

**AGENDA: Grass Carp Ad Hoc Committee**  
**Call-in Information - Dial-in: 888-537-7715 Passcode: 81271570#**

**Date:** November 2, 2016 - 8:30 AM to 10:30 AM

**Location:** NOAA Great Lakes Environmental Research Laboratory, Huron-Michigan Room

**Meeting Objectives:** Implementation of the Grass Carp Priorities – Move the needle

**8:30 – 8:35: Introductions**

**8:35 – 8:45: Committee Charge**

The purpose of the committee is to provide a forum for ongoing communication and coordination specific to Grass Carp and to track and advance progress on GLP Grass Carp priorities. These priorities will serve as the organizing framework for committee work. The Ad Hoc Committee will meet periodically via conference call and in-person under the auspices of the GLP. The committee and its members will:

- Track and report on activities and the progress of member agencies and other partners in addressing Grass Carp priorities
- Assist with coordinating member and partner agency activities related to Grass Carp priorities, including providing information and related support and identifying next steps
- Identify emerging needs and issues not reflected in the current priorities and identify opportunities to address them
- Develop recommendations to the ANS Task Force on priorities or other issues that require additional involvement or support from ANS Task Force members
- Communicate with GLP standing committees on Grass Carp priorities and needs related to information and education, policy and research coordination

**8:45 – 9:30: Updates from members**

1. **Michigan/CMU:** SDM Workshop and telemetry work
2. **USGS/UT:** Grass carp reproduction work
3. **Ohio:** Planned Grass Carp exercise on Sandusky River in 2016 and 2017
4. **DFO:** Binational Risk Assessment
5. **USGS:** Standard GLPANS approach to addressing population status of AIS
6. **MRBP:** Consistent national strategy to prohibit stocking of diploid Grass Carp
7. **ACRCC:** Addressing Grass Carp
8. **CGLFA:** Joint strategic plan for management of Great Lakes fisheries
9. **GLFC:** Rapid Ploidy Testing
10. **Other**

**9:30 – 10:00: Revisit Action Items from May 2016**

Data Collection:

- Send capture data to USGS - Ongoing
- Send requests for priority streams for water chemistry data collection to Patrick Kocovsk
- Follow-up with Kevin Irons regarding data from above the electric dispersal barrier in Illinois

Policy Coordination:

- As appropriate, committee member agencies should consider working with other states encouraging consistent regulation of diploid carp – Ongoing (MRBP)
- Follow-up with Paul Zajacek regarding providing regulatory information to industry - Completed

Management:

- Add “management” section to the priorities worksheet – Completed
- Compile existing definitions of “established” - Completed
- Initiate work on a regional management plan with generalized actions - SDM workshop
- Develop recommendation on developing a bait for carp control – Discussion

**10:00 – 10:30: Next steps – GLP Grass Carp Priorities Document**

**10:30: Adjourn**