



Western Division American Fisheries Society

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WDAFS Executive Committee Minutes (12:15 PM-1:45 PM PT)

Thursday June 8, 2023, virtual

Roll call & Introductions

Participants:

- Laurie Earley, WD President
- Eric Fetherman, WD President – Elect
- Laura Burckhardt, WD Secretary Treasurer
- Jack McLaren, WD Student Representative
- Julie Carter, WD Vice President
- Tim Copeland, Incoming Vice President
- Gary Vonderohe, Oregon AFS Chapter President
- Erik Schoen, Idaho AFS Chapter President
- Jane Trujillo, AZ/NM Chapter President
- Eva Bush, CA/NV Chapter President
- Kevin Meyer, Idaho AFS Chapter President
- Dave Stagliano, Montana AFS Chapter President
- Tim Grabowski, Pacific Islands Chapter President
- Steve Gale, CO/WY AFS Chapter President
- Jeff Fryer, WA/BC AFS Chapter President

Determination of quorum (majority of elected officers, 1/3 Chapters)

A quorum was present.

Motion: Approve May meeting minutes

The spelling of Gary Vonderohe's name will be revised. Gary moved to approve the minutes with the revision.
No one opposed approval of the revised minutes. Motion passed.

WDAFS Treasurer's briefing (Laura)

Laura reviewed the Treasurer report for May. The Mountain American Federal Credit Union account has been closed. The SCCS library account is setup for automatic payment from Laura's WD AFS debit card, this will need to be changed with the new Secretary/Treasurer. Three of the award recipients declined the travel support. Reimbursement from two travel grants have not been submitted yet. The 2019 taxes were returned in 2021 because they were not filed electronically. Laura submitted these using a vendor from the IRS website but the submittal was not complete so we received notification from the IRS to resubmit. This has been done. Idaho profit share will be approximately \$38,000.

AFS briefing

Membership – No update. Meeting next week.

Nominations Committee – Committee is getting finalized

AFS Management Meeting – Meeting tomorrow. AFS staff travel policy was sent out. Having advanced notice is necessary. The Chapter should be able to decide if they are inviting a Society representative and if they are willing to pay for travel and lodging. Define expectations of roles and responsibilities and Chapters financial responsibilities.

Governing Board will be meeting at the end of the month

WDAFS Committee Briefings

Native Fishes Committee – No update.

Financial Sustainability – Working to schedule the quarter meeting

Early Career Professionals – Continuing education course in ID was successful. The ID chapter paid the \$500 on behalf of the ECP committee and those costs were deducted from the profits.

Diversity and Inclusion Committee – No update.

Resource Policy – BLM letter was sent out for review and comment. Laurie discussed edits from ID chapter and Laurie. Idaho & Oregon Chapters discussed the letter with their EXCOM.

Eva moved to approve submittal of the letter. Kevin seconded the motion. No discussion. Pacific Islands abstained. No one opposed. Motion passed

Student (Jack) – New student representative will begin in August.

Chapter briefings (roughly 1 minute/chapter)

- **WA/BC** (Jeff) – Planning joint meeting with Idaho for 2024. Last week of April 2024
- **Pacific Islands** (Tim) – Working on getting tax exempt status and student are working on getting established as a student subunit. Have selected local artists for the national committee.
- **OR** (Gary) – Planning for 2024 and 60th Anniversary meeting. Excom is working on handbooks. Work plans from external committees are due in June. Legislative liaison is still busy working during the session.
- **MT** (Dave) – Incoming President-elect is looking into venues for the 2024 meeting. Were active in commenting and testifying on Bills.
- **ID** (Kevin) – Idaho meeting was successful with over 400 attendees.
- **CO/WY**(Steve) - Colorado/Wyoming Chapter has recently lent support for the BLM letter to be discussed and sent letters to Drue Winters to be sent to WY and CO senators in support for the RAWA legislation. We have contracts in place for our 2024 meeting in Laramie and have submitted a RFI to Shawn for the 2025 WDAFS meeting in Colorado. Thanks for all the recent help from WDAFS and the Idaho Chapter in putting together the RFI. Working on our 2024 proposed budget and switch officers in August. We will have a new officer retreat in August to discuss upcoming chapter business. We are in the process of changing our Chapter logo to adhere to the standards of the Parent Society.
- **CA/NV** (Eva) – CA meeting will be in Redding, Continuing education will be April 9. Conference will be April 10-12th. Working on a shortened version of the annual meeting handbook. Gained co-chairs on committees.
- **AZ/NM** (Jane) – Wildlife Society is planning the February 2024 meeting (1st Thursday in February)
- **Alaska** (Erik) – Updated their listserve to the AFS hosted service. Considering creating a joint chapter with Yukon.

New or other business –

- Western Division logo contest open until July 15th. Encourage artists in your chapter to submit.
 - All units must incorporate their new logo in their logo. Laurie will send out the information to officers.

- August meeting will be cancelled

Attachments:

1. May Meeting Minutes
2. May 31 Balance Report
3. BLM Letter from RPECC
4. Proposed Revisions to Policy on Joint Travel Support for AFS Officers and Staff at Division and Chapter Meetings.

Meeting was adjourned at 2:00 PM (MST).

WDAFS Officers Meeting (2:00-3:35 PM MST)

Laurie, Laura, Eric, and Tim stayed on conference line

- Boise follow-up – Meeting was more profitable (~\$38,000) than expected(~\$25,000)
 - The ID chapter paid the \$500 on behalf of the ECP committee and those costs were deducted from the profits.
 - Business Lunch – Cost around \$5,000 and was included in the bill for the meeting. In order to not include Idaho AFS on those cost, Laura will void check and the cost of the lunch will be removed from WDAFS profits.
- Hawai'i preparations –
 - Eric is heading to Hawaii on June 22nd. Anticipating 1,800 attendees.
 - Will start on committees after the Grand Rapids meeting
 - MOU needs to get established for the meeting
 - AFS is considering revising profit sharing
- Student travel support –
 - Jack wants to see unused funds go to students. Laura explained that there is an investment account for student support and we pull the used money out of the account in August. In 2023, there was \$11,000 allocated and all but \$413.70 was used.
- Division needs over the summer – Not much need anticipated until August when Hawaii meeting planning begins.



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Executive Committee Call: Thursday, June 8th, 2023

Start Time: 10:00 am HT / 11:00 am AKT / 12:00 pm PT / 1:00 pm MT/ 3:00 pm ET

Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84238044025?pwd=MW1OdTRvNjFVUDNSM2l3eUdaMVIzZz09>

Meeting ID: 842 3804 4025 Passcode: 507354

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WDAFS Executive Committee **AGENDA** (12:00 PM-1:00 PM PT)

WDAFS Officers and Representatives from: AK, AZ/NM, CA/NV, CO/WY, ID, MT, OR, PI, UT, WA/BC

- 12:00 Roll call & Introductions / determination of quorum (majority of officers, 1/3 of Chapters)
- 12:10 Approval of May ExCom Meeting notes **Note - Business meeting minutes will be approved in Hawai'i**
- 12:12 WDAFS Treasurer's briefing and budget review and balances report (Laura)
 - 2019 Tax update
- 12:17 AFS Level Committee briefings (Management Committee, Governing Board, Membership)
- 12:25 WDAFS Committee briefing-any new updates? (Resource Policy and Environmental Concerns-Dan, Financial Sustainability-Laurie/Laura, Native Fishes-Dan, Early Career Professional-Eric, Diversity & Inclusion-Eric/Julie, Division Membership-Julie)
- 12:30 Student Activities update (Jack)
- 12:35 Chapter briefings (roughly 2 minute/chapter)
- 12:50 New or other business
 - Survey Results – Maybe finally we can discuss!!
- 1:00 Adjourn

Attachments:

1. Monthly financial statement / balances
2. May Meeting notes

WDAFS Officers Meeting **AGENDA** (1:00-2:00 PM PT)

WDAFS Officers to stay on the video conference

- Boise follow-up
- Student travel support - sideboards
- Hawai'i preparations
- Division needs over the summer



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Secretary/Treasurer Report – May 31 2023

Account Balances by Month

Table 1. Bank Account Balances

Account	9/30/2022 Balance	10/31/2022 Balance	11/30/2022 Balance	12/31/2022 Balance	1/31/2023 Balance	2/28/2023 Balance	3/31/2023 Balance	4/30/2023 Balance	5/31/2023 Balance
Bank Accounts									
MACU CD Maturation December 21 2	\$ 10,938.31	\$ 10,940.64	\$ 10,940.64	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
MACU CD Maturation October 9 22	\$ 10,924.47	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
MACU Savings	\$ 984.64	\$ 1,909.95	\$ 1,910.03	\$ 12,854.64	\$ 12,855.19	\$ 1.11	\$ 1.11	\$ 1.11	\$ -
Wells Fargo Checking	\$ 27,803.70	\$ 25,597.85	\$ 19,040.86	\$ 17,862.58	\$ 61,206.22	\$ 59,730.82	\$ 51,512.21	\$ 47,867.99	\$ 32,524.83
TOTAL Bank Accounts	\$ 50,651.12	\$ 38,448.44	\$ 31,891.53	\$ 30,717.22	\$ 74,061.41	\$ 59,731.93	\$ 51,513.32	\$ 47,869.10	\$ 32,524.83
Investment Accounts									
Charles Schwab - Investments	\$ 507,956.79	\$ 475,343.02	\$ 494,588.59	\$ 520,171.64	\$ 475,816.86	\$ 541,129.93	\$ 552,264.02	\$ 556,207.84	\$ 561,565.57
CDs at Charles Schwab									
CD: Bank of China (Due 10/28/22, 0.9	\$ 10,000.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
CD: Western Alliance (Due 2/14/23,	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
CD: AXOS Bank (Due 2/13/23, 2.8%)	\$ -	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Funds Transferred for CD Purchase (\$ -	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Bank of India - New NY 5% CD (Due 0	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00
Charles Schwab Bank, TX 5% CD (Due	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 23,000.00	\$ 23,000.00	\$ 23,000.00	\$ 23,000.00
TOTAL Investment Accounts	\$ 517,956.79	\$ 495,343.02	\$ 524,588.59	\$ 550,171.64	\$ 505,816.86	\$ 584,129.93	\$ 595,264.02	\$ 599,207.84	\$ 604,565.57
OVERALL TOTAL	\$ 568,607.91	\$ 533,791.46	\$ 556,480.12	\$ 580,888.86	\$ 579,878.27	\$ 643,861.86	\$ 646,777.34	\$ 647,076.94	\$ 637,090.40

Notes:

- 1) 12/5/2022: The Bank of China CD automatically renewed into the AXOS Bank CD.
- 2) 5/22/2023: Closed the Mountain America Credit Union Account

Investment Account

Table 2 displays the current Unit ownership in the Investments portion of the Charles Schwab account. The activity is summarized below.

1. On October 24, 2022, WD transferred \$10,000 into the Investment account for the purchase of a 6-month CD. A CD has not been purchased yet. The CD is not part of the shared investment account. No change to the percent ownership was made.
2. WD AFS had a CD mature at MACU on October 28, 2022 and was reinvested on November 13, 2022
3. The Bank of China CD automatically renewed into the AXOS Bank CD on November 14, 2022. The interest amount and resulting change in WD ownership in Table 2 is under review.
4. Funds were transferred from MACU on 10/24/22 (\$10,000) and on 2/9/23 (\$12,854.19), these funds along with the AXOS Bank and Western Alliance CDs and associated CD dividends were pooled to purchase a 6-month CD for \$20,000 and a 12-month CD for \$23,000.

Table 2. Unit Balance and Ownership in Investments within the Charles Schwab Account

Percent Ownership	9/30/2022
Western Division	42.56%
AZ/NM Chapter	4.50%
CO/WY Chapter	13.05%
Idaho Chapter	9.22%
Utah Chapter	5.33%
WA-BC Chapter	8.21%
CSU Student Subunit	0.00%
Fish Culture Section	16.18%
Student Travel Fund	3.53%

Wells Fargo Checking Account Transaction

The following table displays the reporting period opening balance, transactions by current budget category, the fiscal year that the transaction was budgeted in, and if the transaction has cleared the account or not.

NOTES:

- 1) On 1/29/2023, deposited a \$47,152 check from AFS for: 1) 2020 Dues Rebate, \$11,212, 2) 2021 Dues Rebate, \$14,040.00, 3) 2021 Baltimore Proceeds, \$1,900, 4) 2022 Spokane Proceeds \$20,000.
- 2) OR AFS Donations: \$500 for Student Colloquium in 2024 (4/20/23) and \$2,500 for Pacific Islands Chapter (5/02/2023)

Table 3. Checking Account Transactions

Date	Num	Description	Memo	Category	Tag	Clr	Amount
5/31/2023	1994	Don Martin	Emeritus Travel Grant	05 Grants:05.02 Travel Grant Em...	FY23	c	-425.00
5/23/2023		Etsy.com	Gift for Travis Neebling	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1...	FY23	c	-71.15
5/22/2023	2001	Peter Searle	Student Travel Grant	06 Student Support:06.05 Travel ...	FY23		-830.00
5/22/2023	2002	Andrea Kokkon...	Student Travel Grant	06 Student Support:06.05 Travel ...	FY23		-189.29
5/22/2023	2003	Dennis ShiozawaKokkonen	Student Travel Grant	06 Student Support:06.05 Travel ...	FY23		-640.71
5/20/2023	2013	Phillip Howell	2 years of Library Fees; 2021 & 2023	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.0...	SCCS	c	-240.00
5/19/2023	1992	Lee Mabey	Award Travel Support	04 Awards:04.03 Travel for Winn...	FY23	c	-500.00
5/19/2023	2012	Sage Unsworth	Scholarship	06 Student Support:06.02 Maugh...	FY23	c	-2,500.00
5/19/2023	1996	Zoe Brandt	Travel Grant	07 Committees:07.01 Early Care...	FY23	c	-500.00
5/19/2023	1993	Maggie Harings	Student Travel Grant	06 Student Support:06.05 Travel ...	FY23	c	-830.00
5/19/2023	2000	Utah State Uni...	Sarah Barnes, Student Travel Grant	06 Student Support:06.05 Travel ...	FY23		-416.30
5/19/2023	2011	Marta Ulaski	Scholarship	06 Student Support:06.02 Maugh...	FY23		-2,500.00
5/19/2023	1995	Collin Hendricks	Student Travel Grant	06 Student Support:06.05 Travel ...	FY23		-830.00
5/19/2023	1997	Rachel Valeria	Student Travel Grant	06 Student Support:06.05 Travel ...	FY23	c	-830.00
5/18/2023	1998	Jack McClaren	Reimbursement for Travel to WD AFS Meeting	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23		-422.55
5/18/2023	1999	Henry Fork Fo...	Reimbursement for Jack McLaren 2023 WDAFS...	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-736.66
5/17/2023		Eric Featherman	REIMBURSEMENT FOR ID WD AFS MEETING...	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-976.30
5/17/2023		Dan Brauch	REIMBURSEMENT FOR ID WDAFS MEETING ...	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-806.20
5/16/2023		Lyft	PURCHASE 05/12 lyft.com CA CARD 8314	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-18.69
5/16/2023		The Grove Hot...	Fetherman - parking and food	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-224.82
5/16/2023		United	Earley Luggage Fee	03 Other Excom Travel:03.01 GB...	FY23	c	-35.00
5/16/2023		The Grove Hotel	Earley Hotel and Food	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-1,007.92
5/16/2023		The Grove Hotel	Fetherman Hotel	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-735.00
5/16/2023		Bittercreek/red ...	Fetherman: Officer Meal	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-468.08
5/16/2023		The Grove Hotel	Brauch hotel and food	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-979.02
5/16/2023		Burlington Int Air	Earley	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-72.00
5/16/2023		Boise Airport	Earley	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-30.42
5/12/2023		Trillium Purcha...	PURCHASE 05/09 BOISE ID CARD 8314	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-45.16
5/12/2023		Bruce Koike, L	Gift for Student Rep	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1...	FY23	c	-25.00
5/12/2023		Lyft	PURCHASE 05/10 lyft.com CA CARD 8314	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-4.00
5/11/2023		Ups	Mailing 2019 Tax Return	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1...	FY23	c	-12.33
5/11/2023		Lucky	Fetherman: Officer Lunch	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-94.44
5/11/2023		Mailchimp	Mailchimp Monthly Service Fee	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.0...	FY23	c	-80.32
5/10/2023		Lyft	PURCHASE 05/07 lyft.com CA CARD 8314	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-11.95
5/10/2023		United	Earley Luggage Fee	03 Other Excom Travel:03.01 GB...	FY23	c	-35.00
5/10/2023		Bardenay Restr...	Dinner for 4 WDAFS representatives	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-264.19
5/10/2023		Trillium	Earley WDAFS Food Purchase	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-48.74

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Date	Num	Description	Memo	Category	Tag	Clr	Amount
5/9/2023		Skinny Pancake	Earley WDAFS Food Purchase	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-12.26
5/9/2023		Idaho State Liq...	Brauch gift	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1...	FY23	c	-52.95
5/6/2023		American Airlines	PURCHASE RETURN Carter Flight	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	407.80
5/5/2023		Idaho AFS	PURCHASE RETURN Carter registration	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	425.00
5/4/2023		Vermont Troph...	Award Plaques	04 Awards:04.01 AFS Plaques	FY23	c	-72.50
5/4/2023		Postnet -az135	Shipping	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1...	FY23	c	-102.01
5/3/2023		Oregon AFS	Pacific Islands Donation		FY23	c	2,500.00
4/26/2023		Harland Clarke ...	Checks	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.0...	FY23	c	-38.64
4/25/2023		Idaho AFS	Registration for Shivonee Nesbit	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-425.00
4/21/2023		Oregon AFS	Student Colloquium sponsorship	06 Student Support:06.04 Stude...	FY23	c	500.00
4/18/2023		Etsy	Gift for Wendt	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.0...	FY23	c	-53.03
4/13/2023		John McClaren	Reimbursement for ID AFS Registration	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-150.00
4/13/2023		CTE Awards	Riparian Challenge Plaques	04 Awards:04.02 Riparian Challe...	FY23	c	-85.00
4/12/2023	1991	Nate Cathcart	Small project grant	05 Grants:05.08 Small Grants Pr...	FY23	c	-749.68
4/11/2023		AFS	Fetherman Registration Grand Rapids	03 Other Excom Travel:03.01 GB...	FY23	c	-655.00
4/11/2023		United	Fetherman Flight Grand Rapids	03 Other Excom Travel:03.01 GB...	FY23	c	-380.45
4/11/2023		Mailchimp	Mail Chimp Monthly Service	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.0...	FY23	c	-80.32
4/7/2023		ID AFS	Reimbursement, L Burckhardt Registration	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	425.00
4/7/2023		American Airlines	Carter Flight to Boise	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-407.80
4/5/2023		Dan Brauch	REIMBURSEMENT FOR AK AFS	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-1,157.30
4/4/2023		Westmark Fair...	AK AFS Brauch Hotel	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-387.00
3/28/2023		Sheraton	WABC AFS Burckhardt Hotel	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-424.50
3/24/2023		United	Earley Flight for Boise Meeting	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-965.40
3/23/2023		Idaho AFS	Carter- Registration for WDAFS Meeting	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-425.00
3/23/2023		Julie Carter	Reimbursement for Gift	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1...	FY23	c	-60.00
3/22/2023		Laura Burckhardt	Reimbursement for Travel to WABC Meeting	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-1,549.20
3/16/2023		Idaho AFS	Earley - Registraton for WDAFS Meeting	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-425.00
3/16/2023		American Fishe...	Sponsorship of Latin American AFS Meeting	05 Grants:05.05 Sponsorship for ...	FY23	c	-500.00
3/14/2023	1989	Jack McClaren	Reimbursement for Travel to UT Meeting	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-497.90
3/14/2023		Idaho AFS	Fetherman - Registration for WD AFS Meeting	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-425.00
3/11/2023		Mailchimp	Mail Chimp Monthly Fee	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.0...	FY23	c	-80.32
3/9/2023		Dan Brauch	Reimbursement Oregon AFS Meeting	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-1,235.18
3/8/2023		ID AFS	Burckhardt - Registration for WD AFS	02 AFS WD Annual Meeting:02.0...	FY23	c	-425.00
3/7/2023		Hilton	Fetherman - Hotel CANV Meeting	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-769.70
3/6/2023	1990	American Fishe...	Web Hosting Fees, 2023	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.0...	FY23	c	-240.00
3/3/2023		Bites 2 Purcha...	Fetherman - CA NV Meeting	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-21.56
3/3/2023		Louisiana Cha ...	Fetherman - CA NV Meeting	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-64.40
3/2/2023		Gladstones Pur...	Fetherman - CA NV Meeting	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-79.00

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Date	Num	Description	Memo	Category	Tag	Clr	Amount
3/1/2023		Ross	Meal, Earley MT AFS	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-31.45
2/28/2023		Burlington Int A...	Parking, Earley MT AFS	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-60.00
2/28/2023		Sheraton	Meal, Earley MT AFS	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-38.00
2/28/2023		Copper King H...	Lodging, Earley MT AFS	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-294.00
2/23/2023		Montana Rib	Meal MT AFS	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-41.90
2/17/2023	1988	UC Regents	Sanders Small Project Grant	05 Grants:05.08 Small Grants Pr...	FY22	c	-947.00
2/11/2023		Mailchimp	Mail Chimp Monthly Fee	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.0...	FY23	c	-94.50
1/31/2023		Eventbrite 202...	Laurie Earley MT AFS Registration	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-300.00
1/31/2023		United	Feterman Flight to CA/NV	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-217.80
1/26/2023		Washingtonb A...	Laura Burckhardt WA/BC Registration	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-325.00
1/26/2023		United	Laurie Earley Flight to MT AFS	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-571.25
1/19/2023	S	AFS	2020 & 2021 Membership Dues, Baltimore & Sp...	--Split--	--Split--	c	47,152.00
1/18/2023		Hyatt	Fetherman Hotel	03 Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF...	FY23	c	-905.25
1/14/2023		Hyatt	Earley Hotel	03 Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF...	FY23	c	-537.00
1/14/2023		Eventbrite 202...	Fetherman CA/NV Registration	03 Other Excom Travel:03.02 Ch...	FY23	c	-355.00
1/14/2023		Lafayette Gara...	Earley Parking Fee	03 Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF...	FY23	c	-123.00
1/13/2023		Back Deck	Dinner Purchase Fetherman	03 Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF...	FY23	c	-48.26
1/13/2023		Back Deck	Dinner purchase Fetherman	03 Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF...	FY23	c	-73.66
1/11/2023		Mailchimp	Monthly service fee	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.0...	FY23	c	-94.50
1/11/2023		Common Man ...	Earley Gas Purchase	03 Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF...	FY23	c	-45.64
1/10/2023		Wells Fargo	Non-wells fargo ATM Fee	03 Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF...	FY23	c	-2.50
1/10/2023		Citizens Bank	Fetherman ATM withdrawl for dinner	03 Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF...	FY23	c	-63.50
1/10/2023		Wells Fargo	Non-wells fargo ATM FEE	03 Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF...	FY23	c	-2.50
1/10/2023		Citizens Bank	Earley ATM withdrawl for dinner	03 Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF...	FY23	c	-143.50
12/17/2...		American Fische...	Governing Board Meeting Registration - Laurie	03 Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF...	FY23	c	-285.00
12/17/2...		Paypal Code R...	PURCHASE RETURN - GB Meeting - Laurie	03 Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF...	FY23	c	1.95
12/16/2...		Paypal Code P...	Purchase verification - GB Meeting - Laurie	03 Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF...	FY23	c	-1.95
12/13/2...		Mailchimp	Mailchimp monthly fee	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.0...	FY23	c	-81.00
12/7/2022	1982	Muhammad Na...	2022 WDAFS Travel Grant	05 Grants:05.01 Travel Grant Int...	FY22	c	-750.00
12/2/2022		Quicken	Quicken annual membership	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.0...	FY23	c	-62.28
11/22/2...		Dan Brauch	REIMBURSEMENT FOR BOISE MIDYEAR ME...	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting...	FY23	c	-509.26
11/18/2...		Julie Carter	Reimbursement for Boise Midyear Meeting	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting...	FY23	c	-319.14
11/18/2...		American Fische...	Governing Board Meeting Registration - Eric	03 Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF...	FY23	c	-240.00
11/16/2...		Snap Snap Ads	PURCHASE RETURN 11/13 3103993339 CA C...	Refund		c	28.39
11/16/2...		Snap Snap Ads	PURCHASE RETURN 11/13 3103993339 CA C...	Refund		c	41.54
11/16/2...		Snap Snap Ads	PURCHASE RETURN 11/13 3103993339 CA C...	Refund		c	12.75
11/16/2...		Snap Snap Ads	PURCHASE RETURN 11/13 3103993339 CA C...	Refund		c	26.78
11/16/2...		Snap Snap Ads	PURCHASE RETURN 11/13 3103993339 CA C...	Refund		c	28.81

Table 3 continue. Checking Account Transactions

Date	Num	Description	Memo	Category	Tag	Clr	Amount
11/16/2...		Snap Snap Ads	PURCHASE RETURN 11/13 3103993339 CA C...	Refund		c	20.33
11/16/2...		Snap Snap Ads	PURCHASE RETURN 11/13 3103993339 CA C...	Refund		c	26.05
11/16/2...		Snap Snap Ads	PURCHASE RETURN 11/13 3103993339 CA C...	Refund		c	16.58
11/15/2...		Snap Snap Ads...	PURCHASE 11/11 310-399-3339 CA CARD 3537 08	Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1...		c	-28.81
11/15/2...		Snap Snap Ads...	PURCHASE 11/11 310-399-3339 CA CARD 3537 08	Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1...		c	-20.33
11/15/2...		Snap Snap Ads...	PURCHASE 11/11 310-399-3339 CA CARD 3537 08	Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1...		c	-16.58
11/15/2...		Snap Snap Ads...	PURCHASE 11/11 310-399-3339 CA CARD 3537 08	Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1...		c	-26.78
11/15/2...		Snap Snap Ads...	PURCHASE 11/11 310-399-3339 CA CARD 3537 08	Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1...		c	-28.39
11/15/2...		Snap Snap Ads...	PURCHASE 11/11 310-399-3339 CA CARD 3537 08	Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1...		c	-12.75
11/15/2...		Snap Snap Snap	PURCHASE RETURN 11/13 650-9065368 CA ...	Refund		c	28.25
11/15/2...		United	PURCHASE 11/09 800-932-2732 TX CARD 3537 03	Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF... FY23		c	-522.20
11/15/2...		Snap Snap Ads...	PURCHASE 11/11 310-399-3339 CA CARD 3537 08	Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1...		c	-26.05
11/15/2...		Snap Inc	PURCHASE 11/11 650-9065368 CA CARD 3537 08	Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1...		c	-28.25
11/15/2...		Snap Snap Ads...	PURCHASE 11/11 310-399-3339 CA CARD 3537 08	Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1...		c	-41.54
11/15/2...		Nelson And As...	Tax Preparation	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.1... FY23		c	-1,850.00
11/11/2...		American Fishe...	Registration Costs - Fetherman	03 Other Excom Travel:03.03 AF... FY23		c	-228.00
11/9/2022		Starbucks	PURCHASE 11/06 DENVER CO CARD 3516	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-4.00
11/9/2022		Den Public Par...	PURCHASE 11/06 DENVER CO CARD 3537	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-70.00
11/9/2022		Holiday Inn	Hotel Costs	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-294.00
11/9/2022		Holiday Inn	Hotel Costs	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-294.00
11/9/2022		The Car Park H...	Hotel Costs	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-8.00
11/9/2022		Holiday Inn	Hotel Costs	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-441.00
11/9/2022		Holiday Inn	Hotel Costs	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-294.00
11/9/2022		Holiday Inn	Hotel Costs	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-441.00
11/8/2022		Prost Boise	PURCHASE 11/05 BOISE ID CARD 8314	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-24.08
11/8/2022		Tst* Juniper On...	Excom Dinner	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-259.95
11/8/2022		Uber Eats	Excom Dinner	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-139.00
11/8/2022		Uber Eats	Excom Dinner - tip	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-20.85
11/8/2022		Trader Joe's	PURCHASE 11/04 BOISE ID CARD 3537	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-55.60
11/8/2022		Lyft	PURCHASE 11/04 855-865-9553 CA CARD 8314	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-19.15
11/8/2022		Lyft	PURCHASE 11/04 855-865-9553 CA CARD 8314	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-11.79
11/8/2022		Lucky	PURCHASE 11/04 Boise ID CARD 8314	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-50.40
11/8/2022		Sky Market Ce...	PURCHASE 11/06 303-3429000 CO CARD 3516	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-12.96
11/8/2022		Lyft	PURCHASE 11/05 855-865-9553 CA CARD 8314	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-13.59
11/8/2022		Flying J	PURCHASE 11/06 DENVER CO CARD 3516	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-11.16
11/5/2022		Lemon Tree & ...	Mid-year meeting lunch for Excom	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-310.30
11/5/2022		Tst* Queens F...		01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-32.56
11/1/2022		Mailchimp	Mailchimp	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.0... FY23		c	-81.00
10/21/2...		United	Airfare to Boise Meeting - Laurie Earley	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-890.20
10/20/2...		Dan Brauch	REIMBURSEMENT FOR ZOOM ANNUAL MEM...	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.0... FY23		c	-157.25
10/18/2...		United	Airfare to Boise Meeting - Eric Fetherman	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-340.20
10/18/2...		Brandy Smith	WDAFS Student Travel Grant - payment reissued	06 Student Support:06.05 Travel ... FY22		c	-625.00
10/14/2...		Brandy Smith	Check cancelled - refund	06 Student Support:06.05 Travel ... FY22		c	625.00
10/12/2...		United	Airfare to Boise Meeting - Laura Burckhardt	01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting... FY23		c	-725.20
10/12/2...		Mailchimp	221010 MAILCHIMP AMERICAN FISHERIES S...	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.0... FY23		c	-81.00
10/4/20221986		McKenzie River...	Chris Labrecque Riparian Challenge Award	04 Awards:04.02 Riparian Challe... FY22		c	-12.00

Fiscal Year 2023 Budget Overview

The following table displays the FY23 budget categories, opening balances, and transactions during the reporting period by category.

Table 4. Fiscal Year 2023 budget and transactions.

Date	Description	Memo	Clr	Amount
INCOME				2,500.00
Uncategorized				2,500.00
5/3/2023	Oregon AFS	Pacific Islands Donation	c	2,500.00
EXPENSES				26,782.14
01 WD Mid-Year Excom Meeting				3,700.62
01.02 Food				-0.30
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			310.00
11/5/2022	Lemon Tree & Co	Mid-year meeting lunch for Excom	c	-310.30
01.03 Excom Travel Expenses				3,700.92
10/1/2022	Opening Balance		R	9,000.00
10/12/2022	United	Airfare to Boise Meeting - Laura Burckhardt	c	-725.20
10/18/2022	United	Airfare to Boise Meeting - Eric Fetherman	c	-340.20
10/21/2022	United	Airfare to Boise Meeting - Laurie Earley	c	-890.20
11/5/2022	Lyft	PURCHASE 11/03 855-865-9553 CA CARD...	c	-17.99
11/5/2022	Tst* Queens Foods...		c	-32.56
11/8/2022	Flying J	PURCHASE 11/06 DENVER CO CARD 3516	c	-11.16
11/8/2022	Lyft	PURCHASE 11/05 855-865-9553 CA CARD...	c	-13.59
11/8/2022	Sky Market Center ...	PURCHASE 11/06 303-3429000 CO CARD ...	c	-12.96
11/8/2022	Lucky	PURCHASE 11/04 Boise ID CARD 8314	c	-50.40
11/8/2022	Lyft	PURCHASE 11/04 855-865-9553 CA CARD...	c	-11.79
11/8/2022	Lyft	PURCHASE 11/04 855-865-9553 CA CARD...	c	-19.15
11/8/2022	Trader Joe's	PURCHASE 11/04 BOISE ID CARD 3537	c	-55.60
11/8/2022	Uber Eats	Excom Dinner - tip	c	-20.85
11/8/2022	Uber Eats	Excom Dinner	c	-139.00
11/8/2022	Tst* Juniper On 8t ...	Excom Dinner	c	-259.95
11/8/2022	Prost Boise	PURCHASE 11/05 BOISE ID CARD 8314	c	-24.08
11/9/2022	Holiday Inn	Hotel Costs	c	-441.00
11/9/2022	Holiday Inn	Hotel Costs	c	-294.00
11/9/2022	Holiday Inn	Hotel Costs	c	-441.00
11/9/2022	The Car Park Hoff ...	Hotel Costs	c	-8.00
11/9/2022	Holiday Inn	Hotel Costs	c	-294.00
11/9/2022	Holiday Inn	Hotel Costs	c	-294.00
11/9/2022	Den Public Parking...	PURCHASE 11/06 DENVER CO CARD 3537	c	-70.00
11/9/2022	Starbucks	PURCHASE 11/06 DENVER CO CARD 3516	c	-4.00
11/18/2022	Julie Carter	Reimbursement for Boise Midyear Meeting	c	-319.14
11/22/2022	Dan Brauch	REIMBURSEMENT FOR BOISE MIDYEAR ...	c	-509.26
02 AFS WD Annual Meeting				5,151.20
02.01 Excom Meeting				500.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			500.00
02.02 Business Meeting				2,000.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			2,000.00
02.03 Officer Travel				-348.80
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			9,000.00
3/8/2023	ID AFS	Burckhardt - Registration for WD AFS	c	-425.00
3/14/2023	Idaho AFS	Fetherman - Registration for WD AFS Meeting	c	-425.00
3/16/2023	Idaho AFS	Earley - Registraton for WDAFS Meeting	c	-425.00
3/23/2023	Idaho AFS	Carter- Registration for WDAFS Meeting	c	-425.00
3/24/2023	United	Earley Flight for Boise Meeting	c	-965.40
4/7/2023	American Airlines	Carter Flight to Boise	c	-407.80
4/7/2023	ID AFS	Reimbursement, L Burckhardt Registration	c	425.00

Table 4 continued. Fiscal Year 2023 budget and transactions.

Date	Description	Memo	Clr	Amount
4/13/2023	John McClaren	Reimbursement for ID AFS Registration	c	-150.00
4/25/2023	Idaho AFS	Registration for Shivonee Nesbit	c	-425.00
5/5/2023	Idaho AFS	PURCHASE RETURN Carter registration	c	425.00
5/6/2023	American Airlines	PURCHASE RETURN Carter Flight	c	407.80
5/9/2023	Skinny Pancake	Earley WDAFS Food Purchase	c	-12.26
5/10/2023	Trillium	Earley WDAFS Food Purchase	c	-48.74
5/10/2023	Bardenay Restraunt	Dinner for 4 WDAFS representatives	c	-264.19
5/10/2023	Lyft	PURCHASE 05/07 lyft.com CA CARD 8314	c	-11.95
5/11/2023	Lucky	Fetherman: Officer Lunch	c	-94.44
5/12/2023	Lyft	PURCHASE 05/10 lyft.com CA CARD 8314	c	-4.00
5/12/2023	Trillium Purchase 0...	PURCHASE 05/09 BOISE ID CARD 8314	c	-45.16
5/16/2023	Boise Airport	Earley	c	-30.42
5/16/2023	Burlington Int Air	Earley	c	-72.00
5/16/2023	The Grove Hotel	Brauch hotel and food	c	-979.02
5/16/2023	Bittercreek/red Fea...	Fetherman: Officer Meal	c	-468.08
5/16/2023	The Grove Hotel	Fetherman Hotel	c	-735.00
5/16/2023	The Grove Hotel	Earley Hotel and Food	c	-1,007.92
5/16/2023	The Grove Hotel P...	Fetherman - parking and food	c	-224.82
5/16/2023	Lyft	PURCHASE 05/12 lyft.com CA CARD 8314	c	-18.69
5/17/2023	Dan Brauch	REIMBURSEMENT FOR ID WDAFS MEETI...	c	-806.20
5/17/2023	Eric Featherman	REIMBURSEMENT FOR ID WD AFS MEET...	c	-976.30
5/18/2023	Henrys Fork Found...	Reimbursement for Jack McLaren 2023 WD...	c	-736.66
5/18/2023	Jack McClaren	Reimbursement for Travel to WD AFS Meeti...		-422.55
02.04 Meeting Site Visit				3,000.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			3,000.00
03 Other Excom Travel				2,954.40
03.01 GB Excom Meeting				1,894.55
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			3,000.00
4/11/2023	United	Fetherman Flight Grand Rapids	c	-380.45
4/11/2023	AFS	Fetherman Registration Grand Rapids	c	-655.00
5/10/2023	United	Earley Luggage Fee	c	-35.00
5/16/2023	United	Earley Luggage Fee	c	-35.00
03.02 Chapter Meetings				1,029.86
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			9,450.00
1/14/2023	Eventbrite 2023 C...	Fetherman CA/NV Registration	c	-355.00
1/26/2023	United	Laurie Earley Flight to MT AFS	c	-571.25
1/26/2023	Washingtonb Amer...	Laura Burckhardt WA/BC Registration	c	-325.00
1/31/2023	United	Feterman Flight to CA/NV	c	-217.80
1/31/2023	Eventbrite 2023 M...	Laurie Earley MT AFS Registration	c	-300.00
2/23/2023	Montana Rib	Meal MT AFS	c	-41.90
2/28/2023	Copper King Hotel ...	Lodging, Earley MT AFS	c	-294.00
2/28/2023	Sheraton	Meal, Earley MT AFS	c	-38.00
2/28/2023	Burlington Int Air P...	Parking, Earley MT AFS	c	-60.00
3/1/2023	Ross	Meal, Earley MT AFS	c	-31.45
3/2/2023	Gladstones Purcha...	Fetherman - CA NV Meeting	c	-79.00
3/3/2023	Louisiana Cha Pur...	Fetherman - CA NV Meeting	c	-64.40
3/3/2023	Bites 2 Purchase 0...	Fetherman - CA NV Meeting	c	-21.56
3/7/2023	Hilton	Fetherman - Hotel CANV Meeting	c	-769.70
3/9/2023	Dan Brauch	Reimbursement Oregon AFS Meeting	c	-1,235.18
3/14/2023	Jack McClaren	Reimbursement for Travel to UT Meeting	c	-497.90
3/22/2023	Laura Burckhardt	Reimbursement for Travel to WABC Meeting	c	-1,549.20
3/28/2023	Sheraton	PURCHASE 03/20 BELLINGHAM WA CAR...	c	-424.50

Table 4 continued. Fiscal Year 2023 budget and transactions.

Date	Description	Memo	Clr	Amount
4/4/2023	Westmark Fairbanks AK AFS Brauch Hotel		c	-387.00
4/5/2023	Dan Brauch	REIMBURSEMENT FOR AK AFS	c	-1,157.30
03.03 AFS GB Mid-year meeting				-220.01
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			3,000.00
11/11/2022	American Fisheries...	Registration Costs - Fetherman	c	-228.00
11/15/2022	United	PURCHASE 11/09 800-932-2732 TX CARD ...	c	-522.20
11/18/2022	American Fisheries...	PURCHASE 11/16 BETHESDA MD CARD 3...	c	-240.00
12/17/2022	American Fisheries...	Governing Board Meeting Registration - Lau...	c	-285.00
1/10/2023	Citizens Bank	Earley ATM withdrawl for dinner	c	-143.50
1/10/2023	Wells Fargo	Non-wells fargo ATM FEE	c	-2.50
1/10/2023	Citizens Bank	Fetherman ATM withdrawl for dinner	c	-63.50
1/10/2023	Wells Fargo	Non-wells fargo ATM Fee	c	-2.50
1/11/2023	Common Man So. I...	Earley Gas Purchase	c	-45.64
1/13/2023	Back Deck	Dinner purchase Fetherman	c	-73.66
1/13/2023	Back Deck	Dinner Purchase Fetherman	c	-48.26
1/14/2023	Lafayette Garage ...	Earley Parking Fee	c	-123.00
1/14/2023	Hyatt	Earley Hotel	c	-537.00
1/18/2023	Hyatt	Fetherman Hotel	c	-905.25
03.04 Student Representative Colloquium				250.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			250.00
04 Awards				2,597.50
04.01 AFS Plaques				77.50
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			150.00
5/4/2023	Vermont Trophy A...	Award Plaques	c	-72.50
04.02 Riparian Challenge				20.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			105.00
4/13/2023	CTE Awards	Riparian Challenge Plaques	c	-85.00
04.03 Travel for Winners				2,500.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			3,000.00
5/19/2023	Lee Mabey	Award Travel Support	c	-500.00
05 Grants				8,500.32
05.01 Travel Grant International Travel				750.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			750.00
05.02 Travel Grant Emeritus Travel				0.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			425.00
5/31/2023	Don Martin	Emeritus Travel Grant	c	-425.00
05.03 Travel Grant Professional Travel				500.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			500.00
05.04 Travel Grant Indigenous People				1,000.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			1,000.00
05.05 Sponsorship for Other AFS Meetings				5,000.00
AFS Sponsorship				5,000.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			5,000.00
Other 05 Grants:05.05 Sponsorship for Other AFS Meetings				0.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			500.00
3/16/2023	American Fisheries...	Sponsorship of Latin American AFS Meeting	c	-500.00
05.08 Small Grants Project				1,250.32
Other 05 Grants:05.08 Small Grants Project				1,250.32
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			2,000.00
4/12/2023	Nate Cathcart	Small project grant	c	-749.68
06 Student Support				1,933.70
06.02 Maughan Scholarships				0.00

Table 4 continued. Fiscal Year 2023 budget and transactions.

Date	Description	Memo	Clr	Amount
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			5,000.00
5/19/2023	Sage Unsworth	Scholarship	c	-2,500.00
5/19/2023	Marta Ulaski	Scholarship		-2,500.00
06.04 Student Colloquium				1,500.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			1,000.00
4/21/2023	Oregon AFS	Student Colloquium sponsorship	c	500.00
06.05 Travel Grant				433.70
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			5,000.00
5/19/2023	Utah State University	Sarah Barnes, Student Travel Grant		-416.30
5/19/2023	Rachel Valeria	Student Travel Grant	c	-830.00
5/19/2023	Collin Hendricks	Student Travel Grant		-830.00
5/19/2023	Maggie Harings	Student Travel Grant	c	-830.00
5/22/2023	Dennis Shiozawa	Kokkonen Student Travel Grant		-640.71
5/22/2023	Andrea Kokkonen	Student Travel Grant		-189.29
5/22/2023	Peter Searle	Student Travel Grant		-830.00
07 Committees				1,500.00
07.01 Early Career Professional				500.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			1,000.00
5/19/2023	Zoe Brandt	Travel Grant	c	-500.00
07.02 Diversity and Inclusion				1,000.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			1,000.00
08 Miscellaneous Expenses				444.40
08.01 Bank Charges				11.36
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			50.00
4/26/2023	Harland Clarke Ch...	Checks	c	-38.64
08.02 Web Site Maintenance				20.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			260.00
3/6/2023	American Fisheries...	Web Hosting Fees, 2023		-240.00
08.03 Branding Update				300.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			300.00
08.06 Communication				-7.25
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			150.00
10/20/2022	Dan Brauch	REIMBURSEMENT FOR ZOOM ANNUAL M...	c	-157.25
08.07 Mailchimp				299.04
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			972.00
10/12/2022	Mailchimp	221010 MAILCHIMP AMERICAN FISHERIE...	c	-81.00
11/1/2022	Mailchimp	Mailchimp	c	-81.00
12/13/2022	Mailchimp	Mailchimp monthly fee	c	-81.00
1/11/2023	Mailchimp	Monthly service fee	c	-94.50
2/11/2023	Mailchimp	Mail Chimp Monthly Fee	c	-94.50
3/11/2023	Mailchimp	Mail Chimp Monthly Fee	c	-80.32
4/11/2023	Mailchimp	Mail Chimp Monthly Service	c	-80.32
5/11/2023	Mailchimp	Mailchimp Monthly Service Fee	c	-80.32
08.08 Insurance				150.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			150.00
08.09 Other Supplies				-255.31
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			100.00
12/2/2022	Quicken	Quicken annual membership	c	-62.28
4/18/2023	Etsy	Gift for Wendt	c	-53.03
5/20/2023	Phillip Howell	2 years of Library Fees	c	-240.00
08.10 Past President Honorarium				137.05
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			250.00
3/23/2023	Julie Carter	Reimbursement for Gift	c	-60.00
5/9/2023	Idaho State Liquor	Brauch gift	c	-52.95
08.12 Other				-210.49
08.13 Tax Preparation				0.00
10/1/2022	Opening Balance			1,850.00
11/15/2022	Nelson And Assoc ...	Tax Preparation	c	-1,850.00

Fiscal Year 2023 SCCS Budget Overview

WDAFS holds funds on behalf of SCCS in the Wells Fargo Checking Account.

Table 5. SCCS Fiscal Year 2023 transactions and account balance.

Date	Num	Description	Memo	Category	Amount
BALANCE 9/30/2022					2,187.97
5/20/2023	2013	Phillip Howell	2 years of Library Fees; 2021 & 2023	08 Miscellaneous Expenses:08.09 Other Supplies	-240.00
10/1/2022 - 9/30/2023					-240.00
BALANCE 9/30/2023					1,947.97

Date:
To: Bureau of Land Management
Subject: Comment on 88 FR 19583
From: Laurie Earley, President

On behalf of the 3,000 members of the Western Division of the American Fisheries Society (WDAFS), we respectfully submit the following comments in response to the Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) proposed Public Lands Rule to "protect intact landscapes, restore degraded habitat, and make wise management decisions based on science and data."

WDAFS represents scientists and natural resource managers from the states of Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming; U.S. associated entities in the West Pacific Ocean; the Province of British Columbia; the Yukon Territory in Canada; and Mexico. Our mission is to improve the conservation and sustainability of fishery resources and aquatic ecosystems by advancing fisheries and aquatic science and promoting the development of fisheries professionals. Our members represent a wide array of fisheries experts involved in all aspects of the fisheries profession who are employed in academia, government agencies, nongovernmental organizations, and private consulting.

Given the vast extent and variety of lands and waters managed by the Bureau, the new Rule could, if wisely applied to a rigorous watershed-condition framework, rehabilitate the damages incurred by centuries of over-grazing, poorly controlled mining and fossil fuel extraction, and excessive recreation impacts. It could also serve to protect unique and relatively intact lands and waters threatened by those uses and climate change (Gido et al. 2023). Therefore, we applaud its goal of improving watershed condition, which has long been recognized by the US government as important for improving water body condition (Person et al. 1936).

As fisheries and aquatic biologists and managers, we applaud the emphasis on ecosystem resilience and land health as it relates to aquatic ecosystems: watershed function, ecological processes, water quality, and wildlife habitat. However, we found little mention in the proposed Rule of the threats to, and conditions of, the huge numbers and types of waters and riparian zones found on BLM lands (e.g., perennial, intermittent, & ephemeral, rivers, streams, lakes, ponds, springs, cienegas, etc.). **Although the areal extents of those waters are small relative to the lands that they drain, that areal rarity makes them exceedingly important, especially across much of the arid and semi-arid Intermountain West (Burdick et al. 2021) and the Pacific Northwest (Kauffman et al. 2001). Also, non-permanent streams comprise >80% of the stream length in the arid and semi-arid Southwest (Arizona, New Mexico, Nevada, Utah, Colorado and California), so they are not rare relative to permanent streams (Levick et al. 2008).** Thus, focusing on land, versus waters, will tend to omit the latter, whereas managing to protect both will have greater benefits for fish and wildlife (Kauffman et al. 2001; Fausch et al. 2002; Wiens 2002; Leal et al. 2020; Sanchez-Montoya et al. 2023). Two issues are of particular importance for protecting and rehabilitating fish and aquatic ecosystems.

The Oregon & California checkerboard lands are critically important to threatened populations of salmonids. Although the Forest Ecosystem Management and Assessment Team (FEMAT; 1973) specifies establishing riparian reserves on fish-bearing and other permanent and non-permanent streams based on multiples of potential tree heights, the BLM's buffer widths are less than those of the US Forest Service across the same region. Also, intermittent streams often serve as spawning sites for resident trout, even though they may not be fish-bearing in the dry season (Erman & Hawthorne 1976). And many of the smaller streams are not even mapped—let alone provided riparian reserves (DellaSala et al. 2005). This is particularly critical across the checkerboard of BLM and private timberlands. Macroinvertebrate Observed/Expected taxa richness scores and stream physical- habitat structure scores were lowest in the Oregon and Washington Coast Range, where BLM lands are common (Miller et al. 2017). Furthermore, riparian zones are biodiversity hotspots; despite occupying <2% of the land in Oregon and Washington, over half the amphibian, bird, mammal, and plant species use them (Kauffman et al. 2001). In naturally forested ecosystems, even small levels (6%) of riparian forest removal eliminates sensitive fish and macroinvertebrate taxa (Dala-Corte et al. 2020; Martins et al. 2021). Therefore, in establishing Areas of Critical Environmental Concern (ACEC), we recommend following FEMAT and providing reserves of two potential tree heights on fish-bearing streams and one potential tree height on other permanent and non-permanent streams to “protect intact landscapes, restore degraded habitat, and make wise management decisions based on science and data.”

Because of their rarity, isolation, and mismanagement (Burdick et al. 2021), the springs and spatially intermittent streams and rivers of the Intermountain West together support dozens of endemic fish species that are endangered, threatened, or of special concern (Williams et al 1989). The fishes are represented by species in the trout, sucker, catfish, minnow, mosquitofish, poolfish, pupfish, goodeid, and topminnow families. Many of these aquatic habitats are like islands in sagebrush seas, where ichthyological evolution has occurred at rates similar to those of Galapagos sparrows (Pister 2015; Dauwalter et al. 2023). Some of the waters are on BLM or private lands surrounded by BLM lands; most are dependent on groundwater to persist. Thus, the management of the surrounding lands, surface waters, and groundwater directly or indirectly determine the fates of this unique and diverse set of fish species (Behnke 2002; Pister 2015; Hughes & Vadas 2021).

We agree with the proposed Rule and recommend that BLM focus its efforts on protecting intact waters; restore degraded waters, water supplies and riparian zones; and direct its monitoring and management decisions to ensure that we do not extirpate these rare fishes. **This is especially critical as climate change continues the megadrought regime in the Southwest USA (Gido et al. 2023).** And we agree that the best available science should be used assess watershed condition, project intact and biodiverse watersheds, and prioritize watersheds for rehabilitation (Dauwalter et al. 2019). Tools for landscape assessment and prioritization or rehabilitation are rapidly coming online (Dauwalter et al. 2023) and should be leveraged to efficiently implement conservation actions across BLM and adjacent lands.

Should the BLM seek assistance on these matters from WDAFS members, please do not hesitate to contact me. We stand ready to put our minds and hands where our words are.

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