

**BLUE GOOSE ALLIANCE
AGENDA FOR ANNUAL MEETING
MARCH 23-24, 2007
ST. MARKS NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE**

THURSDAY - MARCH 22, 2007

5:00 p.m. - Icebreaker (informal) at the Inn at Wildwood. Honored guests have been invited

FRIDAY - MARCH 23, 2007

8:30 a.m. - Call to order, Review Agenda
- James Burnett - Trials and tribulations of Refuge Managers in 2007
- Reading of minutes of last meeting
- Treasurer's Report
- **OLD BUSINESS**: Report on National Bison Range; Little Pend Oreille; and Izembek by Bill Reffalt. Discussion
10:30 a.m. - Comfort Break
10:45 a.m. - Continue reports: Website progress (Danner); Use of email Grouping (Beaty); Literature Update (Morgan); Fund Raising; Finding and engaging sympathetic NGO partners; Networking with Friends groups (forum)
11:45 a.m. - Lunch
1:30 p.m. - Refuge Tour

SATURDAY - MARCH 24, 2007

8:00 a.m. - Continue unfinished old business;
NEW BUSINESS: Crozier Blog (Crozier); Finding Congressional Champions - Refuge Caucus?; Getting attention to mission on 2008 party platforms; Action plan for ensuing two years.
10:15 a.m. - Comfort Break
10:30 a.m. - Getting attention to mission on 2008 party platforms; Action plan for ensuing two years.
11:45 a.m. - Lunch
1:15 p.m. - Effectiveness of affiliates - New guidance; Number of BGA Board members; Legal Defense Fund/s; Grants and Donations.
3:00 p.m. - Comfort Break
3:15 p.m. - Selection of location for annual meeting in 2008; Election of Directors and Officers.

Directions for driving directions from Tallahassee to the Inn at Wildwood – Due south of Tallahassee on Hwy 363 to Hwy 98 (approx. 15 miles) - Right (West) on Hwy 98 ten (10) miles.

Directions from the Inn to the Refuge Office. Return (east) on Hwy 98 (approx. 12 miles) - cross St. Marks River at community of Newport. Take immediate right on State Road 59 after crossing river. Refuge Headquarters approx. 3 miles.