Commission Request to Department

"Blue Sheet"

Date of Request: May 12, 2023

Title of Request: Social Sciences Briefing

Commissioner: Lehmkuhl

Request Due Date: In 2023

Priority Level (put one check in each row):

Importance:	[X] High	[] Medium	[] Low
Urgency:	[ ] High	[X] Medium	[] Low

Knowledge or Action Being Requested (narrative). Describe what you want to know. Be specific.

I am requesting a briefing on social science and its application to fish and wildlife management. The briefing should consist of a high-level overview of conservation social sciences, including natural resource economics, the range of disciplines, short history of the field, similarities and differences with natural sciences, examples of contributions to fish and wildlife management, and examples of successful social science integration at other state and federal agencies. I also ask the briefing include a synthesis of recent social science projects the Department has led, and a summary of ongoing research and applied efforts.

Output Requested (e.g., telephone call, memo, material from files, new report, presentation, other):

Briefing by Conservation Social Scientist and Natural Resource Economist at a regular Commission meeting.

For Commission Executive Assistant Use

Date Assigned: _____ **Assigned To:** _____

[At Debrief] [Program]

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