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Grizzly Room, Interagency Natural Resource Center
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Video (browser or MS Teams app): [MEETING LINK](#)
Call-in: 202-640-1187 passcode: 824 239 481# (mute/unmute *6)

9:30 am (Pacific), 10:30 am (Mountain), November 29, 2022

Time (PDT)	Topic	Presenter
9:30–9:45	Committee and presenters logon & test function	
9:45–10:00	Welcome & subcommittee member introductions	Ben Conard Subcommittee
10:00–10:30	Conservation Strategy 101	Hilary Cooley, David Diamond
10:30–11:00	Conservation Strategy: next steps <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overall coordination? • Work team assignments? • Agency commitments and personnel? 	Ben Conard Subcommittee
11:00-11:10	Break	
11:10-11:40	Idaho bear management update	Barb Moore
11:40-12:00	Montana bear management update	Kim Annis
12:00-1:00	LUNCH	
1:00-1:20	Selkirk / Cabinet-Yaak recovery and monitoring update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 2022 field season results - Bog Creek monitoring - 2021 annual reports: Selkirks Cabinet-Yaak 	Wayne Kasworm
1:20-1:45	USFWS GB Recovery Office Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - MT/WY/ID petitions status - MT bear relocations - Conflict staff projects, programs, and IE&O 	Hilary Cooley, Jennifer Fortin- Noreus, Ben Jimenez

1:45-2:00	Information and Education Taskforce Updates	Christy Johnson-Hughes
2:00-3:10	<p>Subcommittee Accomplishments, Highlights or News (round robin) - emphasis on 5-year work plan.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • B.C. Ministry of Forests, Lands & Natural Resource Operations. • Counties Rep. • Idaho Fish and Game. • Idaho Dept. of Lands. • Kalispel Tribe of Indians. • Kootenai Tribe of Idaho. • Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks. • U.S. Bureau of Land Management. • Colville National Forest. • Idaho Panhandle National Forest. • Kootenai National Forest. • Lolo National Forest. • USFWS Idaho Office. • USFWS Washington Office. • Washington Dept. Of Fish and Wildlife 	Agency Reps
3:10-3:20	Break	
3:20-3:45	Questions and Comment, in-person, Teams (link above), or Phone (call-in above)	All
3:45-4:00	Passing of Chair & Selection of next Vice-Chair	Ben Conard
4:00-4:15	<p>Closing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Next meeting date: Proposed: May 9, or 16, or 23? - Adjourn 	Subcommittee