

DRAFT-TENTATIVE AGENDA

**White House Conference on North American Wildlife Policy**

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**Day 1, October 1, 2008 – Silver Legacy and Reno Ballroom**

- All Day: Arrival of participants.
- 2 – 8 p.m. Registration for Conference [Entrance to the Ballrooms] Conferees review discussion materials and submit questions, comments and proposed discussion topics for Day 2 Panel Discussions.

**Day 2, October 2, 2008 – Reno Ballroom**

- 7:00 a.m. Registration, Coffee and refreshments [Salon entrance to the Ballrooms].
- 9:00 a.m. Plenary Session opens [Ballrooms 3-4] (opened to the press)
- 9:05 a.m. Presentation of the colors and the National Anthem.
- 9:15 a.m. Remarks by the Honorable Dirk Kempthorne, Secretary of the Interior.
- 9:45 a.m. Plenary Session ends; Breaks begin in the individual breakout rooms
- 10:15 a.m. Conferees will assemble in four identical sessions small enough to give every conferee a good chance to discuss with government officials, organization leaders, and peers the topics that will be addressed in the 10-year Plan. Each session will be led by a moderator and assisted by a Panel of leaders in the hunting community that will discuss the topics with conference participants. The results of these discussions will inform development of the Ten-Year Recreational Hunting and Wildlife Conservation Plan [Ballrooms 1, 2, 3-4 & 6] (closed to the press)
- 12:15 p.m. Break for Lunch
- 1:30 p.m. Conferees will assemble in four identical sessions small enough to give every conferee a good chance to discuss with government officials, organization leaders, and peers the topics that will be addressed in the 10-year Plan. Each session will be led by a moderator and assisted by a Panel of leaders in the hunting community that will discuss the topics with conference participants. The results of these discussions will inform development of the Ten-Year Recreational Hunting and Wildlife Conservation Plan [Ballrooms 1, 2, 3-4 & 6] (closed to the press)
- 2:30 p.m. Breaks available in breakout sessions.
- 3:30 p.m. Breakouts end.

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3:45 p.m. Plenary Session: Conferees will reassemble to hear reports on Findings from Breakout Groups [Ballrooms 3-4] (opened to the press)

5:30 p.m. Plenary Session Ends.

**Day 3, October 3, 2008 – Reno Ballroom**

7:30 a.m. Coffee and refreshments [Salon pre-function entrance to the Ballrooms and rear of Plenary Session].

9:30 a.m. Plenary Session begins [Ballrooms 3-4] (opened to the media)

9:32 a.m. Remarks by the Honorable Ed Schafer, Secretary of Agriculture.

10:00 a.m. Remarks by the Honorable James Connaughton, Chairman of the White House Council on Environmental Quality.

10:45 a.m. Remarks by the Honorable George W. Bush, President of the United States

11:45 a.m. Conference Concludes.