Workshop Agenda WGA Working Lands Roundtable: Collaboration and At-Risk Species Conservation Spring 2019

Embassy Suites Denver, Colorado April 3-4, 2019

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Wednesday, April 3		
8:30 am – 10:30 am	Roundtable Work Session: At-Risk Species Conservation (to occur in a separate breakout room): Attendees will engage in a facilitated discussion on the role of regulatory assurances in incentivizing cross-boundary conservation efforts and examine administrative obstacles to promoting voluntary conservation efforts on habitat spanning mixed ownership landscapes.	
8:30 am – 10:30 am	Roundtable Work Session: Roundtable Work Session: West-Wide Cheatgrass Management (to occur in a separate breakout room): Attendees will engage in a facilitated discussion on the threat that cheatgrass poses to the viability of the western working landscape and identify opportunities and innovative new methods to increase coordination and respond to large-scale cheatgrass infestations.	
11:00 am	Welcome – Jim Ogsbury, Executive Director, Western Governors' Association	
11:10 am	Introductory Remarks – Matt Lohr, Chief, USDA-NRCS (tentative)	
11:30 am	Panel: Collaborative Conservation	
12:30 pm	Lunch	
1:00 pm	Panel: Threats to Western Working Landscapes	
2:15 pm	Panel: Coordination Between Federal Agencies	
3:30 pm	Break	
3:45 pm	Panel: Regulatory Certainty and Litigation	
5:00 pm	Adjourn & Reception	
Thursday	, April 4	
8:00 am	Recap Day 1 – Moderator	

8:15 am	Panel: Migration Corridors
9:30 am	Panel: Natural Resource Data Management and Landowner Privacy
10:45 am	Break
11:00 am	Panel: Case Study – Cross Boundary and Multi-Agency Collaboration
12:15 am	Next Steps and Final Thoughts
12:30 pm	Adjourn

