

Timeline of AMWG Review and Approval of the Strategic Plan

July 1999

- Unanimous approval of Vision/Mission.
- Created Ad Hoc Committee on the Strategic Plan and charged it develop goals and objectives that flow from vision.

October 1999

- Reviewed principles and goals, gave comments to Ad Hoc Committee (AHC).

January 2000

- Interim approval of principles and goals, as amended.

July 2000

- Reviewed Management Objectives, asked AHC to revise and bring back to AMWG.

January 2001

- Reviewed and approved (with changes) qualitative targets for Management Objectives for Goals 1-5 and 7.
- Asked AHC to consider some changes to the goals.

April 2001

- Approved changes to goals 2 and 6.
- Approved qualitative targets (with changes) for Goals 6 and 8-12.

January 2002

- Recommended to the Secretary of the Interior to accept the Strategic Plan, including vision, mission, principles, goals, management objectives, qualitative targets, and narrative sections, as amended. (one abstention, no nay votes)

April 2002

- Directed TWG to:
 - put Information Needs into sequence order.
 - recommend Information Needs for approval at the January 2003 AMWG meeting.
 - develop Management Actions with GCMRC.
- Formed the Ad Hoc Committee on What's In and Out of the Strategic Plan (AHCIO).

January 2003

- Approved the criteria for what is out of the strategic plan.
- Approved the categories for funding and accomplishment of the Management Objectives.
- Directed the AHCIO to apply criteria and categories to the Information Needs as written.
- Received a recommendation from TWG with edited Information Needs in sequence order.
- Agreed to delay approval of the Information Needs and their sequence order until the AHCIO applied the criteria and categories.