

WILDLIFE DIVERSITY CONSERVATION & FUNDING COMMITTEE

Chair: Sara Parker Pauley, Missouri Department of Conservation Vice Chair: Jonathan Regosin, Massachusetts Division of Fisheries and Wildlife Tuesday March 9, 2021 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm (Central Time) 86th North American Wildlife and Natural Resources Conference

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 (CT)

- 01:00PM Call to Order/Review Agenda/Introductions-Sara Parker Pauley, MDOC
- 01:10PM Approval of Committee Report from the September 2020 Meeting-Sara Parker Pauley, MDOC
- 01:15PM A Discussion on Diversity, Equity & Inclusion-Sara Parker Pauley
- 01:30PM State & Tribal Wildlife Grants
 - FY2022 STWG Funding-Mark Humpert, AFWA (10 min)
 - Competitive STWG-Kathy Hollar, FWS (5 min)
- 01:45PM Blue Ribbon Panel on Sustaining America's Diverse Fish and Wildlife Resources <u>Recommendation #1</u>
 - Recovering America's Wildlife Act-Jen Mock Schaeffer and Sean Saville, AFWA (20 min)
 - National Wildlife Federation Advocacy-Naomi Edelson, NWF (10 min)
- 02:15PM Blue Ribbon Panel on Sustaining America's Diverse Fish and Wildlife Resources <u>Recommendation #2</u>
 - Designing a Future for Conservation Workshop-Patrick Whitney, Harvard School of Public Health (30 min)
 - Update on Relevancy Roadmap Implementation Projects-Jen Newmark, NDOW and Elsa Haubold, FWS (15 min)

- 03:00PM Report from EOD/WDCF Joint Working Group-Shelley Plante, TPWD
- 03:10PM State Wildlife Action Plans
 - State Wildlife Action Plan & Landscape Conservation Working Group-Jon Regosin, MDFW
- 03:30PM State Fish and Wildlife Funding Initiatives -Jon Regosin, MDFW
- 03:40PM Indiana Wildlife Diversity Program Profile-Scott Johnson, INDNR
- 04:00PM Adjourn