

AGENDA

GULF & SOUTH ATLANTIC REGIONAL PANEL ON AQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES

Atlanta, Georgia

April 5 – 6, 2006

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 2006

- 9:00 Call to Order - *Yeager*
- Introductions
 - Public Comment
- 9:15 Review and Adoption of Agenda - *Yeager*
- 9:20 Review and Approval of Minutes (11/30-12/1/ 2005, *Corpus Christi, TX*) - *Yeager*
- 9:30 Test of Rotenone as a Potential Control for Nonindigenous Swamp Eels – *Pam Schofield, USGS*
- 10:00 Swamp Eel Activities in Georgia – *Bud Freeman, UGA*
- 10:30 BREAK
- 11:00 Taxonomic Experts Database - *Fuller*
- 11:15 Status of State Plans/Program Updates
- Florida – *Hardin/Schmitz*
 - Alabama – *Hartman/Rider*
 - Mississippi – *Bass*
 - Louisiana - *Blanchet*
- 12:15 LUNCH
- 1:30 Work Group Breakouts
- Work Group Assignments - *Yeager*
 - Education/Outreach Work Group
 - Pathways/Prevention Work Group
 - Research/Development Work Group
- 3:00 BREAK
- 3:30 Resume Work Group Breakouts
- 4:30 Public Comment
- 4:45 Recess

THURSDAY, APRIL 6, 2006

9:00 Public Comment

9:05 Status of State Plans/Program Updates (continued)

- Texas - *Chilton*
- Georgia – *Hendrickx*
- South Carolina – *de Kozlowski/Thieling*
- HACCP Workshop - Mexico – *Mendoza*

10:00 BREAK

State Plans/Program Updates (continued)

- Galveston Bay Activities - *Lester*

10:30 Avian Vacuolar Myelinopathy – *Susan Wilde, SCDNR*

11:00 Administrative Report – *Lukens*

11:15 Salinity Tolerance of goldfish, *Carassius auratus*, a Widely Distributed Non-native Cyprinid in the USA - *Pam Schofield, (USGS)*

11:45 LUNCH

1:15 Work Group Reports

- Education/Outreach Work Group - *Jacoby*
- Pathways/Prevention Work Group - *Fuller*
- Research/Development Work Group – *Teem*

2:00 Species Update - *Fuller*

2:30 Update from the North American Brown Tree Snake Control Team - *Jonathan Moczygemba*

3:00 Hybridization between red shiners and native shiners - *Noel Burkhead, USGS*

3:30 BREAK

4:00 SEAFWA Invasive Species Committee Report – *de Kozlowski*

4:15 Next Meeting

- Time
- Place

4:30 Public Comment

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