Marblehead Lighthouse or the Toledo Harbor Lighthouse, designed by Ohio artist Ben Richmond.

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