



# American Fisheries Society

## *Western Division*

President Dan Dauwalter, President-Elect Todd Pearsons, Vice-President Dan Brauch, Secretary-Treasurer Travis Rehm,  
Past-President Jackie Watson, Student Representative Emily Chen

### **WDAFS Annual Business Meeting**

**Wednesday, June 10, 2020**

**12:00 PM – 1:20 PM MDT**

**Virtual GoToWebinar**

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/7691006177985463052>

**PowerPoint slides: ([link](#))**

***The meeting will start promptly at 12:00 PM MDT***

### **AGENDA**

- 12:00 Welcome, Procedural Items (Dauwalter, 5 min)
- a. Determination of quorum (20 WDAFS members in good standing)
  - b. Designation of parliamentarian
  - c. FREE attendance giveaway (SIMMS Freestone Sling Pack)
- 12:05 Executive Director Address (Doug Austen, 5 min)
- 12:10 AFS President's Address (Scott Bonar, 5 min)
- 12:15 WDAFS President's Address (Dan Dauwalter, 5 min)
- a. Mail Chimp
  - b. Columbia River Systems Operations DEIS, Gov Brown letter
  - c. Salvelinus confluentus Curiosity Society
  - d. Mexico Chapter → Latin America Chapter discussion
  - e. Officer election results (Laurie Earley – Cal/Neva Chapter)
- 12:20 WDAFS Secretary-Treasurer's Report (Travis Rehm & Troy Brandt, 5 min)
- a. Current status and trend of WDAFS finances

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- b. Investment account
- 12:25 WDAFS Committee Reports (20 min)
  - a. Western Native Fishes Committee (Luke Schultz, 7 min)
  - b. Diversity & Inclusion Committee (Cheyenne Owens, Larissa Lee, 8 min)
  - c. Early Career Professionals Committee (Alexander Tasoff, 5 min)
- 12:45 WDAFS Student Representative Report (Emily Chen, 5 min)
- 12:50 Scholarships, Awards (25 min)
  - a. Student Scholarship Awards (Bob Gresswell, 7 min)
  - b. Outstanding Chapter and Student Subunit Awards (Todd Pearsons, 4 min)
  - c. Riparian Challenge Awards (Amy Sacry, 7 min)
  - d. Special Recognition Awards (Jackie Watson, 7 min)
- 1:15 Past President's Gift (Dan Brauch, 5 min)
- 1:18 New/Ongoing Activities (Dauwalter, 5 min)
  - a. FREE attendance giveaway (SIMMS Freestone Sling Pack)
- 1:20 Adjourn

#### Future AFS and WDAFS Annual Meetings

- a. 2020 AFS Virtual Annual Meeting, September 14-25
- b. 2021 WDAFS hosted by Utah Chapter, Ogden, UT May 10 - 15
- c. 2021 Society, Baltimore, MD August 8-12
- d. 2022 Joint AFS, WDAFS, WA-BC Spokane, WA Aug 14-18
- e. 2023 WDAFS hosted by Idaho Chapter, Boise, ID May 7-11

#### Next WDAFS Business Meeting

- a. May 6, 2021 in Ogden, UT