

Fish and Wildlife Service and Department of Defense
Sikes Act Coordination Workshop
Holiday Inn, Arlington, VA
March 15-16, 2001

Meeting Objectives: To develop a plan to accomplish compliance with the November 2001 deadline for completion of the Integrated Natural Resource Management Plans by establishing INRMP review workload management objectives; and procedures and processes for agency review.

Agenda

Day 1, Thursday, March 15

0830 - 0840 Welcome and Opening Remarks - *Ms. Robin Nims Elliott, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Federal Program Activities*

0840 - 1000 Agency Orientations

1997 Sikes Act Amendments Overview - *Mr. Jim Van Ness, Department of Defense Associate General Counsel, Environment and Installations*

FWS Mission/Organization/Issues - *Dr. Benjamin Tuggle, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Chief, Division of Federal Program Activities*

DoD General Mission - *Mr. Peter Boice, Conservation Director, Office of the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense, Environmental Security*

Army - Mission/Organization/Issues - *Mr. William Woodson, Army Staff, Office of the Director of Environmental Programs*

Navy - Mission/Organization/Issues - *Mr. Joe Hautzenroder, Natural Resources Program Manager, Naval Facilities Engineering Command Headquarters*

1000 - 1015 **Break**

1015 - 1045 Marine Corps - Mission/Organization/Issues - *Mr. Jim Omans, Head, Natural Resource Section, Headquarters, U.S. Marine Corps*

International Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies - State Role and Expectations - *Mr. Duane Shroufe, Director, AZ Game and Fish Department*

1045 - 1115 Question and Answers Session - *Moderator, Mr. William Woodson, Army Staff, Office of the Director of Environmental Programs*

- 1115 - 1215** Lunch (on your own)
- 1215 - 1230** Air Force - Mission/Organization/Issues - *Dr. Douglas Ripley, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Natural and Cultural Resources Program Manager*
- 1230 - 1300** INRMP Status and Workload Matrix - *Ms. Martha Balis-Larsen, US Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Endangered Species*
- 1300 - 1330** Endangered Species Act Issues related to INRMPs and Workload Management - *Ms. Nancy Gloman, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Chief, Office of Partnerships and Outreach and Mr. Don Morgan, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Consultations*
- 1330 - 1630** INRMP Workload Management Working Session (*Session Leaders - Dr. Tuggle, Mr. Shroufe, Ms. Gloman*) – *All participants*
- 1630 - 1700** Wrap-Up and Adjourn

Day 2, Friday, March 16, 2001

- 0830 - 1000** Case History Panel Presentations and Discussion; Exploring New Approaches to Working Together - *Moderator - Ms. Nims Elliott*

A. Army - Fort Hood, Texas: General Case Study of Land Use Impacts on an Installation and How the INRMP Can Help - *Mr. William Woodson, Army Staff, Office of the Director of Environmental Programs and Mr. Dennis Herbert, Natural Resources Branch Chief, Fort Hood*

B. Army National Guard - Fort Indiantown Gap, Pennsylvania: INRMP Coordination for Issues Associated with National Guard Bureaus - *Mr. Derek Halberg, Natural Resources Program Manager, National Guard Bureau*

C. Navy - INRMP Development on Navy Installations in Southern California - *Ms. Tammy Conkle, Wildlife Biologist, Navy Region Southwest and Ms. Coralie Cobb, Botanist, Southern Division, Naval Facilities Engineering Command*

D. Air Force - Goldwater Range, Arizona: Sonoran Pronghorn Antelope Issues - *Dr. Douglass Ripley, Headquarters, U.S. Air Force Natural and Cultural Resources Program Manager*

E. Marine Corps - Camp Lejeune, North Carolina: Multiple-Use Issues Associated with INRMP Development - *Mr. John Townson, Camp Lejeune Wildlife Section*

- 1000 - 1015** Break

- 1015 - 1115** Agency Breakout Sessions - Discussion of Agency Internal INRMP Coordination Procedures and Processes
- 1115 - 1200** Breakout Session Reports
- 1200 - 1215** Meeting Wrap-Up and Adjourn -*Dr. Benjamin Tuggle*
- 1215 - 1315** Lunch (on your own)
- 1315 - 1500** Sikes Act Coordination Core Group - Follow Up Session