

Gulf of Mexico Alliance

Priority Issue Teams

Louisiana Participants (2009)

1. *Nutrients and Nutrients Impact* – Kris Pintado, Louisiana DEQ; Dugan Sabins, Louisiana DEQ; Chuck Killebrew, OCPR (GOMA State Lead – Mississippi DEQ)
2. *Water Quality* – Dugan Sabins, Louisiana DEQ; Kris Pintado, Louisiana DEQ – Pathogens Workgroup; Emelise Cormier, Louisiana DEQ – Mercury Workgroup; Eric Garner, Louisiana DEQ – Monitoring Workgroup(GOMA State Lead – Florida DEP)
3. *Ecosystem Assessment and Integration* – Heather Finely, Louisiana DWF; Jeff Marx, Louisiana DWF (GOMA State Lead-Texas CEQ)
4. *Habitat Conservation and Restoration* – Jim Pahl , Louisiana OCPR; Greg DuCote, Louisiana DNR; Syed Khalil, Louisiana OCPR- Regional Sediment Master Management Plan (GOMA State Lead – Louisiana OCPR/DNR);
5. *Environmental Education* – Diane Lindstedt, LSU Sea Grant; Ann Wilson, Louisiana Dept of Education (GOMA State Lead – Alabama DCNR)
6. *Coastal Community Resilience*- Michele Deshotels, Louisiana DOTD/OCPR; Carol Richards, Louisiana OCPR (State Lead- Mississippi DMR, Louisiana OCPR)

CEQ – Commission on Environmental Quality, Texas

DCNR – Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, Alabama

DEP – Department of Environmental Protection, Florida

DEQ – Department of Environmental Quality, Louisiana, Mississippi

DMR – Department of Marine Resources, Mississippi

DNR – Department of Natural Resources, Louisiana

DOTD – Department of Transportation and Development, Louisiana

DWF – Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, Louisiana

GOCA – Governor’s Office of Coastal Activities, Louisiana

LSU- Louisiana State University

OCPR – Office of Coastal Protection and Restoration, Louisiana

