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The South Carolina Chapter of the American Fisheries Society
invites you to attend a workshop/forum discussion on

"Ecosystem Based Fisheries Management in South Carolina"

November 9, 2007 from 1:00-4:30pm,

in the Russell House Theater,

University of South Carolina Campus in Columbia, SC.

This event will open the chapter's 25th anniversary year. Three presentations, highlighting different aspects of fisheries management in SC will set the stage for a forum discussion about ecosystem based fisheries management. This discussion will be moderated by Dr. John Mark Dean and we encourage active participation of the audience in the discussions. Forum members represent diverse aspects of South Carolina fisheries and will include Dr. Josh Eagle (U.S.C School of Law), Mr. Robert Boyles (S.C.Dept.Natural.Resources - Marine Resources Division), Mr. Mark Mahefka (commercial fisherman), Dr. Mark Scott (S.C.Dept.Natural.Resources - Wildlife and Freshwater Fisheries), Mr. Roger Pugliese (S.Atl.Fish.Management Council), and others. We expect attendance of people with a wide range of natural resource management interests.

Please RSVP to Carrie Hendrix (secretary@scafs.org) so that we will know how many people to expect.

This event is co-sponsored by The South Carolina Fisheries Workers Association, the University of South Carolina's Marine Science Program, Belle W. Baruch Institute for Marine and Coastal Sciences, and School of the Environment, the Clemson University Strom Thurmond Institute of Government and Public Affairs, the South Carolina Department of Natural Resources, the South Atlantic Fisheries Management Council, and various other organizations.

Participants are invited to a reception from 5-7pm following the event. This reception is free for speakers, forum members, and SC-AFS and SCFWA members. Membership of either organization is \$5/yr. Further information on this workshop and our organization is available on our web site (www.SCAFS.org) or by contacting us at the address below.

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