

Powder River Basin Interagency Working Group

Interagency Coordinating Committee (ICC)

Agenda for July 10 -11, 2008

Bozeman Crossing Conference Center, Buffalo, WY

Thursday, July 10

- 9:00 Welcome (Don Simpson, BLM WY State Director & Chris Hanson BLM Buffalo Field Manager)
- 9:10 ICC Introductions (identify Level 2 [local managers] and Level 1 [task group] members)
- 9:15 IWG Background, history, mission, etc. (Thomas Bills, Buffalo Field Office)
- 9:45 Agency Roundtable - a short update (5 min.) on agency activities pertinent to the group.
- 10:30 Break
- 10:45 Task Group Status: accomplishments, budget, challenges, management applications, etc. (30 minutes each)
- Air
 - Air Quality/Management & MT SEIS (Jim Albano, BLM MT)
 - Aquatics (Windy Davis, MT FWP)
- 11:45 Lunch
- 1:00 Task Group Status: accomplishments, budget, challenges, management applications, etc. (30 minutes each)
- Water
 - Buffalo: mgmt adaptations following Skewed Reservoir
 - Wildlife
 - Buffalo: Fortification Creek elk, Greater sage-grouse
 - Miles City: Greater sage-grouse
- 2:00 Group Discussion – IWG Direction
- 2:45 Break
- 3:00 Group Discussion – IWG Direction (Continued)
- 5:00 Adjourn

Friday, July 11

Theme: Moving Forward

8:30 Review Thursday (Thomas Bills)

8:45 Task Group Status & Appoint Chairs (Chris Hanson & Elaine Raper)

- Air
- Aquatics
- Water
- Wildlife

10:30 Break

10:45 Informational Presentation Highlighting a Task Group's Monitoring Efforts
Aquatics – Herptofauna monitoring or Remote Sensing Instream Habitat