**CESU Directors Call 03-17-2021**

* Email for reschedule time for this meeting– check for this
* Representation for CESU council
	+ Aaron Williams and Tom Fish making descriptive document of this
	+ Primary and secondary representative of directors to participate in quarterly CESU council call
	+ Have a sponsored programs person on the council as well
		- Same institution vs different institution?
* This year’s funding
	+ Inter-agencies agreements coming together
	+ Few awarded dollars to spend down to zero – contacting individual CESU directors to spend dollars down
	+ Some funds have shorter periods of time if from NPS
* Agencies to join
	+ Agency approved to join the council!
		- Western Area Power Administration
		- Will figure out which regional CESUs they want to join
	+ EPA wants to submit an application to join some of the CESUs
	+ Bureau of Environmental Safety and Management
* Email from US F and W – new day and time potentially for biannual meeting in 2022
	+ June 19-24th 2022
	+ Had been 6th – 11th
* Do we have agreements with multiple agencies and multiple recipients?
	+ Don’t have this now – potential for future
	+ Ex. Projects at a landscape scale- larger multi-partner projects
	+ Good time right now to develop this
* CESU National Program Office runs out in May
	+ Discussing ways to refund that/continue it
	+ Develop ideas of placement of interns/fellows – some time on local CESU activities, joint projects, their own interests
	+ Regionally supported fellows on reoccurring basis