

5th Inter-Agency Social Science Roundtable Meeting Agenda

Date: January 10, 2011
Time: 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Call-In: Phone number: 1 (866) 846-1053, Participant code: 6866854#
Location: Institute for Water Resources, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Casey Building, Classroom (Room 264)
7701 Telegraph Road, Alexandria, VA 22315

- 8:30 a.m. Coffee and refreshments
- 9:00 a.m. Introduction & general information – Wen Chang, USACE-IWR
- 9:05 a.m. Welcome to the Institute for Water Resources– Bob Pietrowsky, Director, USACE-IWR
- 9:15 a.m. Overview of the Corps' Natural Resources Program – Jonathan Davis, Deputy Chief, Operations, Headquarters, USACE
- 10:00 a.m. New capabilities of the Economic Profile System - Human Dimensions Toolkit – Joel Larson, BLM
- 10:25 a.m. Regional Economic System (RECONS)- economy and jobs – Wen Chang, USACE
- 10:45 a.m. Break
- 11:00 a.m. Update on BLM's Socioeconomic Strategy – Rob Winthrop, BLM
- 11:15 a.m. Paperwork Reduction Act – Susan I. Stewart, USFS
- 11:25 a.m. Open discussion: Budget situation and research priority, the state of affairs of social sciences in U.S. federal government, spatial/temporal planning, etc.
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch on your own (suggest order in)
- 1:00 p.m. Natural Resources Management Gateway, Community "In" Practice – Kathy Perales, USACE
- 1:30 p.m. GIS aided visitation modernization program – Wen Chang/ Kathy Perales, USACE
- 1:50 p.m. Update on the roundtable's human dimensions of climate change work group – Rob Winthrop, BLM
- 2:10 p.m. Social safeguards for upcoming climate change programs – Diane Russell, USAID
- 2:30p.m. National Climate Assessment through its socioeconomic indicators working group– Susan Stewart, USFS
- 2:45p.m. Around the Room: Agency updates or reports
- 3:30 p.m. Adjourn