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To: [Daniel Thompson](#); [Frank T van Manen](#); [Shoemaker, Rebecca](#); KFrey@mt.gov
Subject: RE: Meeting ?
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There IS a meeting in Denver starting at 1 PM on Feb. 18 and ending at noon on Feb. 19. Our director will be there along with the 3 state directors. I was going to invite you all but was told that the state directors will invite their own staff. I was asked who they should invite and I listed:

WY – Thompson and Bjornlie

MT – Frey

ID – Meintz

I did invite Frank and Mark since a big part of this meeting is to explain these major issues to the directors since they have trouble believing these:

- How we know that the population has essentially stabilized.**
- Expectations of increased flexibility for the states under the revised criteria.**
- Why we reduction of the area where we count mortalities.**
- When we expect the application of the mark-resight population estimator.**

Dan, I am going to phone you in a minute.

Chris

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Any movement on this meeting we're supposed to have? I am OUT February 18-22, that's been planned for over a year. Other than some time off for an unborn child in June I'm pretty much available. I had heard early Feb, but that's getting pretty close.

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