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**FISH AND WILDLIFE COORDINATION ACT WORKING GROUP**

**Chair: Jen Sheehan (AR)**

**Vice-Chair: VACANT**

**114<sup>th</sup> Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies Annual Meeting  
Madison, WI**

**Tuesday, September 24, 2024 – 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM  
Rom TBD**

- 10:00 AM: Call to order – *Jen Sheehan, Chair, AR*
  - Introductions, Agenda Review, Approval of 2024 North American Minutes
- 10:10 AM: States and Wetland Protection – *Marla Stelk, National Association of Wetland Managers*
- 11:10 AM Roundtable:
  - Potential Memorandum of Understanding with USFWS/USACE
  - USACE “Without Borders” Initiative
  - Incorporating FWCA into Education/Training
  - Expanding FWCA Awareness/WG Membership
  - Complementary Authorities (e.g. DOT Act of 1966)
- 11:50 AM: Wrap up/Adjourn

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Draft charge:

- *Ensure that all state fish and wildlife agencies are aware of their federal project review authority under the Act and understand how to execute that authority.*
- *To improve cooperation and coordination among federal and state wildlife agencies in furtherance of coordination under the Act.*

- *Through increased coordination between federal and state wildlife agencies under the Act, ensure that fish and wildlife resources are given equal consideration with other federal water development project benefits.*