

September 21, 2017

Collaboration and Outreach Work Group

Attendees: Candice Hopkins, Wendy Norton, Kim Martz, Dan Sullivan, Marie DeLorenzo, Sheri Alcalde, Alice Mayo, Nancy Schuldt, Danielle Donkersloot, Mike Higgins, Martha Clark Mettler

1. Update on the Fall 2017 Newsletter

- We have received several articles but still need more to represent state and tribal interests.

- The newsletter can be used to highlight many upcoming events and opportunities

ACTION: Marie will send Candice a few conference announcements to include

ACTION: Candice will send a draft of the newsletter to Kim around October 1

2. Webinar Updates

- Izaak Walton League hosted webinar speakers while the Council was not functioning. This was a great success and Danielle received positive feedback from attendees.

- Our next webinar is not scheduled until November; please let Candice know if you have any suggestions for webinar speakers.

3. Round Robin Updates

- Wendy fielded many questions while ACWI was under review. Thanks to Wendy for helping us clearly communicate what was happening!

- Izaak Walton League started a "Stream Selfie" campaign that has allowed them to create a map for volunteers and groups involved with monitoring. Candice suggested we highlight this in our newsletter.

4. Photo Library

- Martha said she commonly gets asked for field photos for STEM purposes

- The group agreed that photos are valuable resources and we could perhaps start a library or list of photo resources for those that are looking

ACTION: C&O members will revisit the topic of a photo library next month

5. State and Regional Council Summary

- We decided several months ago to update the content on our State and Regional Council page to be more relevant and useful for those looking for content

- After reviewing the content that Julie's student put together, the group was undecided about how to post this material to the web

ACTION: C&O members will revisit this summary and ways to display it next month