

Hunting and Advanced Technology Working Group November 2, 2024 Agenda

On November 2, Idaho Fish and Game will host a meeting of the Hunting and Advanced Technology Working Group. Members of the Working Group include: Derick Attebury, Matt Borg, Jason Carr, Jeff Choules, Ken Crane, Dillon Halverson, Tim Frost, Nathan Guy, Larry Hatter, Halli Hemingway, William Job, Kimberly Johnson, Jeremiah Mani, Alex Martin, Chelsea Merriman, Bryce Oldemeyer, Kevin Rogers, Tal Sampson, Jeff Shinn, Nicole Swafford, Doug Talbot, Rob Thornberry, Jason Topp, and Dustin Webster.

Idaho Fish and Game staff hosting the meeting will include Ellary Tucker Williams and Director Jim Fredericks. Presentations will be provided by Fish and Game staff including Elise Fahrer, Meghan Roos, Kathleen Trever, and Greg Wooten. Guest speakers will include: Gordon R. Batcheller, Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies; Scott Lavin, Arizona Game and Fish Department; and Sgt. Gabe Patterson, Utah Division of Wildlife Resources. Wendy Green Lowe of P2 Solutions will facilitate the meeting. The meeting will be held between 11:00 am and 4:00 pm mountain time at the IDFG Headquarters Building located at 600 S Walnut Street in Boise, Idaho.

## **Objectives**

The November 2, 2024 meeting will be designed to accomplish the following objectives:

- Welcome all and provide an overall orientation to the Working Group's charge
- Provide the opportunity for everyone to begin to get to know each other
- Receive presentations about Idaho and other entities consideration of the issue under consideration
- Discuss Working Group members' initial reflections on the information provided
- Agree on how the Working Group should work together to accomplish its charge
- Identify next steps to continue moving forward.

## Agenda

The following agenda is proposed to support accomplishment of the meeting objectives:

| Welcome and Orientation                                                                                                             | 11:00 am - 11:15 pm |
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| Director Jim Fredericks and Ellary Tucker Williams                                                                                  |                     |
| The Working Group's Charter and the Proposed Approach to be Taken to Accomplish the Working Group's Charge                          | 11:15 am - 11:25 am |
| Wendy Lowe                                                                                                                          |                     |
| Introductions to the Working Group Members – Why did you want to be included in this Working Group?                                 | 11:25 am - 12:10 pm |
| All                                                                                                                                 |                     |
| Practical Matters – Idaho Open Meetings Law, How to Seek Reimbursement, etc.  Ellary Tucker Williams                                | 12:10 pm - 12:20 pm |
| Lunch Break                                                                                                                         | 12:20 pm - 12:50 pm |
| Idaho Fish and Game – Current Status of Rules Related to Use of Technology for Big Game Hunting in Idaho and Emerging Trends        | 12:40 pm - 12:55 pm |
| Greg Wooten, Bureau Chief of Enforcement                                                                                            |                     |
| Meghan Roos, Senior Conservation Officer                                                                                            |                     |
| Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies                                                                                           | 12:55 pm - 1:10 pm  |
| Gordon R. Batcheller, AFWA Legal Strategies Advisory Council                                                                        |                     |
| Arizona Game and Fish Department Approach                                                                                           | 1:10 pm - 1:25 pm   |
| Scott Lavin, R3 Branch Chief, Arizona Game and Fish Department                                                                      |                     |
| Utah Division of Wildlife Services Approach                                                                                         | 1:25 pm - 1:40 pm   |
| Sgt. Gabe Patterson, Utah Division of Wildlife                                                                                      |                     |
| Questions and Answers  Wendy Lowe/All                                                                                               | 1:40 pm - 2:15 pm   |
| Break                                                                                                                               | 2:15 pm - 2:30 pm   |
| Small Group Discussions – Round One: What is Special about the Hunting in Idaho?                                                    | 2:30 pm - 3:00 pm   |
| All/Wendy                                                                                                                           |                     |
| Small Group Discussions – Round Two: How can we Best Use Our Shared Voice to Sustain the Experience of Hunting in Idaho?  All/Wendy | 3:00 pm - 3:30 pm   |
| Full Group Discussion: What do we Need from Each other to Support the Working Group's Success?  All/Wendy Lowe                      | 3:30 pm - 3:50 pm   |
| Meeting Close: Evaluation and Next Steps Wendy Lowe                                                                                 | 3:50 pm - 4:00 pm   |