

FISHERIES & WATER RESOURCES POLICY COMMITTEE

Chair: Bryan King (District of Columbia)

Vice-Chair: Jim Fredericks (Idaho)

Date: March 10, 2021

Time: 10AM – 1PM CT

86th North American Wildlife and Natural Resources Conference Virtual

Agenda

- 10:00 Call to Order/Review Agenda/Introductions
- 10:05 Approval of Minutes for the 2020 AFWA Annual Meeting, Review Committee Charge
- 10:10 Report from Subcommittee and Working Groups
- Subcommittee on Water – *Jason Olive, AR / Jon Sjoberg, NV*
 - Drug Approval Working Group – *Alan Johnson, IA / Kevin Kwak, CA*
 - Bird & Fish Related Conflict Working Group – *Craig Bonds, TX / Jim Fredericks, ID*
- 10:25 FWCA Communication Improvements – *Jen Sheehan, AR*
- 10:30 AFWA Government Affairs Update – *David Lind, AFWA*
- Recovering America's Wildlife Act
 - Enacted Legislation Implementation
 - America's Conservation Enhancement Act
 - Great American Outdoors Act
 - Wallop-Breaux Reauthorization
 - Appropriations – Priorities and Status
 - Administration – Actions, Regulation Status
- 10:40 National Fish Habitat Partnership Update – *Ryan Roberts, AFWA*
- 10:50 Bowfishing: Expansion, Impacts, and Management – *Jason Schooley, OK/
Dr. Dennis Scarnecchia, U of ID*
- 11:20 Health Break
- 11:30 USFWS Migratory Bird Program Update – *Ken Richkus, USFWS*
- Cormorant Rule, Status and Implementation
- 11:55 USFWS Fish and Aquatic Conservation Program Update – *David Hoskins, USFWS*
- 12:20 USGS Fisheries Program Update – *Dave Hu, USGS*
- National Fisheries Summit
- 12:40 State Roundtable – *All*
- Abandoned Mine Lands
 - Region-Based Conservation Initiatives

12:55 Wrap-up Discussion

1:00 Adjourn

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