From: Ren Lohoefener
To: Noreen Walsh
Subject: Re: invitation to join bi-state sage-grouse teleconference
Date: Wednesday, June 19, 2013 9:53:20 PM

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well, kinda funny

Sent from my iPad

On Jun 19, 2013, at 8:52 PM, Noreen Walsh <noreen_walsh@fws.gov> wrote:

> Not funny
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> **From:** Ren Lohoefener [mailto:ren_lohoefener@fws.gov]
> **Sent:** Wednesday, June 19, 2013 9:51 PM
> **To:** Noreen Walsh
> **Subject:** Re: invitation to join bi-state sage-grouse teleconference
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> yes
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> On Jun 19, 2013, at 8:50 PM, Noreen Walsh <noreen_walsh@fws.gov> wrote:
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>> R U KIDDINGme?
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>> Noreen Walsh
>> Regional Director
>> Mountain-Prairie Region
>> U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service
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>> 303 236 7920
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>> ***The Mountain-Prairie Region of the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service:*** *We provide conservation stewardship of some of America's most scenic lands, to ensure healthy fish and wildlife for the enjoyment and benefit of all people.*
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>> **From:** Ren Lohoefener [mailto:ren_lohoefener@fws.gov]
>> **Sent:** Wednesday, June 19, 2013 9:49 PM
>> **To:** Noreen Walsh
>> **Subject:** Re: invitation to join bi-state sage-grouse teleconference
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>> oh, yeh, that one.....
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>> Sent from my iPad
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>> On Jun 19, 2013, at 8:48 PM, Noreen Walsh <noreen_walsh@fws.gov>

wrote:

This one

From: Noreen Walsh [mailto:noreen_walsh@fws.gov]
Sent: Friday, June 14, 2013 8:04 AM
To: Rick Cables; Greg Sheehan; Terry Steinwand; Jeff Vonk; jhagener@mt.gov; Scott Talbott; Roy Elicker; Philip Anderson; Virgil Moore; Chuck Bonham; Tony Wasley
Cc: Ren Lohoefener; Robyn Thorson; Richard Hannan; Matt Kales; Debbie Schreiner
Subject: invitation to join bi-state sage-grouse teleconference

To: State Directors in Greater sage-grouse range

From: Noreen Walsh

When: June 24th, 1 pm MT, noon PT

Call-in information: 1 866 663 0869 , passcode: 4006722

Ren Lohoefener, Regional Director for the Fish and Wildlife Service's Pacific Southwest Region, would appreciate the opportunity to provide a confidential briefing on the Service's intentions regarding the bi-state population of sage-grouse.

You may recall that in accord with the MDL settlement agreement, with regard to the bi-state distinct population segment of the sage grouse, a decision of whether to propose for ESA protection or not has to be made in September, 2013. As valued partners in sage-grouse conservation, we want to take the opportunity to brief you confidentially on the status of this decision.

If you have any questions, please give me a call.

Thanks very much,

Noreen

Noreen Walsh
Regional Director
Mountain-Prairie Region
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