

## **Appendix L**

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## L.2 Planning Team

Three planning teams were created for the Revised Plan: core, extended, and advisory. Teams were differentiated based on the level of involvement in developing the Revised Plan.

**Core Team:** The core team has the primary responsibility for completing the Revised Plan for Arctic Refuge. The core team consists of the Refuge manager and other Refuge staff, along with the planning team leader and representatives from the State of Alaska. State participation has been mutually beneficial; however, the State of Alaska does not endorse the content of this Plan.

**Extended Team:** The extended team is involved in all key decisions and contributes important components to the Revised Plan, such as data collection, analysis, writing, and reviewing. The extended team consists of Refuge staff and representatives from other agencies and Native groups.

**Advisory Team:** Members of the advisory team include Refuge and regional office staff and other specialists and experts who provide support to the core and extended teams during the planning process. Members of the advisory team attend team meetings by specific request, but core and extended teams can coordinate with any member of the advisory team on an as-needed basis.

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