LEGISLATIVE AND FEDERAL BUDGET COMMITTEE  
Chair: Eric Sutton (FL)  
Vice-Chair: David Whitehurst (VA)  

Monday, September 10, 2018  
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM  

108th AFWA Annual Meeting  
Meeting Room TBD / Tampa Marriott Waterside / Tampa, FL

DRAFT Agenda

10:00 am  Call to order, introductions, review agenda – Eric Sutton

10:05  Recovering America’s Wildlife Act (HR4647; S3223)–Jen Mock Schaeffer
       • Status, bill differences, talking points, strategies and what you can do

10:25  Farm Bill Reauthorization–Dave Nomsen (PF/QF), Andrew Schmidt (DU), Joel Pedersen (NWTF)
       • Status: conservation, forestry, and compliance; what to expect; and what you can do

10:45  Senator Barrasso’s draft ESA amendments–background, what they do and why it’s important; Western Congressional Caucus ESA amendments–what they change and comparison to Barrasso’s draft bill – David Willms

11.15  Updating AFWA’s Land and Water Conservation Fund reauthorization white paper – Jen Mock Schaeffer & All
       • Review and discuss white paper edits and next steps

11.30  Hitting the High Points
       • Modernizing the Pittman-Robertson Funds for Tomorrow’s Needs Act (HR2591, S1613) –Jen Mock Schaeffer
       • Water Resources Development Act reauthorization – Andrew Wilkens (TRCP)
       • National Fish Habitat Conservation Through Partnerships Act (HR6660) – Mike Leonard (ASA) and Jen Mock Schaeffer
       • Migratory Bird Framework and Veterans Hunting Opportunity Act (S2942, HR 6013) – TBD, Jen Mock Schaeffer
• Chronic Wasting Disease Transmission in Cervidae Study Act (HR6272); Chronic Wasting Disease Management Act (HR4454); Chronic Wasting Disease Support for the States Act (S2252)
  • Bill differences, sportsmen’s community actions, live movement moratorium ideas, and prospects for 2018 – Jen Mock Schaeffer and Andrew Wilkens (TRCP)

11:50 Other business
11:55 Wrap-up, next steps and actions for the Business Meeting
12:00pm Adjourn