Subcommittee and Workgroups with Potential Charge Issues-(draft)-January 13, 2011

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Subcommittee

Small Communities

Chair: Dixson Vice-Chair: Cope

Members: Murrell, Smith, Camacho, S. Ortiz, Tiberi

Charge: SCAS will monitor all workgroup issues and provide input on small community issues (i.e. 10,000) (Decided by Executive Committee on January 18, 2011).

Workgroups

Executive Steering Committee

Chair: Hudson Vice-Chair: Dixson (traditionally SCAS Chair)

Members: Ross, Bellamy, Carbajal, Wong, Cope, Duson, Peterson, Roach, Davis, Miles, Redd

Charge: The Executive Committee has governance over all activities of the Committee. Charge is defined in LGAC By-law's. (High profile cross-cutting issues on fast track sometimes are addressed by the Executive Committee).

Protecting Americas Waters

Chair: Ross Vice-Chair: Miles

Members: Hann, Hickner, Hosterman, Tiberi, Somers, Cope, Duson, Gonzalez, Miles, A. Ortiz, Peterson, Smith, Coons, Kautz, Whipple

Charge: What steps should we be taking as a nation today to ensure that we have adequate, safe water resources to support a healthy population and vibrant economy in the future? (Nancy Stoner, AA)

Cleaning Up Our Communities

Chair: Bellamy Vice-Chair: Duson

Members: Camacho, S. Ortiz, Wong, Hickner, Redd, Somers, Hann, Kautz

Charge: Potential charge issues include innovative landfill issues, superfund, military clean up issues, and brownsfield.

Air, Climate and Energy

Chair: Carbajal Vice-Chair: Peterson

Members: Miles, Coons, Bellamy, Dixson, Somers, Hosterman, Ross, Cope, Whipple, Kautz,

Charge: Potential issues may include EPA's E3 Initiative: Economy, Energy and Environment and new air rules, as necessary.

Expanding the Conversation- Reaching EJ Communities

Chair: Wong Vice-Chair: Redd

Members: Gonzalez, A. Ortiz, Carbajal, Murrell, Camacho

Charge: Identify models of local governments and faith-based communities of where and how they work well to achieve sustainability and environmental stewardship. (Workgroup Chair would like to review findings of NEJAC and make recommendations on implementation (this has been concurred by NEJAC DFO).

Gulf Restoration Workgroup

Chair: Roach Vice-Chair: Davis

Members: Hudson, Hann, Gonzalez, Cope, Dixson (LGAC Members only)

Charge: How should local governments be integrated in the Gulf Coast Strategy? For example: What is the role of local governments in Gulf Coast restoration as a whole, e. g. permitting process? What are the special and unique concerns for local governments in this restoration effort? Looking forward, what is the role of local governments in implementation of the Taskforce Strategy?