

**Joint Meeting of the
Great Lakes & Mississippi River Basin Panels
on Aquatic Nuisance Species**

June 17-19, 2008

Doubletree Hotel, Milwaukee City Center
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

DRAFT AGENDA

Tuesday, June 17, 2008

Joint Great Lakes Panel (GLP) & Mississippi River Basin Panel (MRBP) Meeting

7:30am **Registration & Continental Breakfast**

8:00am **Welcome**

Phil Moy, Wisconsin Sea Grant; Chair, GLP Research
Coordination Committee

Tim Eder, Great Lakes Commission

8:15am **ANS Panel Introductions: Successes, Challenges &
Work Priorities**

Mississippi River Basin Panel

MRBP Representative

Great Lakes Panel

GLP Representative

9:00am **Aquatic Invasions: Lessons Learned & Future Issues**

Retrospective on Zebra Mussel Invasion of the Great
Lakes

David Reid, NOAA - Great Lakes Environmental
Research Lab (GLERL)

Movement of AIS between the Mississippi River and
Great Lakes Basin

Jay Rendall, Minnesota Department of Natural
Resources

9:40am **AIS Databases Update**

Rochelle Sturtevant, NOAA-GLERL and Great Lakes
Sea Grant Extension

10:00am **BREAK**

10:20am **VHS Prevention/Control Updates**

Great Lakes Fishery Commission

John Dettmers, Great Lakes Fishery Commission

U.S. Coast Guard

CAPT Lorne Thomas, U.S. Coast Guard, Ninth
District

National Park Service

Bob Krumenaker, Apostle Islands, National Park
Service,

Domestic Shipping

Jim Weakley, Lake Carriers Association (Invited)

11:30am **Wildlife Forever Outreach Program**

Doug Grann, Wildlife Forever

12:00pm **LUNCH** (On your own)

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1:15pm **Addressing Risk: Canals and Waterways**

Chicago Sanitary and Ship Canal & Related AIS
Prevention Efforts

Phil Moy, Wisconsin Sea Grant

Asian Carp Management & Related Early Detection
and Monitoring Efforts

Greg Conover, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, MRBP
Coordinator

2:00pm **Addressing Risk: Trade & Recreational Activities**

MRBP Screening Protocol

Mike Hoff, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

Arkansas Department of Agriculture Inspection
Program

Andy Goodwin, Aquaculture/Fisheries Center,
University of Arkansas, presenting on behalf of the
Arkansas Dept. of Agriculture

GLC Organisms in Trade Project

Tim Eder, Great Lakes Commission (Invited)

Recreational Boating: AIS Impacts & Prevention
Strategies

Lindsay Chadderton, The Nature Conservancy

Clean Boats (Every)day

Lisa Wojnarowski, Council of Great Lakes Governors

3:35pm **Charge for Joint Committee Break-outs**

3:40pm **BREAK**

4:00pm **Joint GLP & MRBP Committee Break-out Sessions**

Refer to Committee agendas, to be included in meeting materials

5:30pm **Adjourn for the day**

6:30pm **JOINT RECEPTION**

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7:30am **Continental Breakfast**

8:00am **Agenda Review**

8:05am **Joint Committee Session Reports** (20 min. each)

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9:05am **Ballast Water Regulatory Updates**

U.S. Coast Guard: Legislation and Rulemaking Process

Bivan Patnaik, U.S. Coast Guard Regulatory Coordinator

Effectiveness of Salinity in Protecting the Great Lakes

David Reid, NOAA-GLERL

Enhancing Enforcement of Regulations and Continuing Research in Canada

Chris Wiley, Department of Fisheries and Oceans & Transport Canada

10:15am **BREAK**

10:30am **Advancements in Ballast Water Treatment Technology**

Allegra Cangelosi, Great Ships Initiative

11:00am **Discussion & Next Steps**

Opportunities for Collaboration, Recommendations to ANS Task Force

12:00pm **Adjourn Joint Meeting & LUNCH** (on your own)

Great Lakes Panel Meeting

1:15pm **Call to Order**

Roll call, agenda review, Nov. 2007 meeting summary

Panel Chair

1:30pm **Great Lakes Panel Update** (15 min. each)

Panel Activities Report

Kathe Glassner Shwayder, Panel Coordinator, Great Lakes Commission

Panel Elections Report

Nominating Committee

1:55pm **Introduction of new GLP Officers & At-large Members**

2:00pm **GLP Committee Break-out Sessions:**

Committee Business / Work Plans

3:45pm **BREAK**

4:00pm **GLP Committee Reports** (15 min. each)

GLP Committee Chairs

4:45pm **GLP Business**

Public comment, fall 2008 meeting, review action items, other

5:15pm **ADJOURN**

7:05pm **Optional Activity: Baseball Game**

Milwaukee Brewers vs. Toronto Blue Jays

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Mississippi River Basin Panel Meeting

- 1:15pm **Call to Order** **Panel Chair**
Roll call, agenda review, Nashville January 2008 meeting summary approval
- 1:30pm **MRBP Update**
Funding, Budget, Panel Elections
- 1:45pm **MRBP Committee Break-out Sessions:**
Committee Business / Work Plans
- 3:45pm **BREAK**
- 4:00pm **MRBP Committee Reports** (10 min. each) **MRBP Committee Chairs**
- 4:30pm **MRBP Business**
2009 work plan development, membership, Public comment, next meeting, review action items
- 5:15pm **ADJOURN**
- 7:05pm **Optional Activity: Baseball Game**
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Thursday, June 19, 2008

Joint GLP & MRBP Optional Field Trips

- 9:00am **Sail on Denis Sullivan Clipper Ship OR Tour of Discovery World (*)**
- 12:00pm **LUNCH** (on your own)
- 1:00pm **Tour of Discovery World (*)**

(*) Registration for these activities is required in advance with meeting registration