

**Meeting of the Great Lakes Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species  
December 13-14, 2006**

**Courtyard Marriott-Ann Arbor  
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**PRELIMINARY AGENDA**

**Wednesday Morning, Dec 13, 2006**

9:00 a.m.	<b>Welcome and Introductions</b>	<b>Tim Eder</b> , Executive Director, Great Lakes Commission
		<b>Mike Conlin</b> , Panel Chair, Director, Office of Resource Conservation, Illinois DNR
9:10 a.m.	<b>Call to Order</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Member Roll Call</li><li>• Agenda Review and Approval</li><li>• Approval of Panel Meeting Summary (May 9-10, 2006)</li></ul>	<b>Mike Conlin</b>
9:20 a.m.	<b>Great Lakes Panel Update</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Report on Action Items: Spring Panel Meeting (May 2006)</li><li>• Activities Update</li><li>• Featured At-Large Member: Interest and Expertise on AIS affairs</li></ul>	<b>Kathe Glassner-Shwayder</b> , Great Lakes Commission  (to be announced)
9:45 a.m.	<b>Federal/Regional Program Activities Early Detection &amp; Monitoring</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• U.S. Geological Survey: <i>National Framework for Early Detection and Monitoring</i></li><li>• <i>ANS Task Force Expert Data Base</i></li></ul>	<b>Moderator: Mike Conlin</b>  <b>Sharon Gross</b> , Invasive Species Program Coordinator, USGS (invited) <b>Rochelle Sturvtivant</b> , NOAA, Sea Grant
10:30 a.m.	<b>Break</b>	
10:45 a.m.	<b>Federal/Regional Program Activities for Rapid Response Planning</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Incident Command System as a Framework for ANS Response</i></li><li>• Great Lakes Regional Collaboration Interagency Task Force: <i>Rapid Response Planning in the Great Lakes Region</i></li></ul>	<b>Moderator: Mike Conlin</b>  Speaker from U.S. Coast Guard (proposed)  <b>James Schardt</b> , U.S. EPA, Great Lakes National Program Office
11:30 a.m.	<b>Round Table: Panel Member Updates</b>	<b>Panel Members</b>
12:15 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b> (Panel member updates continued)	<b>Box Lunches</b> (provided at a cost of \$10 per person)

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**Wednesday Afternoon, December 13, 2006**

1:00 p.m.	<b>Project Tools for Early Detection &amp; Monitoring and Rapid Response Planning</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>AIS Monitoring Program in St. Louis Harbor</i></li><li>• <i>Modeling Future Spread of AIS Populations</i></li><li>• <i>Non-Indigenous Species Early Detection and Monitoring: A Pilot Project for the Lake Michigan Basin</i></li><li>• <i>Model Rapid Response Plan for Great Lakes Aquatic Invasions</i></li><li>• <i>Hydrilla Rapid Response Plan: Case Study</i></li></ul>	<b>Moderator:</b> Marc Tuchman, U.S. EPA, Great Lakes National Program Office  <b>Jack Kelly</b> , U.S. EPA, Office of Research and Development (ORD) Duluth Lab  <b>Russ Kreis</b> , U.S. EPA, ORD, Grosse Isle  <b>John Hummer</b> , Great Lakes Commission  <b>Kathe Glassner-Shwayder</b>  <b>Roger Eberhardt</b> , Office of the Great Lakes, Michigan DEQ
	<b>Questions and Discussion</b>	
3:30 p.m.	<b>Break</b>	
3:45 p.m.	<b>Concurrent Break-Out Sessions of Panel Committees:</b> Discussion on Early Detection & Monitoring (EDM) and Rapid Response (RR) planning. How to apply what we know on EDM and RR to where we want to go in the Great Lakes region? <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Information and Education Committee</li><li>• Research Coordination Committee</li><li>• Policy Coordination Committee</li></ul>	<b>Rochelle Sturtevant</b> , Committee Chair, NOAA-Sea Grant <b>Phil Moy</b> , Committee Chair, Wisconsin Sea Grant <b>Jennifer Nalbene</b> , Committee Chair, Great Lakes United
5:30 p.m.	<b>Adjournment for the Day</b>	
6:00 p.m.	<b>Reception</b>	Hotel Lobby

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### **Thursday Morning, Dec. 14, 2006**

8:30 a.m.	<b>Agenda Review</b>	<b>Tom Crane</b> , Great Lakes Commission
8:35 a.m.	<b>Great Lakes Panel Operational Guidance Document</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Discussion of final changes</li><li>• Approval of the Panel's Operational Guidance Document</li></ul>	<b>Tom Crane</b>
9:15 a.m.	<b>Concurrent Break-Out Sessions of Panel Committees:</b> Focus on committee business (e.g., mission statement, goals and objectives, workplan, etc.)	<b>Panel Committee Chairs</b>
10:15 a.m.	<b>Break</b>	
10:30 a.m.	<b>Committee Reports</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Information/Education</b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ <i>Great Lakes Aquatic Invasions Brochure</i></li></ul></li><li>• <b>Research Coordination</b></li><li>• <b>Policy Coordination</b></li></ul>	<b>Rochelle Sturtevant</b> <b>Marcia Woodburn</b> , Great Lakes Commission <b>Phil Moy</b> <b>Jen Nalbone</b>
12:00 Noon	<b>Public Comment</b>	
12:20 Noon	<b>Panel Business</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Summary of Meeting Action Items</li><li>• Spring Panel Meeting: Date, Location and Theme</li></ul>	<b>Kathe Glassner-Shwayder</b>
12:30 noon	<b>Meeting Adjournment</b>	