Agenda

- Call to Order/Review Agenda/Introductions (5 minutes)
  Russ Mason (MI)

- Programmatic Updates (60 minutes)
  - National Cooperators Coalition update John Kennedy (WY) (10 minutes)
  - USGS Ecosystems and Cooperative Fish and Wildlife Research Units Anne Kinsinger, John Thompson (USGS) (10 minutes)
  - Strategic Science at USFWS Benjamin Tuggle (USFWS) (10 minutes)
  - Strategic Science at U. S. Forest Service Monica Tomosy (USFS) (10 minutes)
  - Human Dimensions Subcommittee Update Ann Forstchen (FL) (10 minutes)
  - Monarch Butterfly Conservation Science Plan Ed Boggess and Claire Beck (MAFWA) (10 minutes)

- Committee Update: Species Distribution Models as Tools for Conservation and Management (20 minutes)
  - USGS Workshop Series Tom Edwards (UT Coop Unit) (10 minutes)
  - Draft AFWA White Paper – BMPs for model development (Jonathan Mawdsley, AFWA) (10 minutes)

- Committee Discussion: State Agency Science Needs Survey (40 minutes)
  - Introduction Jonathan Mawdsley (AFWA) (5 minutes)
  - Previous efforts Russ Mason (MI) and Committee (10 minutes)
  - Committee perspectives and discussion: identify key thematic areas and questions to be addressed in the survey? (25 minutes)

  Objectives and Desired Outcomes for Committee Discussion:
  - Create working group to assist AFWA in implementation of survey results
  - Identify priority thematic areas and questions for the State Agency Science Needs Survey

- Adjourn