

Meeting of the Great Lakes Panel on Aquatic Nuisance Species

November 16-17, 2005

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PRELIMINARY AGENDA

Wednesday Morning, November 16

- 9:00 a.m. **Welcome and Introductions**
- Roger Eberhardt**, Panel Chair,
Michigan DEQ, Office of the Great
Lakes
Tom Crane, Great Lakes
Commission
- 9:10 a.m. **Agenda Review**
- Kathe Glassner-Shwayder**, Great
Lakes Commission
- 9:15 a.m. **Great Lakes Panel Update**
- Kathe Glassner-Shwayder**
- New Member and Staff Introductions
 - Panel News in Brief
 - Approval of Panel Meeting (April 2005) Minutes
- 9:30 a.m. **Regional/National Initiatives**
- Moderator: Roger Eberhardt**
- **ANS Task Force**
 - **U.S. Coast Guard**
 - **NOAA RFP: Opportunity to Apply Panel Committees
Priority Documents**
- Scott Newsham**, ANS Task Force
- Lieutenant Regan Blomshield**,
U.S. Coast Guard
- Dorn Carlson**, NOAA Research,
Sea Grant
- 10:15 a.m. **Break**
- 10:30 a.m. **Panel Member Updates**
- Moderator: Roger Eberhardt**
- 11:15 a.m. **Regional/National Initiatives (continued)**
- Moderator: Roger Eberhardt**
- Great Lakes Regional Collaboration: AIS Action Plan
 - Great Lakes Aquatic Nuisance Species Coalition
 - U.S. Forest Service-Eastern Region: AIS Program
- Marc Gaden**, Great Lakes Fishery
Commission
Roger Eberhardt
- Nick Schmal**, USDA Forest
Service

Regional/National Initiatives (continued)

- USEPA Great Lakes National Program Office:
Early Detection and Monitoring Projects
- IJC Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement Review

Marc Tuchman, USEPA, Great
Lakes National Program Office

Dennis Schornack, Chair,
International Joint Commission

(on your own)

12:30 p.m. **Lunch**

Wednesday Afternoon, November 16

1:30p.m. **Federal Legislative Session**

- Senate Bill 363
- Senate Bill 770
- Discussion Session

Moderator: Tom Crane

To be Announced

Allegra Cangelosi, Northeast
Midwest Institute

2:15 p.m. • **Great Lakes Panel: *Organizational Strategy and
Guidance for Operations***

Tom Crane, Great Lakes
Commission

3:45 p.m. **Break**

4:00 p.m. **Concurrent Break-Out Sessions: Great Lakes Panel
Committees**

- Information and Education Committee
- Research Coordination Committee
- Policy and Legislation Committee

Chair: Emily Finnell, Michigan
DEQ, Office of the Great Lakes

Chair: Phil Moy, Wisconsin Sea
Grant

Chair: Helen Brohl, U.S. Great
Lakes Shipping Association

5:45 p.m. **Adjournment for the Day**

6:00 p.m. **Reception**

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8:30 a.m.	Committee Reports and Discussion	Moderator: Tom Crane
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Information and Educationa) Action Item: <i>Aquatic Invasive Species Information and Education Priorities for the Great Lakes: Presentation for Approval</i>b) Update: AIS Brochure Update	Emily Finnell,
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research Coordinationa) Update: AIS Species Priorities List	Marcia Woodburn, Great Lakes Commission
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Policy and Legislation	Phil Moy
		Helen Brohl
11:00 a.m.	Break	
11:15 a.m.	Panel Business	Moderator: Tom Crane
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ANS Task Force Outreach Campaigns: <i>Habitattitude</i> and <i>Stop Aquatic Hitchhikers Campaign</i>• Great Lakes Panel<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Committee Workplans▪ Panel Elections▪ Annual Report▪ Spring Meeting 2006	
11:45 a.m.	Public Comment	Moderator: Roger Eberhardt
12:15 p.m.	Summary of Meeting Action Items	Kathe Glassner-Shwayder
12:30 p.m.	Meeting Adjournment	