WILDLIFE DIVERSITY CONSERVATION & FUNDING COMMITTEE

Chair: Sara Parker Pauley, Missouri Department of Conservation
Vice Chair: Jonathan Regosin, Massachusetts Division of Fisheries and Wildlife

Thursday March 7, 2019
8:00 am to 12:00 pm

North American Wildlife and Natural Resources Conference
Room: Governors Square 14
Sheraton Denver Downtown| Denver, CO

Committee Charge: Advocate for long-term dedicated funding and annual appropriations for the conservation of species of greatest conservation need, nature-based recreation and conservation education and support development, implementation and revision of State Wildlife Action Plans.

Agenda

08:00AM Call to Order/Review Agenda/Introductions-Sara Parker Pauley, MDOC
08:15AM Approval of Committee Report from the September 2018 Meeting-Sara Parker Pauley, MDOC
08:25AM Recovering America’s Wildlife Act/Alliance for America’s Fish & Wildlife
  • Recap of 115th Congress/National Strategy for the 116th Congress/Changes to Legislation/Advocacy Campaign-Sean Saville & Jen Mock Schaeffer, AFWA
  • National Wildlife Federation Campaign Plan-Naomi Edelson, NWF
  • How can States Support the National Campaign-John Davis, TPWD
09:15AM Fish and Wildlife Relevancy Roadmap-Tony Wasley, NDOW
10:00AM -BREAK-
10:15AM Report from EOD/WDCF Joint Working Group-Jen Newmark, NDOW
10:25AM State & Tribal Wildlife Grants-FY19 & FY20 Funding & Fly-in-Mark Humpert, AFWA
10:35AM Wildlife & Sport Fish Restoration Program Update-Steve Kline, FWS
  • Status of Competitive State Wildlife Grants Recommendations
  • Update on TRACS Reporting System
10:50AM  State Wildlife Action Plans
  - SWAP Implementation Best Practices Guide-Melissa Panella, NGPC
  - The Missouri Comprehensive Conservation Strategy and Landscape Health Index-Norman Murray, MDOC
  - National Bird Conservation Priorities-Jude Scarl, AFWA
11:35AM  Species Distribution Model White Paper-Jonathan Mawdsley, AFWA
11:45AM  Review 2019 Committee Work Plan-Jon Regosin, MDFW
12:00PM  Adjourn