

**AGENDA**  
**INTERAGENCY WORKGROUP MEETING (IWG)**  
**DECEMBER 1, 2017**

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- A. Welcome: Lacy and Erik**
- B. Attendees roll call: Marie**

<p>Kelly Logan - NMFS  <i>Pace Wilber – NMFS</i>          Jocelyn Karazsia - NMFS          Kurtis Gregg – ERT Inc./ NMFS  <i>Mark Lamb - NMFS</i>          Gina Ralph - USACE  <i>Lacy Pfaff – USACE</i>  <i>Jason Spinning – USACE</i>  <i>Terri Jordan-Sellers – USACE</i>          Terry Stratton – USACE          Steve Conger - USACE          Aaron Lassiter - USACE          Debby Scerno - USACE          Matt Miller – USACE          Steve Bratos – USACE          Drew Condon - USACE</p>	<p><i>Laura DiGruttolo - FWC</i>          Marissa Krueger – FWC  <i>Fritz Wettstein – FWC</i>  <i>Jason Hight - FWC</i>  <i>Jennifer Peterson – DEP</i>  <i>Lainie Edwards - DEP</i>          Vladimir Kosmynin- DEP  <i>Brendan Biggs – DEP</i>          Alex Reed – DEP          Francisco Pagan – DEP  <i>Jillian Green – DEP</i>  <i>Joanna Walczak - DEP</i>  <i>Ken Banks – Broward County</i>  <i>Jeff Howe - FWS</i></p>	<p><i>Matt Harold – Port Everglades</i>  <i>Erik Neugaard – Port Everglades</i>          David Anderton – Port Everglades  <i>Wade Lehmann – EPA</i>  <i>Jennifer Derby – EPA</i>          Molly Martin – EPA          Mel Parsons – EPA          Jamie Higgins -EPA          Ron Miedema – EPA          Chris Militscher - EPA.</p>
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- C. Agenda Review: Marie**
- D. Reconnaissance Survey Status - Erik**
- E. ESA Survey – Erik and Jason**
  - a. **Status & Resolution of NMFS concerns.** -- Please provide an update on the 20 transects that were being re-surveyed for the ESA protocol.
  - b. **Availability of data**
- F. Revised Walker Maps-Background information paper for IWG - Erik**
- G. Explanation on how the Sediment Transport Model and the Particle Tracking Model fit together. – Lacy.** “The IWG could benefit from further explanation of how all these things work together. For example, how does the new scope (distributed by Lacy in 11/27) dovetail with what we talked about with USGS as far as data collection and how both of those fit with the sediment modeling?”
- H. Models – Status and recent emails - Lacy:**
  - a. **Sediment transport model:** Is there a need to model for ambient or background sediment movement versus gathering information through in-field measurements via the monitoring plan (Lacy’s email/11-27 at 7:24 pm)
  - b. **Particle tracking model:**

- i. Suggestion that the IWG identify the goals of the particle tracking model (e.g., the model results would be applied to predict coral reef areas impacted by sediment plumes, the severity and frequency of those impacts, and to inform the locations of monitoring)? This may help the IWG evaluate if or how the additional work (distributed by Lacy on 11/27) will help achieve those goals.
- ii. Looking at supplemental field collection data for calibration (Lacy's email/11-27 at 7:24 pm)

**I. Revised Timeline for Project – Lacy**

**J. Timing of Mitigation Discussions – Jason**

**K. Status of potential sediment deep water placement sites – Jason**

**L. Suggestion that the IWG discuss how USACE and the Port can obtain a higher value products within the existing budget. – NMFS.** Significant expenditure of funds are being directed without IWG input (e.g., turbidity monitoring study, particle tracking model, and the unsolicited proposal from Dr. Zarillo). Can USACE and the Port engage with IWG more frequently on this? Early engagement with the IWG could result in broader ownership of the final work products.

**M. Next status update**

**N. Close**