

**From:** [Dan Grout](#)  
**To:** [winstonvickers@charter.net](mailto:winstonvickers@charter.net); [mehutt@usgs.gov](mailto:mehutt@usgs.gov)  
**Cc:** [Winston Vickers](#); [Gerry\\_McChesney@fws.gov](mailto:Gerry_McChesney@fws.gov)  
**Subject:** Wed July 11 Farallon meeting  
**Date:** 07/10/2012 01:20 PM

---

Winston, Michael:

We'll be meeting from 10AM - 3PM tomorrow (Wednesday, Pacific time) at the USFWS office in Fremont, but if wanted to just call in from **12:30-3pm pacific**, that would be fine, as in the morning the core partners of FWS, IC and PRBO will likely need to go over some mundane business to set up the afternoon discussion, which might be more relevant for you. We do not want to take up your whole day on the phone. We can rehash the important aspects for you when you call in – will that work?

Here is the call-in information: Call-in #: 888-443-9573 Passcode: 7646223#

## **AGENDA**

### **10:00 - 12:00 Core partners only (FWS, IC, PRBO)**

1. **Funding/Budgeting:** Review status of existing funds and available grants for the trial
2. **Goals:** Determine the objectives of the December Trial, based on available staff and funding
3. **Designing and Writing the Hazing Plan:** Determine internal development and external review process
4. **Logistics/Timing:** Define field window, discuss any conflicts with other USFWS/PRBO/other research

### **12:00 - 12:30: Lunch**

### **12:30 - 3:00 Core partners and other cooperators (IWS, USGS, USDA & others?)**

5. **Field Trial Roles:** Define responsibilities (Lead vs support) of USFWS, PRBO, IC and any additional agencies (USDA, etc)
6. **Staffing Needs:** Identify list of individuals to participate in planning and execution of trial
7. **Equipment:** Develop list and source
8. **Other Trial Studies:** Incorporate other elements into the Fall trial?
9. **Review Action Items and planning schedule**

Thanks for your help and advice and cooperation on this project. We are looking forward to talking to you tomorrow.

Dan Grout  
*Farallon Project Manager, Island Conservation*  
University of California, Santa Cruz

Long Marine Lab - 100 Shaffer Rd  
Santa Cruz, California 95060 USA  
mobile: 831-420-7825  
skype: dan\_grout  
email: [dan.grout@islandconservation.org](mailto:dan.grout@islandconservation.org)

web: [www.islandconservation.org](http://www.islandconservation.org)



*"Island Conservation is the world's most effective organization  
in terms of species saved from extinction per dollar spent."*  
- **Michael Soule, Cofounder, the Society for Conservation Biology**