

COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES
113th Congress Disclosure Form
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the Rules of the Committee on Natural Resources

6/4/13 Oversight Hearing on
Defining Species Conservation Success: Tribal, State and Local Stewardship vs.
Federal Courtroom Battles and Sue-and-Settle Practices

For Individuals:

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For Witnesses Representing Organizations:

1. Name:
2. Name of Organization(s) You are Representing at the Hearing:
3. Business Address:
4. Business Email Address:
5. Business Phone Number:

For all Witnesses

Name/Organization Reed F. Noss

Title/Date of Hearing “Defining Species Conservation Success: Tribal, State and Local Stewardship vs. Federal Courtroom Battles and Sue-and-Settle Practices,” Tuesday, June 4, 2013.

a. Any training or educational certificates, diplomas or degrees or other educational experiences that are relevant to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

1975. B.S. School of Education, University of Dayton, Ohio.

1975-1976. Graduate School of Education, Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio.

1979. M.S. Graduate Program in Ecology, University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

1988. Ph.D. Department of Wildlife & Range Sciences, School of Forest Resources & Conservation, University of Florida.

b. Any professional licenses, certifications, or affiliations held that are relevant to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

Member of professional societies, e.g., Ecological Society of America, Society for Conservation Biology, American Association for the Advancement of Science, American Institute of Biological Sciences

c. Any employment, occupation, ownership in a firm or business, or work-related experiences that relate to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

Current: Provost’s Distinguished Research Professor, Department of Biology, University of Central Florida

d. Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) from the Department of the Interior (and /or other agencies invited) that you have received in the current year and previous four years, including the source and the amount of each grant or contract.

None to me personally, though I help administrate a grant to the Florida Institute for Conservation Science (for which I am President) from the Department of Interior, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. Amount: \$24,325; Dates: 08/31/12 through 11/30/2013. None of this grant money goes to me personally, but to geneticists who are doing the research.

e. A list of all lawsuits or petitions filed by you against the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit or petition, the subject matter of the lawsuit or petition, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits or petitions were filed.

None

f. A list of all federal lawsuits filed against you by the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit, the subject matter of the lawsuit, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits were filed.

None

g. Any other information you wish to convey that might aid the Members of the Committee to better understand the context of your testimony.

None

Witnesses Representing Organizations

Name/Organization _____

Title/Date of Hearing _____

h. Any offices, elected positions, or representational capacity held in the organization(s) on whose behalf you are testifying.

None

i. Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) from the Department of the Interior (and /or other agencies invited) that were received in the current year and previous four years by the organization(s) you represent at this hearing, including the source and amount of each grant or contract for each of the organization(s).

j. A list of all lawsuits or petitions filed by the organization(s) you represent at the hearing against the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit or petition, the subject matter of the lawsuit or petition, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits or petitions were filed for each of the organization(s).

k. A list of all federal lawsuits filed against the organization(s) you represent at the hearing by the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit, the subject matter of the lawsuit, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits were filed.

l. For tax-exempt organizations and non-profit organizations, copies of the three most recent public IRS Form 990s (including Form 990-PF, Form 990-N, and Form 990-EZ) for each of the organization(s) you represent at the hearing (not including any contributor names and addresses or any information withheld from public inspection by the Secretary of the Treasury under 26 U.S.C. 6104)).