## Mohave Ground Squirrel Technical Advisory Group Meeting Thursday March 22, 2012

## **Meeting Information and DRAFT Agenda**

- Location: Bureau of Land Management 300 South Richmond Road Ridgecrest, CA 93555-4436
- Time: 10:00 a.m.to 4:00 p.m.

Presentations:The meeting room will have a digital projector and screen available for<br/>presentations. Please contact Scott Osborn (<a href="mailto:sosborn@dfg.ca.gov">sosborn@dfg.ca.gov</a>) if you wish to<br/>make a presentation.

Remote Attendance:A telephone conference line will be available for remote participants (call-in<br/>number: 866-767-8012, passcode: 2923219#). WebEx will be available to share<br/>projected images with remote participants. Use the following link to access WebEx:<br/><a href="https://resources.webex.com/resources/j.php?ED=179091807&UID=0&RT=MiM0">https://resources.webex.com/resources/j.php?ED=179091807&UID=0&RT=MiM0</a>

If all goes according to plan, both the phone line and the WebEx meeting should be up and running by about 9:50 a.m.

## **DRAFT** Agenda

| Start Time | Торіс  | Speaker/Leader                 | Time<br>(min) |
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| 1000       | Welcome and Introductions  | Dave Hacker                    | 15            |
| 1015       | Review Agenda  | Dave Hacker                    | 10            |
| 1025       | Round-robin Presentation of new results from 2011<br>Field Season Results and Plans for 2012; Discussion   | All                            | 60            |
| 1125       | 2012 Camera Study Plans, additional results from 2011(?)   | Phil Leitner                   | 20            |
| 1145       | DMG MGS Working Group Update   | Russell Scofield               | 15            |
| 1200       | LUNCH – on your own  |                                | 60            |
| 1300       | General discussion: Developing TAG<br>recommendations for construction projects that may<br>impact MGS (e.g. salvage/translocation, timing,<br>artificial burrows, monitoring) | Dave Hacker                    | 90            |
| 1430       | Break  |                                | 15            |
| 1445       | General discussion: What is known about substrate<br>characteristics of MGS burrows? Can/should soil<br>characteristics be incorporated into habitat models?                   | All                            | 15            |
| 1500       | General discussion: Is the use of rodenticides in agriculture a factor limiting MGS recovery?  | All                            | 15            |
| 1515       | Support and Coordination for 2012 "Volunteer"<br>Survey Effort   | Leo Simone, Marjorie<br>Matocq | 30            |
| 1545       | Other topics   |                                | 15            |
| 1600       | Set next meeting date; Adjourn   | Dave Hacker                    |               |