

SOCIAL SCIENCE SUBCOMMITTEE

(WITHIN THE SCIENCE AND RESEARCH COMMITTEE)

Chair: Mike Quartuch, Colorado Parks and Wildlife (CPW)
Vice Chair: Natalie Sexton, United States Fish and Wildlife Service
Monday September 23, 2024
1:00am-3:00pm
114th Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies Annual Meeting

Committee Charge: The Social Science Subcommittee (within the Science and Research Committee) will provide a forum for discussion about human dimensions and social science research and applications in state, federal and provincial wildlife and natural resource agencies and partners.

Meeting Agenda (Hybrid)

Time	Agenda Items
1:00pm	Welcome, Introductions, and Review Agenda-Mike Quartuch, CPW
1:10pm	Opening Remarks from AFWA/State Leadership-David Yoskowitz, Executive Director, TX Parks and Wildlife or Jason Sumners, Director, MO Dept. of Conservation
1:20pm	Strategic Direction and Work Plan discussion-Mike Quartuch, CPW
	 a. Recap Subcommittee purpose and on-going efforts b. Cross pollination: Collaborative opportunities with AFWA committees/work groups/other c. Pathways Conference: Human Dimensions of Wildlife
1:50pm	National social science research efforts
	 a. National and Regional Research of Wildlife Viewers: Engagement with State Agencies, Urban-Rural Differences, and Inclusion of Disabled Viewers, Dr. Ashley Dayer, Virginia Tech University, Freya McGregor, Virginia Tech University, and Shelly Plante, Texas Parks and Wildlife b. National Survey of Fishing, Hunting, and Shooting Sports-Dr. David Sterrett, NORC c. America's Wildlife Values Survey-Dr. Tara Teel, Colorado State University
2:50pm	Closing remarks-Mike Quartuch, CPW
3:00pm	Adjourn