

**Recipient Entity:** DNR

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**Project:** Waddell Mariculture Center Turnure House Renovation

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**Justification of Request/Public Benefit:** The Turnure House on the SCDNR Waddell Mariculture Center property is used to provide accommodations for SCDNR staff conducting research and educational activities in the Beaufort County area. Other institutions that utilize the space include biologists and archaeologists from USC, as well as USCB and SCDNR interns. The conference space has been used by the MAC, Coast Guard Auxiliary, ROTC and various SCDNR outreach programs.

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