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MEMORANDUM

DATE: 1/17/75

TO:

Steve Fraser

FROM:

D. L. Hanselman

RE: Aquatic Ecologist

Here is a copy of our film "The Aquatic Ecologist" narrated by Rod Serling. It was produced cooperatively by the College of Environmental Science and Forestry and the New York Chapter of the American Fishery Society.

There are two sections in this film which may be applicable for your program on nuclear power plants—their need, environmental consequences, the alternatives. One sequence deals with monitoring shad migration on the Connecticut River as they pass through the thermal discharge of the Connecticut—Yankee nuclear station. The other sequence deals with the very controversial Calvert Cliffs station now under construction on the Chesapeak Bay area. Here biologists are really monitoring the before and after environmental consequences and as a result we will probably have the best documentation on the affects of the nuclear station on its immediate biological surroundings.

You are welcome to use sections of this film for broadcast. Our only request is that appropriate credit be given and the film not be damaged.

As I mentioned, the New York State Sea Grant Program has had several projects dealing with power plant siting. Ronald Stewart, a research associate in Atmospheric Sciences at State University of New York, Albany was the leader of one project analyzing power plant sitings on Lake Ontario. You might wish to talk with Donald F. Squires who is Program Director for the entire Sea Grant operation in New York State. He is at State University of New York in Albany. His phone is: (518) 474-5787.

Again, thank you for your concern for this environmental issue. Although I do not consider myself an expert in the field of thermo-nuclear power, I believe that one question that should be asked loud and clearly is how much of this electrical energy do we really need and can we afford the long-term environmental consequences of meeting these needs? I don't think we can intelligently address energy needs without also addressing the American life-style and the realities that we must ultimately face in changing some of these life-styles.

DLH:s

Enc.

cc: Ron Cochran Bill Péarce



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#### NEW YORK CHAPTER - AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY =

January 6, 1976

MEETING PLACE: Bergamo East - Chaminade Road, Marcy, New York 13403 315-865-5271 Lunch-Feb. 6, Lodging, Breakfast-Feb. 7 @ \$17.00 + \$1.00 Set-ups.

Dear Fish Mongers:

Enclosed is the Agenda for our February 6-7, 1976 Annual Meeting. Please register early and bring a friend(s)-they need not be a member, but hopefully will sign up. Also, enclosed is a registration form or a copy for your use. We expect more than the 30 minimum we guaranteed and must pay for -- so early registration is essential to allow Bergamo East to plan meals, size of Meeting Send form and money as early as possible and state who you wish to room with. Arrive for lunch February 6.

Remember to bring any special equipment or gear you think may be of interest to others. This could be a major highlight of the meeting, for many of you have acquired or developed special gear that should be of real value to the fisheries worker.

This is the only meeting  ${}^{y^{y}}$ NYS fish workers can cross-pollinate--so let's make it work!

If weather cancels out the meeting, it will be held the following Friday and Saturday, February 13 and 14.

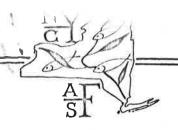
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January 6, 1976

Dear Colleague:

I personally wish to thank you for offering to participate in our annual meeting. Hopefully, the new agenda approach of a number of short topics of interest to fisheries workers instead of two or three general subjects with panel coverage may instigate increased interest and support of our organization.

Because of the number of topics scheduled, it is important each participant stay within his alloted time. I'm sure there will be many questions asked you in the formal question period during your time slot, and even more questions at cocktail-coffee break and bull sessions.

If you need any special equipment, please let Arch Petty know as soon as possible. (Arch C. Petty, Fish Manager, NYS DEC, P.O. Box 1169, Fisher Avenue, Cortland, New York 13045. Phone 607-753-3095.)

Again, thanks -- see you at Bergamo.

Sincerely,

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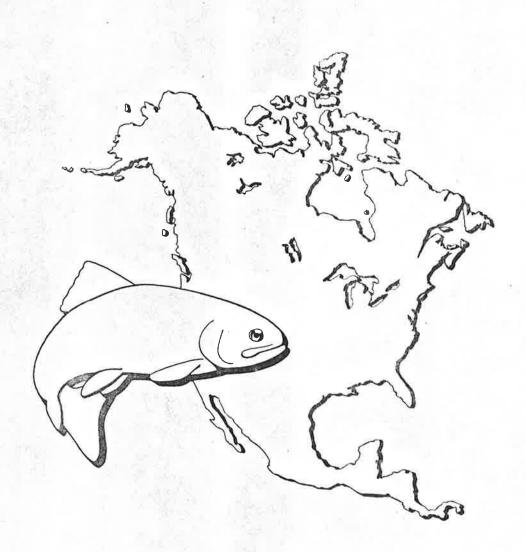
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# PROCEDURAL MANUAL



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Dr. J. Cameron Stevenson, President, AFS

FROM:

Mercer H. Patriarche, Chairman, Procedural Manual

Committee

SUBJECT:

Final committee report

The Procedural Manual Committee has completed its assignment and we submit, for your approval, the accompanying document entitled "Guide for AFS Division and Chapter Officers and Committee Chairmen. " We trust we have fulfilled the objectives you set forth in your original request. Two drafts were prepared prior to this one. Before compiling Draft No. 1, the opinions of many current and former officers around the country were sought on a preliminary sketch which was submitted to them. Upon consolidation of these suggestions, Draft No. 1 was presented to the Executive Committee at the interim meeting in Washington, D.C. A second draft was prepared and mailed out to all AFS officers, and Division and Chapter presidents for their comments. A few people responded and many of their suggestions are incorporated in this final manuscript. It is my understanding that final printing will await a 1-year trial in the hands of current Division and Chapter officers.

I wish to add that my committee had considerable input into this document and their responses to my requests were very good. We appreciated this opportunity to serve the Society and work with a fine leader.

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### Guide for AFS Division and Chapter Officers and Committee Chairmen

#### Foreword

In response to requests for some definitive guidelines for Division and Chapter officers and committee chairmen, this brochure was prepared by a committee appointed by President J. Cameron Stevenson in 1975. The purpose of this pamphlet is to assist these people in fulfilling their responsibilities to these subdivisions of the American Fisheries Society (AFS). Division and Chapter bylaws do not spell out in detail all the duties of officers and appointees, nor should they do so. As a result, confusion and apprehension assail many newly elected officers and chairmen concerning their roles and the relationship of their Division or Chapter to the Parent Society and to each other. It is hoped and expected that the procedures and duties outlined in this brochure will materially assist those who will make use of it.

Recognizing at the outset that each organization has its own goals and special problems, nevertheless there are certain procedures that are common to all. We start with the requirement that all elected officials are members of AFS in good standing and proceed to delineate their duties under two parts—Division and Chapter. Special emphasis is placed on the interrelationships between these bodies and the Parent Society and/or Division by means of asterisks (\*\*).

#### Division Officers

The following suggestions for Division officers serve as reminders of the duties they have toward fulfilling their respective obligations to their office. They are neither listed necessarily in order of importance nor are they likely to be all-inclusive. Innovations that will enhance the objectives of the respective Divisions are always encouraged.

#### President

- 1. Upon assuming office, the newly elevated president should:
  - a. Present the out-going president with the past-president's certificate.
  - b. Announce appointments of standing committee chairmen.
  - c. Announce appointments of ad hoc committee chairmen if possible.
  - d. Complete committee appointments within one month.

- 2. Be specific in your charges to your committee chairmen and maintain close liaison with them.
- \*\*3. Notify the AFS Executive Director of the names of committee chairmen and inform the secretary, president-elect and other members of the Executive Committee of the entire composition of the committees.
- \*\*4. As a voting member of the AFS Executive Committee you have an obligation to attend both the interim spring meeting and annual fall meeting of this committee for two years. If you cannot attend, fully brief the president-elect who can act as your representative.
- \*\*5. Prepare a written report on Division activities for presentation at each of the aforementioned Executive Committee meetings.
  - 6. Keep president-elect, secretary-treasurer and the other members of the Executive Committee informed on Division activities and furnish them with copies of all pertinent correspondence.
  - 7. Maintain close liaison with Chapters within the Division and attend annual Chapter business meetings whenever possible. When unable to do so, arrange for another officer to represent the Division.
  - 8. Possess a copy of both the Division bylaws and Society constitution and bylaws. Be familiar with them.
  - 9. Familiarize yourself with Society guidelines concerning lobbying activities. It is very important that all officers protect the Society's tax-exempt status.
- 10. Know how to conduct a meeting--i.e., be familiar with pertinent sections of Roberts! "Rules of order." Paperback editions are available for a nominal charge from local bookstores.
- 11. Assist the secretary-treasurer in the preparation of next year's budget.
- 12. Organize and conduct a meeting of the Division Executive Committee prior to the annual business meeting. Scheduling and room arrangements must be made in advance with the chairman of the local arrangements committee. Each Executive Committee member should have an agenda prior to the meeting. Review all committee reports at this meeting.
- 13. Conduct the annual business meeting.
  - a. Adhere to a time schedule.
  - b. Prepare and present brief remarks on the status of the Division. (This same message may also be appropriate for the Division Newsletter and as a report to the AFS Executive Committee.)
  - c. Introduce any AFS officers present and give them an opportunity to address the membership. Introductions of past presidents of the Society and Division, other Division officers, and distinguished guests also are in order.

- d. Install the new president in a dignified ceremony. It is suggested that the president-elect be escorted to the rostrum by two past presidents.
- 14. Acknowledge the work of your committee chairmen by letter.
- \*\*15. As past president of the Division, you will serve a second year on the Executive Committees of both the Division and Parent Society. As a voting member you should attend these meetings.

#### President-Elect

- \*\*1. Keep abreast of Division (and Society) activities and be prepared to preside over the Executive Committee meeting and/or the annual meeting in the absence of the president. You will also substitute, if necessary, for the Division president on the Society Executive Committee.
  - 2. Attend and participate in Division meetings.
  - 3. Present out-going president with his past-president's certificate upon assuming the office of Division president. Obtain certificate from secretary-treasurer.
  - 4. Recruit chairmen for standing committees prior to the annual meeting of the Division.
  - 5. Assist with the preparation of the budget for the ensuing year.
  - 6. Be familiar with Division bylaws and Society constitution and bylaws.
  - 7. Other responsibilities vary between Divisions, and the presidentelect should be aware of these obligations prior to taking office and fulfill them in a capable manner.
- \*\*8. The presidents-elect of the Southern and North Central divisions must make their appointments for chairmen of the Membership and Resolutions committees prior to the Parent Society annual meeting that precedes their Division annual meeting. Notify the Executive Director of same before said AFS meeting.

#### Secretary-Treasurer

- \*\*1. Furnish minutes of the annual business meeting to the AFS Executive Director within 30 days after the meeting, as noted in the bylaws. Copies of same should be furnished also to each member of the Executive Committee. Addresses of the new officers should accompany this report.
  - 2. Take minutes at Executive Committee meetings and supply each committee member with a copy.
- \*\*3. Resolutions and amendments to the bylaws must be forwarded to the Executive Director of AFS within 30 days of adoption for approval by the Society's Executive Committee.

- 5. Order a past-president's certificate from the Executive Director 6 weeks prior to the annual meeting and deliver same to president-elect.
- \*\*6. Receive and acknowledge reports from chapter secretaries and maintain an up-dated list of chapter officers. Keep a file on Chapter activities and dates of their meetings.
- \*\*7. Notify Society officers and Executive Director of annual meeting date and location.
  - 8. Maintain a supply of Division bylaws, retain Division records and correspondence, and furnish ballots for elections at annual meetings. A copy of each Division publication should be retained in the Division's files.
  - 9. Administer Division funds, prepare a financial report for the annual meeting, and furnish records to auditing committee before annual meeting.
- 10. Deposit Division funds in an interest-bearing account since relatively few checks are drawn on this account. The account should have two signatures--preferably, but not necessarily, another officer, former officer, or member of the Executive Committee. The Federal Employers Identification Number assigned to the Division can be used in lieu of a Social Security number if requested by the bank.
- 11. Authorization for major withdrawals usually comes from the Executive Committee but advance authorization for intermittent small withdrawals to carry on Division business should be sought from the Committee at their annual meeting.
- 12. Outstanding bills should be brought to the attention of the Executive Committee at the annual meeting.
- 13. Prepare a tentative budget for the ensuing year, in consultation with the president and president-elect, and submit same to the Division Executive Committee prior to the annual meeting.

#### Chapter Officers

The diversity of Chapter operations is usually greater than among the Divisions. To some officers these suggestions will be superfluous but to others they should be helpful reminders.

#### President

- 1. Upon assuming office, the newly elevated president should:
  - a. Present the out-going president with the past-president's certificate.

- b. Announce appointments of standing committee chairmen.
- c. Make appointments of ad hoc committee chairmen at this time if possible.
- \*\*d. Complete committee appointments within one month. Notify Division secretary of committee chairmen.
- 2. Be specific in your charges to your committee chairmen and keep abreast of committee activities.
- \*\*3. Keep Division president and secretary informed on Chapter activities.
  - 4. Be familiar with Chapter and Division bylaws and AFS constitution and bylaws.
- \*\*5. You will represent the Chapter in Society affairs as requested.
  - 6. Be aware of Society safeguards concerning lobbying activities by the Chapter to protect the Society's tax-exempt status.
- \*\*7. As a voting member of the Executive Committee of the Division, you are expected to attend and participate in any meetings of same called by the Division president.
- \*\*8. Present a brief written report of Chapter activities at the annual Division Executive Committee meeting.
  - 9. Know how to conduct a meeting--i.e., be familiar with Roberts' Rules of Order.
  - 10. Schedule and preside over all Executive Committee meetings.
- 11. You are responsible for arrangements and agenda for Chapter meetings:
  - a. Adhere to a time schedule.
  - b. Introduce any AFS and Division officers present and give them an opportunity to address the membership.
  - c. Install the new president in a dignified ceremony. It is suggested that the vice president be escorted to the rostrum by two past presidents.
- 12. Acknowledge the work of your officers and committee chairmen by letter at the end of the year.
- 13. Inform your successor of action taken at the previous Division Executive Committee meeting and see that he/she gets minutes of same.
- 14. As indicated in the Chapter bylaws, you will serve on the Chapter Executive Committee for an additional year as immediate past president.

#### Vice President

- 1. Chair the Program Committee.
- 2. Preside over Chapter and Executive Committee meetings in the absence of the President.
- 3. Be familiar with the Chapter bylaws.

#### Secretary-Treasurer

- \*\*1. Furnish a copy of the minutes of the annual business meeting to the Executive Director of the Society and Division secretary within 30 days after the meeting.
  - 2. Keep minutes of all official meetings and retain all Chapter records. Copies of minutes should be furnished to Executive Committee members.
- \*\*3. Submit copies of Chapter resolutions promptly to the Division secretary and the Executive Director. Indicate those for which the Division and Society support is requested.
- \*\*4. Notify the membership of the annual business meeting at least one month in advance; at least two weeks in advance for special and/or interim meetings. (Some chapters meet monthly and perhaps mailings of notices are too expensive and not necessary.) Division officers, the Society President and Executive Director also should be informed of the annual business meeting.
  - 5. Ascertain if there is a quorum present for official actions and furnish ballots for elections.
- \*\*6. Keep a supply of Chapter bylaws on hand and be familiar with their content. Forward proposed amendments of same promptly to the Executive Director for action by the Society's Executive Committee.
  - 7. Maintain a membership roster for the Chapter. Send it to the Executive Director and request an update on AFS membership status of the members three months prior to the annual business meeting. Society bylaws stipulate that only a member in good standing can be an officer or have a vote.
  - 8. Order a past-president's certificate 6 weeks prior to the annual meeting.
- 9. Submit a financial report at the annual business meeting.
- 10. Deposit Chapter funds in an interest-bearing account if the bank does not charge a check-writing fee for the relatively few checks drawn during the course of a year. Use Federal Employers Identification number assigned to the Chapter in lieu of a Social Security number. Two signatures are needed--yours and, preferably, a member of the Executive Committee.

- 11. Obtain authorization from the Executive Committee for intermittent small withdrawals to cover expenses.
- 12. Outstanding bills should be brought to the attention of the Executive Committee at their meetings.

#### Chairmen of Standing Committees

Divisions and Chapters establish a variety of committees at one time or another and it is not possible to delineate procedures that would apply to all. Chairmen for these committees, however, should be given some direction by the president as to their objective and the need for the committee. It would be helpful, too, to suggest a deadline for results and a report. Certain standing committees usually are common to all, namely Membership, Nominating, Resolutions, Arrangements and Program.

According to Society bylaws, Division chairmen of the Membership and Resolutions committees automatically serve on the respective Parent Society committees. Furthermore, they must serve during a complete Society "year" (Sept-Sept). Division annual meetings are staggered throughout the calendar year so the following procedure must be adhered to in order to comply with this AFS bylaw:

- 1. Chairmen of the Western and Northeastern Divisions' Membership and Resolutions committees will assume their responsibilities on the Society's committees at the next AFS annual meeting following their appointment by the Division president and will serve during the ensuing Society year.
- 2. Chairmen of these two committees in the Southern and North Central Divisions will be appointed by the <u>presidents-elect</u> of these Divisions (and the Executive Director will be notified of these appointments) prior to the Parent Society's next annual meeting. These individuals will serve on the Society committees during the ensuing Society year. Responsibilities to their Division committees will encompass the period between successive annual meetings of the Division following their appointment.

The following guidelines are offered to assist the work of these chairmen.

#### Membership

- 1. Obtain a representative from each state or province to serve on the Division committee.
- 2. Consult with previous chairman for records on membership recruiting activities the previous year.

- 3. Encourage, by letter, active participation by each committee member.
- 4. Follow up with at least two letters during the year asking for progress reports.
- 5. Furnish AFS membership applications to each committee member.
- 6. Give some guidelines to the committee such as: (1) provide lists of current AFS members in the state or province; (2) contact prospect personally by telephone and/or by mail; (3) send applications and money to Executive Director and notify the chairman.
- 7. Present a written report at the annual meeting of the Division.
- 8. Furnish names and addresses to the secretary so that he can notify the individual responsible for mailing the Newsletter and for meeting announcements.
- 9. Acknowledge work of committee members at end of the year.

#### Nominating

- 1. Suggest that each committee member submit the names of two nominees for each office.
- 2. Compile this list (along with your nominees) and offer this list to the committee for a vote on their preferences.
- 3. Select the top two candidates for each office on the basis of votes received from the committee, confirm the willingness of selected candidates to serve if elected, and offer this slate to the membership at the annual meeting. If membership balloting is by mail, coordinate your activities with the secretary-treasurer.
- 4. Be prepared to offer some background material for each nominee.
- 5. Prepare a written report for the annual meeting. Select a substitute from the committee if you cannot attend. Present the nominees for office and provide for nominations from the floor.
- 6. Inform candidates for Division representative to the Nominating Committee of the Parent Society that the Division representative serves during the next Society year (Sept-Sept) following the Division annual meeting. Thus he might be elected anywhere from 2-10 months prior to the formation of the Society's Nominating Committee, depending on the meeting dates of the respective Divisions. This is necessary because this committee must complete its deliberations before the March meeting of the AFS Executive Committee.
- 7. Allow about 3 months to complete the correspondence needed for the work of these committees.
- 8. Acknowledge the work of the committee personally or by letter.

#### Resolutions

- 1. Consult pp. 328 and 329 in "A Century of Fisheries in North America" which define and describe the nature of resolutions and their format.
- 2. Advise your committee to watch and record important issues and problems that arise during the year on the international, national, regional and local levels.
- 3. Contact your committee 3 months prior to annual meetings to compile suggestions and prepare rough drafts of resolutions.
- 4. If possible, call a committee meeting to discuss the issues and prepare the resolutions; otherwise, it will have to be done by correspondence.
- 5. Prepare the final draft carefully. Special attention is needed to assure a resolution contains the desired wording. Present same to the membership at the annual meeting. There also may be a need for the passing of current, urgent Resolutions at other Chapter meetings. Appropriate resolutions should be accompanied with a recommendation for further support from the Division and/or the Parent Society, if so desired.
- 6. Be familiar with Society guidelines concerning lobbying activities so that any action taken as a result of a resolution does not endanger tax-exempt status of the Society but still will fulfill the Chapter objective.
- 7. Acknowledge work of committee members at the end of the year.

#### Arrangements

1. Make appointments to cover most, if not all, the following details:

Lodging

Pre-registration, registration and welcoming arrangements Meeting room assignments, audio-visual equipment, and operators Banquet and entertainment

Social hours or smokers

Exhibits

Program printing

Ladies activities

Field trips

- 2. Stay within budget allotted by Executive Committee
- 3. Schedule and preside over meetings of this committee.
- 4. Keep General Chairman informed on progress.
- 5. Schedule final meeting one week before conference to finalize arrangements.
- 6. Be prepared to handle special emergencies.
- 7. Acknowledge work of committee members at the end of the year.

#### Program

- 1. Arrange for committee meetings to do the following:
  - a. Select themes for the conference.
  - b. Appoint chairmen for the various sessions.
  - c. Confer with General Chairman on invitations to keynote or opening session speakers.
- 2. Issue first call for papers 6 months prior to conference and include instructions to participants.
- 3. Issue final call 3 months ahead of conference.
- 4. Coordinate activities with arrangements committee.
- 5. Complete program in time for printing deadline.
- 6. Acknowledge work of committee members at end of the year.

New York Chapter - American Fisheries Society - Water Quality Committee Report

It appears that this Committee can best serve the Chapter by providing information on current water quality problems and by encouraging a positive force to combat such problems. These goals can best be accomplished by verbal reports and group participation. In this way problems can be presented and aired rather than just having this Committee present a dull report.

In keeping with this viewpoint, and with the permission of the individuals involved, the following water quality subjects are scheduled for presentation at this meeting: (1) certainly the number 1 subject in 1975 - the PCB problem, which John Spagnoli will address, (2) Bill Eustance is presenting a paper on Catskill water quality, and (3) Larry Skinner has agreed to brief us on the water quality of the Hudson River. These three subjects are to be included as a part of this report.

Another area of concern to all of us has been the problem of chlorine, and in particular the chlorination of STP effluents in Class C waters and its effects on fish and benthic organisms. There is now a proposal to limit such treatments, and I think that John Spagnoli can further enlighten us on this.

If any of you have suggestions as to how this Committee can better serve this group they will be gratefully accepted.

William Eustance

Lee Cooper

Howard J. Dean (Chairman)

January 19, 1976

c.c. Committee

Larry Skinner

#### SOME NOTES ON THE HISTORY OF THE NEW YORK CHAPTER

#### AMERICAN FISHERY SOCIETY

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Prepared by: William A. Flick
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The following material has been dug out of various old boxes, torn folders, the backs of envelopes, and parts from foggy memory (or perhaps imagination). New material may eventually appear as members retire and clean out their desks. Until then I hope this chronology\* will be an aid in plotting a course for further growth and achievements of the Chapter. We have done well but with the present large, diversified, and young membership we can and should do even better.

1965 March - Fishery COOP Workshop at Cornell - Subject "Age and Growth of Fish." On March 10, 1965 at this meeting John Gould suggested creation of the N.Y. Association of Fishery Biologists.

October - Rome, N.Y. meeting of N.Y. Conservation Department Bureau of Fish - Organizational meeting of Professional Fisheries Association of New York - (Initially N.Y. Association of Fishery Biologists.)

Some of the original people involved are listed below. Additional names should be added as they are uncovered.

#### John Gould - Chairman (NYCD)

Martin Pfeiffer (NYCD) Erwin Alperin (NYCD) Robert Griffith (NYCD) William Bentley (NYCD) Robert Harding (NYCD) Henry Regier (Cornell) U. B. Stone (NYCD) Robert Brewer (NYCD) Bill Kelly (NYCD) Jim Lindsey (NYCD) Earl Styles (NYCD) Howard Dean (NYCD) Dwight Webster (Cornell) Howard Loeb (NYCD) Eli Dietsch (NYCD) Ken Wich (NYCD) Paul Neth (NYCD) Neil Ehlinger (NYCD) Robert Zilliox (NYCD) William Pearce (NYCD) Al Eipper (Cornell) Bill Flick (Cornell)

March - First meeting of the "Professional Fisheries Association of N.Y. (PFANY) - Met in conjunction with the Fishery COOP Workshop at Cornell - Subject "Statistics". President - John Gould - Membership - 68.

At the meeting the members present agreed nearly unanimously that the advantages inherent in our fisheries group - i.e., the unique opportunities for really productive, searching discussion of fisheries research and management topics of mutual interest by <u>all</u> fisheries workers of the State - would be greatly reduced by changing over to a "joint meeting" arrangement with Wildlife Chapter. (Taken from the records of 1966.)

Attendance

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January - Joint meeting with Wildlife Chapter - "How Does Fish and Wildlife Fit into the New N.Y. Dept. of Environmental Conservation."

President - Howard Loeb. Membership - 91.

First Chapter News Letter - Ned Holmes Editor. Last year of N.Y. Fish News (Dept. publication). Work still progressing on film "The Aquatic Ecologist".

1973 February - Seventh annual joint meeting with the Wildlife Chapter - Theme - "Fish and Wildlife Values, Conflict or Concord". President - Martin Pfeiffer. Membership - 97.

For the first time  $\frac{1}{2}$  day was devoted to separate sessions. Fisheries subject was "Fish Management Today - Where Do Ve Go from Here". Film "The Aquatic Ecologist" nearing completion.

January - Eighth annual joint meeting with the Wildlife Chapter - Theme - "Fish & Wildlife in Regional Planning: The Adirondacks and Beyord". President - Bill Pearce. Membership - 74.

Separate Fisheries Session Saturday morning "Role of Forage Fish in Salmonid Management". This was an excellent session with speakers such as N. V. Martin from Ontario. A real bright spot compared to most joint sessions.

Film - "The Aquatic Ecologist" was finally completed. Dave Haselman and Bernie Holtman who produced the film did an excellent job and covered over 10,000 miles gathering material. The College of Forestry at Syracuse contributed the services of Dave and Bernie and the N.Y. Chapter begged, borrowed and pleaded (plus sold some film) to come up with the \$11,500 needed by the end of 1974. Steve Simkins was Committee Chairman through to the end with Dwight Webster and Bill Flick committee members attending all meetings for 6 years. Bob Werner was the super salesman that handled film distribution following completion and collected sale money to get us out of debt.

February - Ninth (and last) joint meeting with the Wildlife Chapter.

Also involved in this meeting were The Soil Conservation Service, and the N.Y. Upstate Chapter of the American Institute of Planners. Theme - "Environmental Aspects in Land Use - Preservation vs. Development".

President - Bill Pearce. Membership - 84.

There was very little interest in this meeting (no separate session for fisheries) and total attendance was 24 with 28 needed for a quorum. Officers from the previous year were asked to continue serving.

Film - "The Aquatic Ecologist" received an award for reaching the finals in the American Film Festival. It was also accepted for entry in the "Cine Film Festival". It was selected by the United States Information Agency for use in their Science Reports. A short made from the film was made into 22 languages and sent to 84 countries.



#### NEW YORK CHAPTER - AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY

November 30, 1976

Memo to: Members, New York Chapter

American Fisheries Society

From:

R. G. Werner, President

Re:

Annual meeting and update on years activities

The Executive Committee has been busy this year with the innumerable housekeeping chores required to keep an organization of this nature going. In particular, we have been concentrating on building a stronger, more vital organization, with a broader range of membership. It was the consensus of the Executive Committee that we needed to capitalize on the interest and enthusiasm shown at the last meeting at Bergamo. To this end we have made many new committee appointment encouraging young members to participate in the Chapter and offer their ideas and thoughts.

We have established a New Initiatives Committee which we hope will soon become one of the most important committees in the Chapter. We anticipate that it will function as an organizing and motivating force to develop constructive Chapter projects building on our experience with the Aquatic Ecologist. It can only work, however, with your help. We hope that suggestions will be forthcoming at our next annual meeting. In the meantime, if you have any thoughts that you would like to have the Committee consider contact the chairman, Dr. John Forney, Cornell Biological Station, Bridgeport, New York.

Our Program Committee is actively formulating an extremely interesting program for next February. We will generally follow the very successful format initiated by Bill Pearce last year. We have reserved Bergamo from Friday noon to Saturday noon, February 4 and 5. We hope you will all be able to attend. You should have received a call for papers by now. I would like to encourage you to share with us the work that you have been doing even though it may still be incomplete.

Activity on the Aquatic Ecologist has slowed down considerably. We have sold only three copies this year. However, we have transferred \$2,000 from the account in Syracuse to an interest bearing account under Dr. Smith's supervision.



#### NEW YORK CHAPTER - AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY =

Our major concern over the last year, however, has been with membership. We had an excellent turnout at our previous annual meeting and acquired many new members. We want to keep the ball rolling and encourage participation in the Chapter by all professional aquatic biologists in the State. To that end we are trying to reach as many people as we can with our mailings. We are developing lists of potential members and would appreciate receiving names and addresses of any of your colleagues or acquaintances that you feel might like to join. Send any names to our Secretary, Dr. C. L. Smith, Department of Ichthyology, American Museum of Natural History, Central Park West at 79th Street, New York, NY 10024. In addition, when you come to the meeting in February, bring a friend!

We will look forward to seeing you at Bergamo.

Bob

ROBERT G. WERNER

P.S.
Our Vice President, Cliff Creech, has resigned due to the pressures of work. In order to continue the important membership activity the Executive Committee has appointed a member of the Membership Committee, Dr. Neil Ringler to serve as acting Vice President and Membership Chairman. He will complete Cliff Creech's term.

#### New York Chapter

#### American Fisheries Society

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#### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING OF OCTOBER 26, 1976

The second executive committee meeting was called to order at the College of Environmental Science and Forestry at 1:30 p.m. by President Werner. Present were Forney, Ringler, Smith and Werner.

The annual meeting will be held at Bergamo East on February 4 and 5, 1977. Although it would be cheaper to reserve the entire facility for \$1724.00, the chapter could lose money if attendance were much below 100 people. It was agreed that we would not reserve the entire facility although this means possibly sharing the recreational facilities, etc.

John Nickum presented a draft of the call for papers. He has labeled this a Fisheries Meeting sponsored by the New York Chapter of the American Fisheries Society. This avoids conflict with the parent organization in view of the requirement that chapter members also belong to the National Chapter.

It was agreed that the business meeting be held Friday afternoon from 1 - 3 to be followed by technical sessions late Friday afternoon, Friday evening, and Saturday morning. Possible panel discussion topics were discussed.

President Werner reported that Cliff Creech has resigned as vice president. Neil Ringler will act as membership chairman until a new vice president can be elected at the February meeting. It was agreed that the call for papers be sent to people on three lists - the paid-up membership roster, a supplementary list of academic people interested in fisheries compiled by Werner and Ringler, and a list of environment consultants prepared last year by Joe Gorsuch. These lists and 250 copies of the call for papers will be forwarded to the secretary-treasurer for mailing.

John Forney reported for the new Initiatives Committee. About \$1700 is available and the question is how to make the best use of it. Among the suggestions were: small research grants - \$200-400 - to students and investigators; an annual prize for the best paper; a pamphlet on academic training

standards for fishery biologists; an aquaculture film. No consensus was reached and the committee will continue to search for an appropriate use for the money. It was suggested that this small sum might be used as seed money for a matching grant from some corporation if the right project were found. For this reason we should consider more expensive projects as well as those whose cost would fall within the \$1700 limit.

There being no new business and no further old business the meeting was adjourned at 3:30 p.m.

Respectfully,

C. Lavett Smith

Secretary-Treasurer

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BUREAU OF FISHERIES

CHIEF

Carl E. Parker, Chief Bureau of Fisheries N.Y. Department of Environmental Conservation 50 Wolf Road Albany, NY 12201

Dear Carl:

I am writing to encourage you to give the American Fisheries Society some badly needed assistance.

As you may know, the Sustaining Membership that we had underway for nearly twelve years failed to produce anywhere near the revenue that we had anticipated. This was a personal disappointment to me, because I was president of the Society in 1964 when we adopted the program. I thought it might help us to achieve that level of financing which was essential if we were to provide needed service to professional fishery workers without a counterproductive dues structure.

Consequently, last year we decided that if we had the cooperation of the members we could do much better on our own. I am now asking for that cooperation.

What we need from you is identified by Carl Sullivan's letter of June 9, 1976. Specifically, we need a list of individuals, organizations, or companies in your state, whom we could invite by letter to support the Society as Sustaining Members. We would need the exact name, title and address for as many potential members as you can think of in your state. You need not list only those you think might join. Give us even the remote possibilities. Who knows where we might strike a rich vein!

Secondly, if you would be willing to do so, given the policies of your department and the practical and personal considerations that go into this kind of a decision, we would like to have you sign the letters, using your home address. Your signature would obviously mean a great deal more than that of a stranger. You would not have any other responsibility than to send us the list, and when you receive the typed letters from Carl Sullivan, to sign them and send them out. But if you think you cannot for one reason or another sign the letters, Carl Sullivan will do so. The draft of a sample letter is attached.

As you know, the Fisheries Administrators Section has taken on this project as overall coordinators. We need your help to get it started.

Sincerely yours,

John S. Gottschalk, Chairman Finance Committee, AFS

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TO

Carl E. Parker, Chief Bureau of Fisheries N. Y. Dept. of Environmental Conservation 50 Wolf Road Albany, NY 12201 DATE 6-24-76

SUBJECT

#### Dear Carl:

Our Society has an Official Membership category that at \$100 per year is open to "Any Federal, State, Provincial or Territorial department or agency of the United States of America or Government of Canada...." At present 40 of the 50 state natural resources departments are Official Members plus 5 Canadian provinces.

The N. Y. Bureau of Fisheries is not an Official Member of AFS. We believe, of course, that they should be, and that there are several mutually beneficial reasons for their joining. My reason for writing you is to request your guidance and assistance in submitting a formal invitation to join. To whom should I write, who would receive the copies, and what approach would have the best chances of success? I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Carl R. Sullivan Executive Director

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ROBERT L. KENDALL

October 20, 1976

Mr. Carl E. Parker, Chief Bureau of Fisheries New York State Department of Environmental Conservation 50 Wolf Road Albany, New York 12233

Dear Carl:

I have your very comprehensive letter of October 12 and I am most appreciative. I believe I can pick out the professional staff members listed and can then check our records to see what portion are AFS members.

In reviewing your list, another idea has come to mind which I believe merits investigation and perhaps experimentation on a one-state basis. My idea involves writing a personal letter of invitation to become AFS members to all Professional Fisheries Biologists in your Department including your Senior Aquatic Biologists. We would keep accurate records of the responses to determine whether or not this approach to membership expansion was productive and/or practical. We have a "memory typewriter" to assist in the letter writing.

To proceed with this plan, I'll need first, your approval, and secondly, your Department directory so that I can find the addresses of those professional members who are not now AFS members.

Thanks again for your help to date and may I please hear from you.

Sincerely

Carl R. Sullivan

Executive Director

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November 23, 1976

Carl E. Parker, Chief Bureau of Fisheries N.Y. Department of Environmental Conservation 50 Wolf Road Albany, NY 12201

Dear Carl:

Several months ago we wrote you about plans to launch a concerted AFS Sustaining Membership drive in New York and asking your help in compiling a list of potential members. A copy of that letter is enclosed.

As of this date, we have received Sustaining Membership lists from only half of the states and provinces contacted. Yours is among the group still to be received. I know that it is an imposition but you are the only person in your state capable of developing the list we need.

I do hope you are able to give this matter some attention in the near future.

Sincerely,

Carl R. Sullivan Executive Director

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cc: John Gottschalk, Chairman, Finance Committee, AFS Hudson M. Nichols, Chairman, Fisheries Administrators Section, AFS

I know that this is a chart you need but we really do need you

#### Dear Mr.:

For some months now AFS Has been preparing to launch a concerted Sustaining Membership drive in search of much needed funds to sustain our expanded activities and services. We are looking for \$100 per year memberships from private firms which have some direct or indirect economic interest in good aquatic resource management. These annual Sustaining Membership dues are tax deductible.

Our plan is to reach potential members through personal letters signed by a prominent state fisheries biologist in each state but prepared ready for signature at the AFS office. We have tested the procedure in Missouri and West Virginia and found it workable. At its annual meeting in early May, the Fisheries Administrators Section of AFS formally accepted the challenge of coordinating the drive which works as follows.

Each signing biologist provides this office with as complete a list as possible of potential Sustaining Members. The list should include: fishing clubs, fish food suppliers, architects, engineers, consultants and contractors who do a good deal of state work, fishing/water-oriented businesses, boat and tackle distributors and large retailers, the more affluent sportsmen, etc. Please give us the name, address and title of the person to be contacted at each firm plus the exact salutation to be used. Please also give us the home address of the person who will sign the letter (you or a staff member). We'll individually type the letters and when they reach you they'll be addressed, stamped and ready for signature and mailing.

I'm confident that this request is an imposition and for that lanclogize. I'm equally confident that with your help, this plan will work and help AFS overcome its current financial problems. Please prepare your list is soon as possible and please include names you consider marginal for once we are organized the tool per letter will be small.

We need your help and how poward to cearing from you.

Sincerely,

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Carl Sullivan
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IN REPLY PLEASE REFER:

June 9, 1976

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We need your help and I look forward to hearing from you.

Executive Director

CRS:bs

cc: Cam Stevenson, President John Gottschalk, Chairman, Finance Committee Art Whitney, Chairman, Membership Committee Hudson Nichols, President, Fisheries Administrators' Section 5410 GROSVENOR LANE ● BETHESDA, MARYLAND 20014 ● (301) 897-8616

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## PROCEDURAL MANUAL



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TO:

Dr. J. Cameron Stevenson, President, AFS

FROM:

Mercer H. Patriarche, Chairman, Procedural Manual

Committee

SUBJECT:

Final committee report

The Procedural Manual Committee has completed its assignment and we submit, for your approval, the accompanying document entitled "Guide for AFS Division and Chapter Officers and Committee Chairmen." We trust we have fulfilled the objectives you set forth in your original request. Two drafts were prepared prior to this one. Before compiling Draft No. 1, the opinions of many current and former officers around the country were sought on a preliminary sketch which was submitted to them. Upon consolidation of these suggestions, Draft No. 1 was presented to the Executive Committee at the interim meeting in Washington, D.C. A second draft was prepared and mailed out to all AFS officers, and Division and Chapter presidents for their comments. A few people responded and many of their suggestions are incorporated in this final manuscript. It is my understanding that final printing will await a 1-year trial in the hands of current Division and Chapter officers.

I wish to add that my committee had considerable input into this document and their responses to my requests were very good. We appreciated this opportunity to serve the Society and work with a fine leader.

Procedural Manual Committee

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cc: Committee members

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- 2. Be specific in your charges to your committee chairmen and maintain close liaison with them.
- Notify the AFS Executive Director of the names of committee chairmen and inform the secretary, president-elect and other \*\*3. members of the Executive Committee of the entire composition of the committees.
- \*\*4. As a voting member of the AFS Executive Committee you have an obligation to attend both the interim spring meeting and annual fall meeting of this committee for two years. If you cannot attend, fully brief the president-elect who can act as your representative.
- \*\*5. Prepare a written report on Division activities for presentation at each of the aforementioned Executive Committee meetings.
  - 6. Keep president-elect, secretary-treasurer and the other members of the Executive Committee informed on Division activities and furnish them with copies of all pertinent correspondence.
  - 7. Maintain close liaison with Chapters within the Division and attend annual Chapter business meetings whenever possible. When unable to do so, arrange for another officer to represent the Division.
  - 8. Possess a copy of both the Division bylaws and Society constitution and bylaws. Be familiar with them.
  - Familiarize yourself with Society guidelines concerning lobbying activities. It is very important that all officers protect the Society's tax-exempt status.
  - Know how to conduct a meeting--i.e., be familiar with pertinent sections of Roberts' "Rules of order." Paperback editions are available for a nominal charge from local bookstores.
  - Assist the secretary-treasurer in the preparation of next year's 11. budget.
  - Organize and conduct a meeting of the Division Executive Committee prior to the annual business meeting. Scheduling and room arrangements must be made in advance with the chairman of the local arrangements committee. Each Executive Committee member should have an agenda prior to the meeting. Review all committee reports at this meeting.
  - Conduct the annual business meeting. 13.
    - a. Adhere to a time schedule.
    - b. Prepare and present brief remarks on the status of the Division. (This same message may also be appropriate for the Division Newsletter and as a report to the AFS Executive Committee.)
    - c. Introduce any AFS officers present and give them an opportunity to address the membership. Introductions of past presidents of the Society and Division, other Division officers, and distinguished guests also are in order.

- 4. Obtain a list of attendees at annual meetings and ascertain if there is a quorum. Furnish attendance lists for the preceding three years to the chairman of the Nominating Committee.
- 5. Order a past-president's certificate from the Executive Director 6 weeks prior to the annual meeting and deliver same to president-elect.
- \*\*6. Receive and acknowledge reports from chapter secretaries and maintain an up-dated list of chapter officers. Keep a file on Chapter activities and dates of their meetings.
- \*\*7. Notify Society officers and Executive Director of annual meeting date and location.
  - 8. Maintain a supply of Division bylaws, retain Division records and correspondence, and furnish ballots for elections at annual meetings. A copy of each Division publication should be retained in the Division's files.
  - 9. Administer Division funds, prepare a financial report for the annual meeting, and furnish records to auditing committee before annual meeting.
  - 10. Deposit Division funds in an interest-bearing account since relatively few checks are drawn on this account. The account should have two signatures--preferably, but not necessarily, another officer, former officer, or member of the Executive Committee. The Federal Employers Identification Number assigned to the Division can be used in lieu of a Social Security number if requested by the bank.
  - 11. Authorization for major withdrawals usually comes from the Executive Committee but advance authorization for intermittent small withdrawals to carry on Division business should be sought from the Committee at their annual meeting.
  - 12. Outstanding bills should be brought to the attention of the Executive Committee at the annual meeting.
  - 13. Prepare a tentative budget for the ensuing year, in consultation with the president and president-elect, and submit same to the Division Executive Committee prior to the annual meeting.

## Chapter Officers

The diversity of Chapter operations is usually greater than among the Divisions. To some officers these suggestions will be superfluous but to others they should be helpful reminders.

### President

- 1. Upon assuming office, the newly elevated president should:
  - a. Present the out-going president with the past-president's certificate.

### Vice President

- 1. Chair the Program Committee.
- 2. Preside over Chapter and Executive Committee meetings in the absence of the President.
- 3. Be familiar with the Chapter bylaws.

## Secretary-Treasurer

- \*\*1. Furnish a copy of the minutes of the annual business meeting to the Executive Director of the Society and Division secretary within 30 days after the meeting.
  - 2. Keep minutes of all official meetings and retain all Chapter records. Copies of minutes should be furnished to Executive Committee members.
- \*\*3. Submit copies of Chapter resolutions promptly to the Division secretary and the Executive Director. Indicate those for which the Division and Society support is requested.
- \*\*4. Notify the membership of the annual business meeting at least one month in advance; at least two weeks in advance for special and/or interim meetings. (Some chapters meet monthly and perhaps mailings of notices are too expensive and not necessary.) Division officers, the Society President and Executive Director also should be informed of the annual business meeting.
  - 5. Ascertain if there is a quorum present for official actions and furnish ballots for elections.
- \*\*6. Keep a supply of Chapter bylaws on hand and be familiar with their content. Forward proposed amendments of same promptly to the Executive Director for action by the Society's Executive Committee.
  - 7. Maintain a membership roster for the Chapter. Send it to the Executive Director and request an update on AFS membership status of the members three months prior to the annual business meeting. Society bylaws stipulate that only a member in good standing can be an officer or have a vote.
  - 8. Order a past-president's certificate 6 weeks prior to the annual meeting.
  - 9. Submit a financial report at the annual business meeting.
  - 10. Deposit Chapter funds in an interest-bearing account if the bank does not charge a check-writing fee for the relatively few checks drawn during the course of a year. Use Federal Employers Identification number assigned to the Chapter in lieu of a Social Security number. Two signatures are needed--yours and, preferably, a member of the Executive Committee.

- 3. Encourage, by letter, active participation by each committee member.
- 4. Follow up with at least two letters during the year asking for progress reports.
- 5. Furnish AFS membership applications to each committee member.
- 6. Give some guidelines to the committee such as: (1) provide lists of current AFS members in the state or province; (2) contact prospect personally by telephone and/or by mail; (3) send applications and money to Executive Director and notify the chairman.
- 7. Present a written report at the annual meeting of the Division.
- 8. Furnish names and addresses to the secretary so that he can notify the individual responsible for mailing the Newsletter and for meeting announcements.
- 9. Acknowledge work of committee members at end of the year.

### Nominating

- 1. Suggest that each committee member submit the names of two nominees for each office.
- 2. Compile this list (along with your nominees) and offer this list to the committee for a vote on their preferences.
- 3. Select the top two candidates for each office on the basis of votes received from the committee, confirm the willingness of selected candidates to serve if elected, and offer this slate to the membership at the annual meeting. If membership balloting is by mail, coordinate your activities with the secretary-treasurer.
- 4. Be prepared to offer some background material for each nominee.
- 5. Prepare a written report for the annual meeting. Select a substitute from the committee if you cannot attend. Present the nominees for office and provide for nominations from the floor.
- 6. Inform candidates for Division representative to the Nominating Committee of the Parent Society that the Division representative serves during the next Society year (Sept-Sept) following the Division annual meeting. Thus he might be elected anywhere from 2-10 months prior to the formation of the Society's Nominating Committee, depending on the meeting dates of the respective Divisions. This is necessary because this committee must complete its deliberations before the March meeting of the AFS Executive Committee.
- 7. Allow about 3 months to complete the correspondence needed for the work of these committees.
- 8. Acknowledge the work of the committee personally or by letter.

### Program

- 1. Arrange for committee meetings to do the following:
  - a. Select themes for the conference.
  - b. Appoint chairmen for the various sessions.
  - c. Confer with General Chairman on invitations to keynote or opening session speakers.
- 2. Issue first call for papers 6 months prior to conference and include instructions to participants.
- Issue final call 3 months ahead of conference. 3.
- 4. Coordinate activities with arrangements committee.
- 5. Complete program in time for printing deadline.
- Acknowledge work of committee members at end of the year. 6.



January 13, 1978

Memo to: All New York Marine and Aquatic Fishery Scientists and Technicians

Re: Program for the New York Fisheries Meeting of February 3-4, 1978

Enclosed in this mailing you should find: the program for the New York Fisheries Meeting, sponsored by the New York Chapter of the American Fisheries Society; a brochure describing Bergamo East, which includes a detailed map and directions on how to get there; and the New York Chapter of the AFS Newsletter, which includes the abstracts of papers given at the 1977 meeting.

Please note that I should be notified of your intent to attend the Annual Meeting. I have reserved rooms for those of you that have written me. If you are rooming with someone, please indicate the names of your roomates to me or Bergamo. The cost is \$19.25 per individual which includes three meals (no lunch will be served on Saturday, February 4), your overnight accommodations, coffee at two breaks, and complete set-ups (soda, ice and glasses) with snacks. You also have access to the gym facilities and recreation room. For those of you attending this facility for the first time, the showers are dormitory style, so you may want to bring a bathrobe. It is important that we know of female fishery scientists and wives attending with their husbands so proper accommodations can be made.

This should be another exciting meeting. The program expresses a variety of topics that are both of concern and interest to us. I hope those of you that have not yet decided to attend will do so after reading the accompanying abstracts from the 1977 meeting. Abstracts for papers being presented at the 1978 meeting will be available at the registration desk at Bergamo; those paid members unable to attend this meeting will be mailed a copy of these abstracts.

On behalf of the officers and the Program Committee, we look forward to seeing you at Bergamo. If for any reason you must cancel your reservations, please notify me by February 1, or Bergamo by February 2, 1978.

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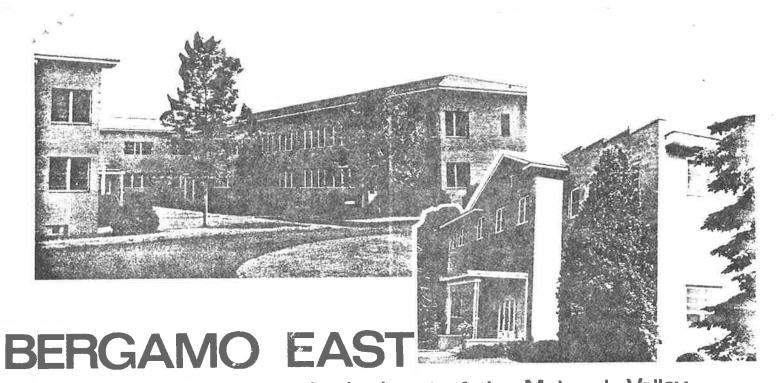
New York Chapter, American Fisheries Society February 3-4, 1978 Bergamo/East, Marcy, New York

## February 3, 1978

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	10:00 am	Registration
	12:00	Lunch - Bergamo/East dining hall
ı.	1:15-2:45	Business Meeting
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	2:45-3:00	Coffee Break
II.	3:00-5:30	Contributed papers
	3:00	Overlap and Diel Variation in Feeding Habits of Alosa spp. Juveniles From the Lower Hudson River Estuary - S.A. Grabe and R.E. Schmidt
	3:15	Natural Reproduction and Juvenile Ecology of Pacific Salmon and Steelhead Trout in Tributaries of the Salmon River, New York - J.H. Johnson and N.H. Ringler
	3:30	Orientation of Weakly Electric Fish under Diurnal and Nocturnal Conditions - A. DeFazio
	3:45	Direct Measurements of Daily Growth in Free-living Stream Fishes - E.B. Brothers
	4:00	The Effect of Hypophysectomy and Thyroxine on Light- induced Visual Pigment Changes in the Brook Trout, Salvelinus fontinalis - D.J. Taylor
	4:15	A Comparison of Gear Efficiency Associated with Sein and Rotenone Collections - M.P. Weinstein, R.W. Davis, A.M. Hill and P.B. Woodward
	4:30	Effect of Cooking and Trimming on Levels of Mirex, DDT and Aroclor 1254 in Lake Ontario Brown Trout -

J.C. Skea and H.A. Simonin

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5		Comprehensive Fish Disease Control Program for New ork State Hatcheries - J.H. Schachte, Jr.		
5	:15 F	Hatchery vs. Wild Trout - J. Brown		
III. 5:30		appy Hour Bring your own booze - "add-ins" will be available)		
6:00	D	inner - Bergamo/East dining hall		
IV. 7:30-9		anel Discussion - Effects of Winter Navigation - illiam Pearce, Chairman		
February 4, 1978				
8:00-8	:45 B	reakfast - Bergamo/East dining hall		
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32604	Smith, E.S.	Senior Wildlife Biologist
32605	Ayers, M.I.	Principal Fish & Wildlife Technician
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32607	Devan, C.R.	Senior Fish & Wildlife Technician
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32609	Manuel, B.J.	Fish & Wildlife Technician
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30701	Griffin, B.L.	Principal Fish & Wildlife Biologist
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TO Griffiths, Neth Pearce

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To: Car

Carl Parker

Subject: AFS Members - Professional Staff - Fish Propagation

Question - Is "Sully" saying they are not interested in the non-professional membership potential?

By my interpretation of the request for information, Fish Propagation has four professional people.

Name	<u>Title</u>	Member
Robert Griffiths Dr. John Schachte F. Thomas Pelchar P. R. Maynard	Principal Aquatic Biologist Associate Fish Pathologist Associate Aquatic Biologist Associate Aquatic Biologist  Biologist	Yes Yes Yes No

RHG:mf

Robert H. Griffiths Supt. of Fish Culture PRESIDENT 1975-1976

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February 25, 1977

The Honorable Peter Berle Commissioner of the Department of Environmental Conservation 50 Wolf Road Albany, New York 12233

Sir:

Many of the unresolved problems concerning the fisheries of New York State stem from an incomplete knowledge of the quality and quantity of the present resource. Recognizing this actuality, the New York Chapter of the American Fisheries Society, at its Annual Meeting February 4-5, 1977 at Mercy, New York, passed the enclosed resolution for your consideration and hoped for action.

Sincerely,

C. Lavett Smith President

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xc: Hon. Hugh L. Carey, Governor of the State of New York
The Hon. Warren M. Anderson, Majority Leader, Senate
The Hon. Manfred Ohrenstein, Minority Leader, Senate
The Hon. Stanley Steingut, Speaker, Assembly
The Hon. Perry B. Duryea, Jr., Minority Leader,
Assembly

MEMO TO: New York Fisheries Workers

FROM:

Program Committee, N.Y. Chapter A.F.S. (Joe Gorsuch, Ned Holmes, John Nickum)

### CALL FOR PAPERS

New York Fisheries Meeting February 4-5, 1977 Bergamo/East, Marcy, New York

Sponsored by

The New York Chapter of the American Fisheries Society

The program for this year's New York Fisheries Meeting is starting to take shape; however, the most valuable part of the meeting will be your attendance and participation. Holding the meeting at Bergamo/East should place it within the financial means of everyone. Please take a few minutes to consider what you might present at this year's meeting.

We plan to have two sessions based upon contributed papers and/or demonstrations. We would like to have one session devoted primarily to student papers. A standard paper should be based upon a 10-15 minute presentation and approximately 5 minutes for discussion. A demonstration of equipment or a particular technique can probably be completed in 5-10 minutes. We also plan to have a panel and discussion of a current "hot" topic as well as a couple of invited papers. We are open to suggestions and requests as well. If you sense an interest or feel a need for presentations on a particular topic please let us know.

We are hoping for broad geographical, organizational and subject matter balance within the program. There is a lot going on in New York. Use this meeting to let your professional colleagues know about your work.

If you wish to present a paper or demonstration please complete the attached form and return it to John G. Nickum by December 1, 1976 (New York Cooperative Fishery Research Unit, Fernow Hall, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York 14853). We will let you know by mid-December whether or not your presentation can be included in this year's program.

Forest Zoolegy 11/4/76 In C. Sevell Smith Schthyology Lept.
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New York, M.J. Hear Dr. Smith: Enclosed are two lests of potential AFS members. One was compiled last year by be Goroveh, the other eve compiled from various founds. I have this gives us a start; I have not not been able to contact tack Converse, the dwill be out of town until the 18 th, so am sending these for now:

Sincerely, Meil H. Veryler

Dr. C.L. Smith American Museum - Natural History CPW at 79th St New York, N.Y. 10007

Dear Dr. Smith:

Bill Pearce has informed me that he has forwarded my request for an application for the N.Y. Chapter - AFS to you. As he suggested I am sending my \$2.00 for this year's dues.

Please keep me posted of the N.Y. chapter's activities. If I can be of service, please feel free to call on me.

Sincerely,

BOB PIERČE Biologist,

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers



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9 December 1976

Mr. C. Lavett Smith Department of Ichthyology American Museum of Natural History Central Park West at 79th Street 10024 New York, NY

Dear Mr. Smith:

Thank you for your letter. I'm sorry to say that the checks I mailed February 15, 1976 are no longer valid. I have since received a National AFS membership. I am enclosing a valid check for \$2 for Chapter dues, and look forward to participating in local AFS meetings.

Sincerely,

Robert L. Kellogg 13 Highland Terrace Newburgh, NY 12550

P.S. Please note address change.

Enc. -- Check

New York Chapter

American Fisheries Society

### MINUTES OF THE

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING OF OCTOBER 26, 1976

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Respectfully,

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November 30, 1976

Dr. C. L. Smith
Department of Ichthyology
The American Museum of Natural History
Central Park West at 79th Street
New York, New York 10024

Dear Smitty:

Enc.

RGW:rtp

I received your first mailing and it looks good. The Executive Committee minutes should go only to the membership and not to the broader mailing list.

In addition, I would like to add a letter from the President to the membership to that mailing. I've enclosed the letter. If you could copy it and send it along with the minutes, it should give the membership some idea of what we have been doing all year.

Thanks Smitty.

Sincerely yours,

Bob

Robert G. Werner Professor Department of Forest Zoology



## NEW YORK CHAPTER - AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY =

November 30, 1976

Memo to: Members, New York Chapter

American Fisheries Society

From:

R. G. Werner, President

Re:

Annual meeting and update on years activities

The Executive Committee has been busy this year with the innumerable housekeeping chores required to keep an organization of this nature going. In particular, we have been concentrating on building a stronger, more vital organization, with a broader range of membership. It was the consensus of the Executive Committee that we needed to capitalize on the interest and enthusiasm shown at the last meeting at Bergamo. To this end we have made many new committee appointment encouraging young members to participate in the Chapter and offer their ideas and thoughts.

We have established a New Initiatives Committee which we hope will soon become one of the most important committees in the Chapter. We anticipate that it will function as an organizing and motivating force to develop constructive Chapter projects building on our experience with the Aquatic Ecologist. It can only work, however, with your help. We hope that suggestions will be forthcoming at our next annual meeting. In the meantime, if you have any thoughts that you would like to have the Committee consider contact the chairman, Dr. John Forney, Cornell Biological Station, Bridgeport, New York.

Our Program Committee is actively formulating an extremely interesting program for next February. We will generally follow the very successful format initiated by Bill Pearce last year. We have reserved Bergamo from Friday noon to Saturday noon, February 4 and 5. We hope you will all be able to attend. You should have received a call for papers by now. I would like to encourage you to share with us the work that you have been doing even though it may still be incomplete.

Activity on the Aquatic Ecologist has slowed down considerably. We have sold only three copies this year. However, we have transferred \$2,000 from the account in Syracuse to an interest bearing account under Dr. Smith's supervision.



Our major concern over the last year, however, has been with membership. We had an excellent turnout at our previous annual meeting and acquired many new members. We want to keep the ball rolling and encourage participation in the Chapter by all professional aquatic biologists in the State. To that end we are trying to reach as many people as we can with our mailings. We are developing lists of potential members and would appreciate receiving names and addresses of any of your colleagues or acquaintances that you feel might like to join. Send any names to our Secretary, Dr. C. L. Smith, Department of Ichthyology, American Museum of Natural History, Central Park West at 79th Street, New York, NY 10024. In addition, when you come to the meeting in February, bring a friend!

We will look forward to seeing you at Bergamo.

Bob

ROBERT G. WERNER

P.S.

Our Vice President, Cliff Creech, has resigned due to the pressures of work. In order to continue the important membership activity the Executive Committee has appointed a member of the Membership Committee, Dr. Neil Ringler to serve as acting Vice President and Membership Chairman. He will complete Cliff Creech's term.

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April 12, 1976

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Dept. Ichthyology
American Museum of Natural History
New York, New York 10024

Dear Smitty:

I'm writing in regards to your April 6, 1976 letter. I did accept the responsibility, along with John Nickum and Ned Holmes, to serve on the Program Committee during our February meeting. I'm awaiting further word from John as when and how to proceed with our plans.

Please contact me if you have any questions about our progress.

Sincerely, Joseph W. Launch

Joseph W. Gorsuch Toxicology Section

Health, Safety and Human

Factors Laboratory

JWG:bdo

Mr. Jack Converse RB #4 Swego New York

Dear Jack,

At the February meeting of the Executive Committee of the New York Chapter of the American Fisheries Society, you were appointed to serve on the Membership Committee. Working with you will be:

Clifford Creech, Chairman RB #1, Cincinnatus, New York 13040

Neil Ringler
Department of Forest Zoology
SUNY College of Environmental Science
and Forestry
Syracuse, New York 13210

We hope you will be willing and able to accept this task, but if there is any problem, please let Bob Werner know as soon as possible.

Sincerely yours,

C. Lavett Smith Secretary-Treasurer



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Including members (7) on committees whose name has not appeared on one of these lists

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December 16, 1976

Mr. C. Lavett Smith
Dept. Ichthyology
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Dear Smitty:

On June 25, 1976, I sent the name of a person interested in joining the NYAFS to Bob Werner. On Monday of this week, my colleague, Bill Ewell, met another person from the same lab. She is also interested in our Chapter. I have just sent them copies of the map, John Nickum's call for papers, Bob's November 30, 1976 letter and the Executive Committee meeting notes.

At this time, I would like you to enter their names to the Chapter's mailing list. Mr. Stenger's name may be on your list already, but claims he has not received information in regards to the annual meeting. The addresses are:

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I hope you have an enjoyable holiday season. We will see you at the meeting in February.

Sincerely.

Joseph W. Gorsuch

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New York Chapter - American Fisheries Society - Water Quality Committee Report

It appears that this Committee can best serve the Chapter by providing information on current water quality problems and by encouraging a positive force to combat such problems. These goals can best be accomplished by verbal reports and group participation. In this way problems can be presented and aired rather than just having this Committee present a dull report.

In keeping with this viewpoint, and with the permission of the individuals involved, the following water quality subjects are scheduled for presentation at this meeting: (1) certainly the number 1 subject in 1975 - the PCB problem, which John Spagnoli will address, (2) Bill Eustance is presenting a paper on Catskill water quality, and (3) Larry Skinner has agreed to brief us on the water quality of the Hudson River. These three subjects are to be included as a part of this report.

Another area of concern to all of us has been the problem of chlorine, and in particular the chlorination of STP effluents in Class C waters and its effects on fish and benthic organisms. There is now a proposal to limit such treatments, and I think that John Spagnoli can further enlighten us on this.

If any of you have suggestions as to how this Committee can better serve this group they will be gratefully accepted.

William Eustance

Lee Cooper

Howard J. Dean (Chairman)

January 19, 1976

c.c. Committee

John Spagnoli'

1976 Annual Meeting Minutes New York Chapter American Fisheries Society February 6, 1976

The meeting, held at Bergamo East, Marcy, New York, was called to order at 1:30 p.m. by President Pearce.

Executive Committee Report: Bill Pearce reported that several meetings of this committee were held and that he had attended the Planning and Resource Societies Inter-Regional Conference at Toronto in October 1975.

Secretary-Treasurers Report: As of this date, exclusive of members signed up at this meeting, there were 55 paid-up members in 1975 and 15 prepaid members for 1976. (During the meeting 73 people paid 1976 dues). There were four mailings to the membership since the 1975 annual meeting.

On January 31, 1975, balance in the checking account was \$95.28 and \$416.82 in the savings account, making a total of \$512.10. On February 3, 1976, the checking account balance was \$89.55 and the savings account was \$437.90 for a total of \$527.45.

Professional Standards Committee Report: None

Membership Committee Report: Vice President Bob Werner sent out 100 meeting announcements.

Resolutions Committee Report: None - Bill Shepherd absent.

Nominating Committee Report: Committee was composed of E. D. Holmes, C. L. Smith and W. F. Shepherd. They proposed a slate of officers as follows: President Bob Werner, Vice President Cliff Creech, Secretary-Treasurer C. Lavette Smith. A motion was made by Bill Eustance, seconded by Bill Flick to accept the slate as presented. There being no nominations from the floor the Secretary cast one ballot.

Status of film, Aquatic Ecologist: Bob Werner reported that there were 19 copies sold during the past year which, together with the previous 36, made a total of 55 copies. Three copies were given away and there are 40 preview requests to be filled.

Dwight Webster suggested a report on the film be sent to Bob Youngs of N.Y.S. Conservation Council and to Dick Stroud of Sport Fishing Institute. Bob Werner to draft letter.

Bill Flick made a motion, seconded by R. Werner, that money ( $\pm$ \$2,000) to be transferred to the Chapter account be kept in a separate account for possible future projects. The motion was carried unanimously.

The Water Quality Committee composed of Howard Dean (Chairman), Lee Cooper and William Eustance presented a three-part report. The PCB problem, Catskill water quality and Hudson River water quality.

New Business: W. Pearce raised the question of what the Chapter should be doing. D. Webster suggested Chapter should consider projects such as sale, by N. E. Division, of River Ecology Symposium report which netted nearly \$10,000. J. Nickum discussed the matter of lobbying by an AFS affiliate.

### Program

N.Y. Cooperative Fisheries Unit - J. Nickum, T. Jackson

Sea Grant & Fisheries - M. Duttweiler

## Night Session

Acid Rain & Its Effects on Water - C. Schofield

Awards & Remarks - M. Pfeiffer

Showing of Chapter film

### February 7, 1976

Distribution of Fishes - C. L. Smith

State Fisheries Management Act - W. M. Lawrence

Syracuse University Fisheries Program - R. Werner

Effects of Lake Fill on Littoral Zone Aquatic Insects - C. Creech

A. Unique Treatment of Stream Rechanneling - L. Wedge

The new officers were introduced to the group. It was felt that early February would be a good meeting time and the present site was acceptable. A total of 82 people registered and 73 paid 1976 dues. The meeting was adjourned at 12:35.

A. C. Petty Secretary-Treasurer

# New York Chapter American Fisheries Society

Secretary's Report February 6, 1976

As of this date there are 55 paid-up members for 1975 and 15 paid-up members for 1976. This is exclusive of members who may have paid dues at this meeting.

There have been four mailings to the membership in 1975-76.

- July 17, 1975 from Secretary-Treasurer to all 1974
  paid-up members plus members who attended the 1975
  annual meeting. A copy of the 1975 annual meeting
  minutes was enclosed and a tear sheet for dues
  remittance.
- 2. November 12, 1975, from Executive Committee to membership concerning coming annual meeting.
- 3. November 18, 1975, from President Pearce regarding coming annual meeting with more details.
- 4. January 12, 1976, from Program-Executive Committee with Bergamo East information and agenda copy.

Various correspondence between Executive Committee members and for administrative purposes.

A \$50.00 donation by the New York Chapter to the Toronto joint meeting was later returned.

Respectfully submitted

Secretary-Treasurer

# NEW YORK CHAPTER AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY

# FINANCIAL REPORT February 6, 1976

### CHAPTER ACCOUNT

		Checking Account	Savings Account	Total
Balance	- January 31, 1975	\$ 95.28	\$416.82	\$512.10
Recei	pts:			
_	1975 dues	120.00		
2.	1976 dues	30.00		
3.	Interest on Savings		21.08	
4.	Toronto Meeting Refund	50.00		
5.	1 member Bergano East payment	17.00		
	Sub-total	217.00		
	Total	\$312.28	\$437.90	
Expend	litures:			
1.	Postage Stamps	\$ 26.30		
2.	Toronto Meeting Donation	50.00		
3.	Stationery	26.65		
4.	Bergamo East deposit	102.00		
5.	1 member refund	17.00		
6.	Bank Service Charge	78		
	Sub-total	\$222.73		
Balance	February 3, 1976	\$ 89.55	\$437.90	\$527.45

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A. C. Rethy Lecy-Treas.

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February 10, 1976

Mr. Arch Petty
Department of Environmental
Conservation
Cortland, NY

Dear Arch:

Attached is a copy of the report on the Aquatic Ecologist that I made at the meeting last week. I will transfer \$1500 of the balance to Dr. Smith after he takes over the Chapter account.

Sincerely yours,

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Robert G. Werner

RGW:cmn Enc.

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# NEW YORK CHAPTER - AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY ===

Report on Distribution and Financial Status of the Aquatic Ecologist, February 6, 1976

# I. Disposition of Film

	1975	1976	<u>Total</u>
Number of copies sold	36	19	55
Number of copies previewed	44	16	60
Number of copies in circulation	5		
New copies on hand	2	3	
Complimentary copies issued	3	0	3

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## II. Financial Summary

Purchase of films to date	7520.26
Postage	185.40
Secretaria1	276.56
Miscellaneous -	50.40
Film production	1022.50

# Credits

9055.12

Starting balance	50.00
Transfer from movie fund	1041.54
Film sales (paid)	9400.00
Film previews (paid)	360.00
Total monies received	10.851.54

# Outstanding Bills

Film sales Film previews Total monies pending	$\frac{940.00}{50.00}$
Total Credits	11,841.54
Current Bank Balance	10,851.54 9,055.12 1,796.42
Balance plus pending bills	2786.42