

WILDLIFE RESOURCE POLICY COMMITTEE

Chair: Pete Hildreth (Iowa Department of Natural Resources) Vice-Chair: vacant

Tuesday, March 21st, 2023* 10:00 AM- 12:00 PM (CDT)

North American Wildlife and Natural Resources Conference

Committee Charge

To discuss and develop recommendations on Association positions related to federal laws, regulations and policies concerning habitat conservation, wildlife resources and related funding for such programs as well as wildlife management practices including those concerned with problem or nuisance wildlife, and emerging issues (e.g., commercial trade). The committee also stays abreast of threatened and endangered species wildlife issues, state legislation pertaining to wildlife management and wildlife diversity funding initiatives.

Agenda	
10:00 AM	Welcome and Introductions
10: 10 AM	Review Agenda & Approval of Minutes from the previous meeting (Pete Hildreth, IA DNR)
10:15 AM	USDA-APHIS Wildlife Services Report- (Jessica Fantinato, Associate Deputy Administrator)
10:45 AM	Human/Wildlife Conflicts Working Group Report (Brian Wakeling, MT FWP)
11:00 AM	Recovering America's Wildlife Act (AFWA staff, TBD)
11:15 AM	Other Policy Issues of Concern/State Wildlife Action Plans/RETURN (AFWA Staff, TBD)
11:30 AM	America the Beautiful Challenge update (Deb Rocque, USFWS)
11:45 AM	Review 2023 Work Plan (Bryant White, AFWA)
12:00 PM	Adjourn

^{*}This meeting will be in person only. No virtual option is available.