

# GULF & SOUTH ATLANTIC REGIONAL PANEL ON AQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES

Bahia Mar  
Fort Lauderdale, FL  
May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2015

## **Tuesday May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

- 8:00 Call to Order – *Pam Fuller*
- Introductions
  - Public Comment
- 8:15 Review and Adoption of Agenda – *Pam Fuller*
- 8:20 Review and Approval of Minutes (9/18/2014 Houston, TX) – *Pam Fuller*
- 8:30 Overview of SERC's Benthic Monitoring Program – *Ian Davidson*
- 8:55 Overview of the Everglades Cisma Program – *Tony Pernas / Dennis Giardina*
- 9:20 Exotic Mangrove Control – *ECISCMA / Jennifer Possley*
- 9:40 Update on Lionfish Activities in Florida – *Meaghan Faletti*
- 10:00 BREAK
- 10:15 Overview of NOAA's Habitat Program – *Peg Brady*
- 10:40 Deep Water Trapping of Invasive Lionfish in the Caribbean – *Jackson Gross*
- 11:05 Population Dynamics of Introduced Flathead Catfish – *Tim Bonvechio*
- 11:25 Florida Pet Amnesty Program - Discussion on Possible Expansion – *Kristen Sommers*
- 11:45 LUNCH
- 1:00 Discussion of the 2015-2019 GSARP Guidance Document – *All*
- 1:10 Update on the USFWS Region 4 AIS Small Grants Program – *James Ballard*
- 1:20 Discussion of the Invasive Species Experts Database – *All*
- 1:40 "Don't Release Me" Program Overview – *Lad Akins / Erin Spencer*
- 2:00 State Reports / Members Forum
- 3:00 BREAK
- 3:20 State Reports / Members Forum
- 4:00 Discussion of ANSTF Recommendations – *All*
- 4:30 Other Business
- Next Meeting, Time and Place
  - Public Comment

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