



**Interagency Grizzly Bear Committee
Summer Meeting Agenda, June 20-22, 2017**

Stage Stop Inn, Choteau, MT

Information (I) Decision (D)

Please Note - agenda topics and times may change as needed without further notice

<p style="text-align: center;">Tuesday, June 20 Rocky Mountain Event Center Day 1</p>	
8:00 am to 8:15 am	Welcome and Introductions by Chair - Jim Unsworth
8:15 am to 8:45 am	IGBC I&E Update - Gregg Losinski <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I&E Update (I) • Review and Support of New Mountain Bike Signs for NFS Lands - Gregg Losinski/Scott Jackson (I)(D)
8:45 am to 10:00 am	Review and Approval of IGBC Charter - Chris Smith (D)
10:00 am to 10:15 am	BREAK
10:15 am to Noon	Review and Discuss IGBC Five-Year Action Plan - Chris Smith (I)
Noon to 1:00 pm	LUNCH
1:00 pm to 2:00 pm	IGBC Five-Year Action Plan discussion continued
2:00 pm to 4:00 pm	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Transitioning from Recovery to Management Discussion Panel</u> Chris Smith- Panel Moderator (I)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Panelists</u></p> Martha Williams, Director, Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks Hilary Cooley, National Grizzly Bear Coordinator, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service Gary Burnett, Executive Director, Blackfoot Challenge Tribal Representative from the CSKT or Blackfeet Tribe (working on rep) Private Landowner (working on rep)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ How will the states approach management of recovered populations? ✓ How do we assure the public that bears will be managed in a sustainable way? ✓ How do we start communicating the real life challenges of living and working in bear country, especially in areas where bears have been absent for decades?

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4:00 pm to 4:30 pm	Adjourn and Public Comment
5:00 pm	Depart Stage Stop Inn for Roosevelt Ranch
6:00 pm to 9:00 pm	Evening Social for the IGBC at the Teddy Roosevelt Ranch hosted by the Boone & Crockett Club. Includes dinner/tour/interpretive trail walk.
Wednesday, June 21 FIELD Trip Day 2	
8:00 am to 5:00 pm (p/u brown bag lunches @ Outpost Deli on the way out of town)	Field Trip Highlights <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Rockport Hutterite Colony ❖ Private Ranch ❖ Sheep Producer ❖ Lunch @ Park ❖ Meet w/Valier Mayor ❖ Reservoir
Thursday, June 22 Rocky Mountain Event Center Day 3	
8:00 am to 10:00 am	Follow-up discussion and action on the IGBC Five-Year - Chris Smith (I)(D)
10:00 am to 10:15 am	Review & Approve IGBC Budget FY18 - Ellen Davis (I)(D)
	Other Topics?
	Public Comment & Adjourn