

SCIENCE & RESEARCH COMMITTEE

Chair: Russ Mason (MI) Vice-Chair: Karen Waldrop (KY)

Monday, September 11, 2017 10:00 AM-12:00 Noon 107th Annual Meeting of the Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies Snowbird Resort, Sandy, Utah

Agenda

- Call to Order/Review Agenda/Introductions (5 minutes) Russ Mason (MI)
- Committee Business (25 minutes)
 - Monarch Butterfly Conservation Efforts Ed Boggess (MAFWA)
 - National Cooperators Coalition update John Kennedy (WY)
 - New Leadership at The Wildlife Society Keith Norris (TWS)
 - Update on Gene Drive Study at National Academies Larry Clark (USDA APHIS)
 - o Updates on Administration Science Priorities Federal science partners
- Presentation and Committee Discussion (15 minutes)
 - Center for Habitat and Wildlife Analyses Report Jonathan Mawdsley, Jen Mock Schaeffer (AFWA), Virgil Moore (ID)
- Update U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service Performance Measures (15 minutes)
 - Elsa Haubold, USFWS
- Committee Discussion: Human Dimensions and Social Science at AFWA (60 minutes)
 - Introduction and Case Studies Ann Forstchen (FL), convener and discussion leader

Objectives and Desired Outcomes for Committee Discussion:

- Identification of significant contributions of human dimensions and social science to state and federal fish and wildlife management
- Identification of significant outstanding questions in state and federal fish and wildlife management that could be addressed with human dimensions and social science
- Discussion and possible action on the creation of a subcommittee or working group at AFWA dedicated to human dimensions and social science
- Adjourn