

**Joint Meeting of the
Gulf and South Atlantic Regional Panel
And
Mississippi River Basin Panel**

**October 9-11, 2012
Four Points by Sheraton
New Orleans, LA**

Tuesday, October 9

ICS Training Workshop

7:30 Registration

8:00 – 5:00 ICS training

Wednesday, October 10

Joint Panels Meeting

7:30 Registration and Continental Breakfast

Welcome and Introductions

8:00 Gulf and South Atlantic Regional Panel (Leslie Hartman)

8:15 Mississippi River Basin Panel (Nick Schmal)

Vector Management

8:30 New Introductions of Interest (Matt Cannister)

8:45 Organisms in Trade (Mike Hoff)

9:15 Ornamental Trade (Jeff Hill)

9:45 Incidental Hitchhikers (Earl Chilton)

10:15 Break

10:45 Overview of MAP Vector Management Workshop (Fredrika Moser)

11:15 Group Discussion: Implementing Vector Management (All)

- Identify principal vectors
 - Information gaps/needs
 - Priority actions
- How to implement vector vs. species management approaches?
- Recommendations for ANSTF or Panels?

Lunch 12:00 – 1:30

Updates / Reports

1:30 ANSTF (Susan Mangin)

- Group Discussion: Reporting State Expenses on AIS Prevention and Control

2:00 Southern Division AFS and Parent Society Resolutions on ANS Funding and the Asian Carp Management Plan (Dennis Riecke)

2:10 MICRA (Steve Shults / Jason Goeckler)

2:20 SARP (Jeff Herod)

2:30 ISAC (Earl Chilton)

2:40 AFWA Invasive Species Committee (Kim Bogenschutz)

3:00 Break

Outreach and Education

3:20 GSARP Traveling Trunk (Herb Kumpf)

3:40 Wildlife Forever's "Invader Crusader" School Curriculum (Karen Hollingsworth)

4:00 Sharing what we have learned: Outreach products designed to change behaviors (Linda Walters)

4:20 Awareness vs. Behavior Change (Eileen Ryce)

4:40 Group Discussion: Communication Strategies (All)

5:20 Wrap-up

5:30 Adjourn

Thursday, October 11

MRBP Meeting

7:45 Registration

8:00 Call To Order (Schmal)

- Review Joint Meeting highlights
- Review December 2011 MRBP meeting highlights
- Review MRBP meeting agenda

8:15 Coordinator's Report (Conover)

- Projects and obligations
- 2012 Budget

8:30 Committee Breakouts (All)

10:00 Break

10:15 Committee Breakouts (All)

12:15 Lunch

1:30 Public Comment (Schmal)

1:45 Committee Reports (Committee Chairs)

2:30 Communication Needs (Goeckler)

- State AIS Fact Sheets
- State Asian Carp Distribution Maps

3:00 Break

3:30 eDNA Analysis (John Amberg)

3:50 Meta-genomic Analysis (Tim King)

4:10 Group Discussion: eDNA (All)

4:40 Meeting Wrap-up (Schmal / All)

- 2012/2013 Work Plan Discussion
- Recommendations and Decision Items for ANSTF
- Set Date and Location for Next MRBP Meeting

5:00 Adjourn