

## **Public Comment/Concerns**

*2 submitted via Google Forms, 1 via email*

### **1. Offshore Wind**

- The individual expressed concerns about the impacts of emf's from subsea cables may have on species and sediment displacement.
- The Individual also expressed their personal views that the Center has not spoken up/acted and referenced funds previously accepted by wind companies.

### **2. Light Pollution**

- The individual asked if CIB is addressing the increasing amount of light pollution (in particular there are some businesses on the water that have extremely high wattage flood lights) and the potential impact on migratory species or on other animals who inhabit/frequent the bays.
- Lisa responded—shared information about the HOA pilot program addressing light pollution, suggested contacting Tri-State Bird Research & Rescue and MERR Institute to see if they have any efforts underway—including waterfront business sources, and shared info about the CAC meeting
- Possible CAC action opportunity?

### **3. Wildlife Protection**

- The individual expressed concerns about recent bird shootings—they saved a Red-tailed hawk on their property that had been shot and heard word that an eagle was also shot and killed somewhere in Sussex county. They specifically asked how they might be able to spread the word about the liability in shooting wildlife.
- Referencing the growing development and habitat loss taking place, the individual also expressed concerns about the impacts of habitat loss on wildlife.
- Lisa responded—shared information about Tri-State Bird Research & Rescue, the Delaware Council of Wildlife Rehabilitators and Educators, DNREC Fish & Wildlife's Natural Resources Police department, and info on the CAC meeting