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PUBLIC NOTICE

Commissioner Jean-Pierre L. Oriol of the Department of Planning and Natural Resources informs the public that the following St. John CZM Committee Public Hearing is scheduled for Thursday, July 15, 2021 at 4:00 pm. In an effort to help to reduce the global spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19), this meeting will be held via the video conferencing platform Zoom.

The agenda is as follows:

Public Hearing:

Underwater Memorial, LLC (Major CZM Permit Application No. CZJ-01-21(FC)) requests permission to create an underwater memorial park where people can have their ashes incorporated into small structures which will serve as hard substrate for coral colonization and as attachment points for coral propagation. The proposed project the park boundary would be approximately 250' off Congo Cay and 250' off Lovango, St. John.

The application documents are available for public review on the DPNR-CZM Website at <https://dprn.vi.gov/czm/programs-viczmp/coastal-zone-permitting-viczmp/> Further, these documents for the proposed project are on file for review **by appointment only** at the Department of Planning and Natural Resources, Division of CZM, Charles Wesley Turnbull Regional Public Library, 4607 Tutu Park Mall, St. Thomas, Virgin Islands (340) 774-3320, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., except holidays.

Please note that this is a Public Hearing; therefore, public testimony will be heard. Properly signed statements concerning the proposed project, addressed to the undersigned, will become part of the hearing record. Written statements must be submitted by August 13, 2021 via email to czm@dprn.vi.gov.

The following information should be used to view the meeting:

URL: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89840413998?pwd=Wm1FRHlnYU1OV2FQaTRTaHpHOWJGZz09>

Meeting ID: 898 4041 3998

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