



## 2012 NMAP Avian Electrocution & Collision Prevention Workshop and APLIC Short Course Agenda

### Tuesday , February 14, 2012

7:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	<b>Registration &amp; Avian Display</b> <i>by Hawks Aloft</i>
8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.	<b>Opening Ceremonies</b> Opening Remarks <i>Joy Nicholopoulos, Deputy Regional Director, USFWS</i> A Short History of NMAP <i>John Acklen, PNM &amp; Wendy Brown, USFWS</i>
9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	<b>Laws and Permits</b> <i>Delivan Roper, USFWS, and Kristin Madden, NMDGF</i>
10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	<b>Electricity 101</b> <i>Blake Forbes, PNM</i>
10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	<b>APLIC Short Course: Avian Protection Basics</b> <i>Peggy Jelen, APS; Misti Schriner, WAPA; John Acklen, PNM</i>
11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Lunch on Your Own
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	<b>Birds Beyond Borders</b> <i>Gail Garber, Hawks Aloft and Kristin Madden, NMDGF</i>
2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	<b>APLIC Short Course: Avian Protection Basics</b> (continued) <i>Peggy Jelen, APS; Misti Schriner, WAPA; John Acklen, PNM</i>
3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	<b>Bald and Golden Eagles display and discussion</b> <i>The Wildlife Center</i>
3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	<b>Eagle Issues and Guidance</b> <i>Brian Millsap, USFWS and Robert Murphy, USFWS</i>
4:00 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.	Break and Vendor Time
4:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.	<b>Electrocutions</b> <i>Doug McKenna, USFWS</i>
4:45 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.	<b>Wildlife Corridors and New Transmission Lines</b> <i>Karyn Stockdale, Audubon Society</i>
5:15 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	<b>Vendor Reception</b>
6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.	<b>Whiskey Woven in the Middle: Music and Cash Bar</b>

### Wednesday, February 15, 2012

7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.	<b>Time with Vendors &amp; Avian Display: Wildlife Rescue Inc. of NM</b>
8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	<b>Collisions: The State of the Art in Understanding and Mitigation</b> <i>Misti Schriner, WAPA</i>
8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	<b>Power Line and Substation Mitigation</b> <i>Rick Harness, EDM</i>
9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	<b>Bird Guarding, the Good, the Bad and the Ugly</b> <i>Irv Walker, Utilatek</i>
10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	Break and Vendor Time
10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	<b>Avoidance Behavior by Lesser Prairie Chickens</b> <i>Grant Beauprez, NMDGF</i>
11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	<b>Tall Structures and Their Effects on Grouse Species</b> <i>Peggy Jelen, APS</i>
11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Lunch Provided
12:00 p.m. - 12:30 p.m.	<b>APP Panel Discussion:</b> APS, PNM, and Co-ops <i>Larry McGraw, RUS and Rick Harness, EDM, co-chairs</i>
12:30 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.	<b>USFWS Draft Land-based Wind Energy Guidelines</b> <i>Chris O'Meilia, USFWS</i>
1:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.	<b>Best Management Practices for Windfarms</b> Christopher Rustay, PLJV
1:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	<b>Final Comments and Adjourn</b>