

CRRC Modeling Working Group
May 5, 2008
at IOSC

Meeting Notes

Attendees: Nancy Kinner, Amy Merten, Kristin Bailey-McCarthy, CJ Beegle-Krause, Michel Boufadel, Jim Clark, Debbie French McCay, Wolfgang Konkel, Bill Lehr, Kathy Mandsager, Debbie Payton (via phone)

A. Biological Effects Subcommittee

- Subcommittee Leader
 - Debbie French McCay, ASA
- Additional Subcommittee Members
 - CJ Beegle-Krause, ASA
 - Amy Merten, CRRC NOAA/ORR
 - Nicole Rutherford, NOAA/ERD
 - Kate Clark, NOAA/ARD
 - Jim Clark, Exxon Mobil
 - Bird Toxicologist rep
 - Possibilities
 - ◆ Rebecca Dunne, Tri-State Bird Rescue – accepted invitation
 - ◆ Rich Green, Golder
 - ◆ Glen Ford, Entrix
 - Optional possibilities
 - Mike Newman, VIMS
 - Don Aurand, Ecosystem Management
- Tasks
 - Will redo this subcommittee's mission to reflect changes in membership

B. Physical Transport Subcommittee

- Subcommittee Leaders
 - CJ Beegle-Krause, ASA
 - Michel Boufadel, Temple University
- Additional Subcommittee Members
 - Mark Reed, SINTEF
 - Jerry Galt, GENWEST – potentially interested
 - Joaquín Tintoré, IMEDEA – no response yet
 - Walter Johnson, MMS

C. Physical Fate and Behavior Subcommittee

- Subcommittee Leader
 - Mark Reed, SINTEF
 - Bill Lehr, NOAA/ERD
- Additional Subcommittee Members
 - Michel Boufadel, Temple University
 - Debbie French McCay, ASA
 - Ali Khelifa, Environment Canada
 - Ed Overton, LSU– not yet
 - Joseph Katz, Johns Hopkins – not yet
 - Jim Payne, Consultant

D. Spill Response Modeling Subcommittee

- Subcommittee Leader
 - Debbie Payton,
 - Wolfgang Konkel, Exxon Mobil
- Additional Subcommittee Members
 - Al Allen, Consultant
 - Steve Lehmann, NOAA/ERD
 - Marc Hodges, API
 - Dagmar Schmidt-Etkin, Consultant
 - LaTarsha McQueen, USCG

E. Costs

- Decided to have uniform rate honorarium of \$5,000 + travel/person
 - Jim Payne
 - Al Allen
 - Dagmar Schmidt-Etkin
 - Glen Ford
 - Jerry Galt
 - Joaquín Tintoré?
- Steering Committee members that need funding need to decide on an honors/cost
 - Debbie French McCay
 - CJ Beegle-Krause
 - Mark Reed

F. Additional Possible Steering Committee Members

- Victoria Broje, Shell
- Marc Hodges, API
- David Fritz, BP
- Jim Meyers, Chevron

G. Modeling Working Group Kick-off meeting

- To be held September 16-17, 2008 at UNH in Durham, NH

H. Steering Committee + Subcommittee members

- Pending NOAA funding for Federal travel costs
 - Bill Lehr
 - Debbie Payton
 - Amy Merten
 - Steve Lehmann (local)
 - Kate Clark (local)
 - Walt Johnson
 - USCG person

I. Next Conference Call - TBD