

Meeting of the Great Lakes Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species

December 10-11, 2013

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Tuesday, December 10, 2013

Lake Superior Room

Times are EST

8:30 a.m.	Registration and continental breakfast	
9:00 a.m.	Welcoming remarks and call to order <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Roll call and introductions• Agenda review	Luke Skinner , Great Lakes Panel (GLP) Chair, Minnesota Dept. of Natural Resources (DNR)
9:10 a.m.	GLP Business <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Approval of May 2013 meeting summary• Report on action items• GLP Elections – Nominating Committee	Luke Skinner , GLP Chair Erika Jensen , GLP Coordinator, Great Lakes Commission
9:40 a.m.	Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force (ANSTF) Report	Susan Mangin , ANSTF Executive Secretary, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
9:50 a.m.	Great Lakes and Mississippi River Interbasin Study (GLMRIS) Update	Jim Bredin , White House Council on Environmental Quality
10:00 a.m.	Break	
10:20 a.m.	Regional Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement – Annex 6 Subcommittee• Midwest Governor’s Association – AIS Summit• Council of Great Lakes Governors – AIS Task Force	Gavin Christie , Fisheries and Oceans Canada and Todd Turner , U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, GLWQA Annex 6 Subcommittee Co-Chairs Bob Wakeman , Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Kevin Irons , Illinois Department of Natural Resources
11:30 a.m.	Lunch (<i>On your own</i>)	
1:00 p.m.	Grass Carp Briefing <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Background• Great Lakes basin concerns• Next steps and guidance to committees	Moderator: Bob Wakeman Greg Conover , U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Marion Wittmann , University of Notre Dame Patrick Kocovsky , U.S. Geological Survey Lindsay Chadderton , The Nature Conservancy
2:15 p.m.	Update on Great Lakes eDNA surveillance efforts (2013 results and beyond)	Tim Strakosh , U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Andrew Tucker , The Nature Conservancy
2:30 p.m.	Break	

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- 2:45 p.m. **Committee breakout sessions**
Please refer to the attached committee meeting agendas for more information.
- Information/Education Committee *Concept Development, a.k.a. "Fish Bowl" Room*
 - Research Coordination Committee *Lake Superior Room*
 - Policy Coordination Committee *Huron-Michigan Room*

5:00 p.m. **Adjourn for the day**

5:30 -7:30 p.m. **Reception at Kensington Court hotel, Vanderbilt Room**
Light hors d'oeuvres and cash bar
*Kensington Court Ann Arbor * 610 Hilton Blvd. * Ann Arbor, Michigan 48108*
(located off State St. approximately 2 miles north of GLERL)

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8:00 a.m. **Continental breakfast**

8:30 a.m. **Agenda review**

8:40 a.m. **Pathway prevention activities: Recreational boats**

- An AIS risk assessment for wake boats: **Tim Campbell**, Wisconsin Sea Grant
potential for transport and possible solutions
- Retrofitting and design of public accesses in **Luke Skinner**, Minnesota Dept. of Natural
Minnesota Resources
- Lessons learned developing boat wash **John Rothlisberger**, U.S. Forest Service
stations and mobile units

9:40 a.m. **Pathway prevention activities: Fish passage policies**

- Issue overview **Bob Wakeman**, Wisconsin Dept. of Natural
Resources
- Developing policy guidance **Mike Hoff**, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

10:20 a.m. **Break**

10:40 a.m. **Committee reports**

- Information/Education Committee **Doug Jensen**, Chair, Information/Education
Committee
- Research Coordination Committee **Lindsay Chadderton**, Chair, Research
Coordination Committee
- Policy Coordination Committee **Bob Wakeman**, Chair, Policy Coordination
Committee

11:40 a.m. **Spring 2014 GLP meeting**

11:50 a.m. **Public comment**

11:55 a.m. **Emerging issues and announcements**

12:00 p.m. **Adjourn**