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To: [McChesney, Gerry](#)
Cc: [Morkill, Anne](#)
Subject: Re: Marine Island Ecosystem surveys for Pt. Blue meeting this week
Date: Friday, November 16, 2018 11:37:07 AM
Importance: High

Hi Gerry,

Thank you for the rough estimate. The priority surveys you mentioned don't match the names in the survey database. Can you go back to the survey database and clarify the surveys Pt. Blue will conduct using the official survey names? That would be extremely helpful. There are multiple surveys for ASSP, cormorants, and pinnipeds and we want to make sure we have the right ones.

Thanks!!!

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On Thu, Nov 15, 2018 at 4:40 PM McChesney, Gerry <gerry_mcchesney@fws.gov> wrote:

Winnie,

Final details still need to be hashed out and we won't have them until the end of the year, maybe later depending on when Congress passes final budget. We did agree that our goal is to provide \$163,210 in Refuge base funding for FY19 (performance period will be April 1, 2019 - March 31, 2020). In the agreement, we will spell out that our priority surveys come first, including:

- 1.Ashy Storm-Petrel population size
- 2.Common Murre, Brandt's Cormorant, and Pelagic Cormorant population sizes
- 3.Cassin's Auklet and Rhinoceros Auklet population size.
- 4.Pinniped breeding population sizes

After that, conservation measures associated with the mouse eradication project come next, including burrowing owl surveys, cricket surveys, and salamander surveys.

After that, other agreed-upon surveys that are Pt Blue priorities can be done as time and funds allow, realizing that most/all of the funds for those surveys come from Pt Blue's cost share. In the end, I'm assuming that most of the surveys being conducted now will continue but we still need to finalize our negotiations with Pt Blue.

Gerry

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On Thu, Nov 15, 2018 at 3:06 PM Chan, Winnie <winnie_chan@fws.gov> wrote:

Hi Gerry and Anne,

Following up with you regarding outcome of the Pt. Blue meeting. Can you tell me:

- total \$ amount of the agreement
- surveys included in the agreement
- any surveys from the spreadsheet that I provided you that WILL NO LONGER be conducted on the refuge

Thanks,
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On Tue, Nov 6, 2018 at 9:02 AM McChesney, Gerry <gerry_mcchesney@fws.gov> wrote:

Thanks , Winnie! Very helpful.

Gerry

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On Mon, Nov 5, 2018 at 3:56 PM Chan, Winnie <winnie_chan@fws.gov> wrote:

Hi Gerry, Anne, and Chris,

Attached is a copy of the surveys for the Farallons from the survey database for the work planning

process. Please use this to guide your discussion with Pt. Blue this week, particularly in ensuring that the surveys that directly inform work plan goals and objectives are conducted (either by us or Pt. Blue). See column AD and AE, these are the surveys that are tied to a work plan goal or objective.

Thanks,
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