



Angler and Boating Participation Committee
Chair: John Arway (PA)
Vice-Chair: Greg Sheehan (UT)

Wednesday, March 8, 2017
1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

82nd North American Wildlife and Natural Resources Conference
Davenport Grand Hotel - Spokane, Washington

Committee Charge:

Guide actions that maintain and enhance participation in angling, boating and other aquatic resource-based recreation including:

- Promoting policies that enhance aquatic-based recreational opportunities.
- Working with partners to identify barriers to participation and develop programs to overcome them.
- Facilitating the flow of information regarding trends in participation; benefit of enhancement programs; and costs of barriers to participation among partners, users and policy makers.

Proposed Agenda:

1:00 PM	Call to Order and Introductions Review Agenda/Approval of Minutes March 2016 Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Action Item	<i>John Arway, PA</i>
1:05 PM	RBFF Informational Update - State R3 Efforts (Informational)	<i>Stephanie Hussey, RBFF</i>
1:20 PM	VA. Boating Access Study Web Resource: http://bit.ly/2kxHhhI (Informational)	<i>Mike Bednarski, VA</i>
1:35 PM	SOBA Update (Informational)	<i>Libby Yranski, SOBA</i>

- 1:50 PM** Data Dashboards Update *Rob Southwick, Southwick Associates*
(Informational) *Samantha Pedder, CAHSS*
- 2:05 PM** DJ Case Locavore Project *Phil Seng, DJ Case*
(Informational)
- 2:20 PM** Update from the Sportfishing and *Brian Bohnsack, USFWS*
Boating Partnership Council
(Informational)
- 2:35 PM** NMMA Update *Nicole Vasilaros, NMMA*
- HIN Boating Regulations and State Registration
- Outdoor Recreation Industry Roundtable (Infrastructure Bill)
- EPA RFS
(Informational)
- 2:50 PM** Boating Legislative Update *Jen Mock-Schaeffer, AFWA*
(Informational)
- 3:10 PM** National Survey Update
- 3:20 PM** US FWS WSFR Program Update *Tom Busiahn, USFWS*
- WSFR role in R3 (ARE Grants)
(Informational)
- 3:35 PM** AFWA Committee Work Plan Review *Ryan Roberts, AFWA*
(Committee Feedback)
- 3:50 PM** Meeting Wrap/Adjourn *John Arway, PA*