DRAFT AGENDA
Desert Managers Group
Second Annual Executive Coordination Meeting
October 23, 2001
Ontario, CA

Goals/Objectives of Meeting:

1. Educate agency executives on the activities/accomplishments of the DMG
2. Understand how DMG and the California desert fits into the goals and priorities of DOI, DOD, and the State of California
3. Summarize DMG surveys and discussions related to the value, priorities, and effectiveness of the Group.
4. Engage the executives in a discussion on how they can help improve the effectiveness and value of the DMG
5. Develop next steps

10:00 am **Welcome and Introduction** (Hamill and Everly)

10:15 am **FY 01 DMG update and accomplishments**
- DMG/California desert overview (Hamill)
- Accomplishments (Everly)
- Discussion

11:00 am **National and State Policy Perspective**
- DOI Priorities/Expectations – (Tom Fulton/David Smith-invited)
- State of California Priorities/Expectations (??)
- Discussion

11:45 am **Lunch**

12:45 pm **Future of the DMG**
- Introduction and background (Hamill)
- DMG Priorities and Effectiveness (Paul Ideker)
- Regional and State Office Perspectives (Moderator – Ideker)
  - John Reynolds (NPS)
  - Mike Pool (BLM)
  - Steve Thompson (FWS)
  - Dick Troy (State Parks)
  - Patrick Muffler (USGS)
  - (State Fish and Game)
- Roundtable Discussion (Ideker)

2:15 pm **Summary and Next Steps** (Everly)

2:30 pm **Adjourn**