Wisconsin Conservation Congress
Fur Harvest Study Committee
Agenda
For a meeting at
Mead Wildlife Area Visitor Center
Milladore, WI
Saturday, August 21, 2010 – 9:30 AM

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Fur Harvest Study Committee of the Wisconsin Conservation Congress will convene at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, August 21, 2010 at Mead Wildlife Area Education and Visitor Center, S2148 County Highway S, Milladore, Wisconsin. The Committee will review and act on items listed on the agenda.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Organizational Matters (9:30 AM)
   A. Call to Order
   B. Roll Call
   C. Review Committee Mission Statement
   D. Public Comments
      - Citizens who wish to address the committee must contact the committee secretary (Dave Hraychuck at 715-485-3362) prior to August 18, 2010.

2. Guest Speakers
   A. Robert C. Willging, USDA Wildlife Services – Beaver management and APHIS
   B. Dave MacFarland – Bobcat Research

3. Department Items
   A. John Olson, Furbearer Ecologist, Wisconsin DNR
      • Update on trapping seasons and harvests
      • Final 2009 bobcat, fisher and otter harvest
      • Recommended harvest quotas for 2010/11
      • Status of 2010 DNR Spring Hearing rule proposals
      • DNR 2011 proposed furbearer and trapping related Spring Hearing rule proposals
      • Review of NTA Convention held in Marshfield
   B. John Welke, Conservation Warden, Wisconsin DNR
      • Incident reports

Lunch (noon)

4. Committee Business
   A. Citizen Resolutions
      • 510210 Cable Restraints on Private Lands
      • 050210 Shorten Fall Beaver Trapping Season
      • 700210 Allow Trappers to Bait and Lure Prior to the Opening of the Season

5. Member Matters

Adjourn (~3:00 PM)
If you are unable to attend the committee meeting you must contact the committee chair or secretary and request an excused absence.

**From Marshfield:**
Take Highway 10 East to County S. Drive north approximately 6 miles to reach the Mead Education and Visitor Center.

**From Stevens Point:**
Take Highway 10 West to County S. Drive north approximately 6 miles to reach the Mead Education and Visitor Center.

*Note: The Exit for Hwy. 10 West has Moved. The new exit for Hwy. 10 West is indicated on the above map with the red circle.*

**From Wisconsin Rapids:**
Take Highway 34 North to Highway 10 West. Drive west approximately 3 miles to County S. Drive north approximately 6 miles to reach the Mead Education and Visitor Center.