

Reynolds

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

Missouri Chapter, AFS

September 6, 1977

1. Those in attendance were Don Kangas, Jim Reynolds, Stan Michaelson, Sonny Mayer, Arvil Ming, Joe Dillard, Mike Colvin, and Jack Jones. Ken Babcock from The Wildlife Society was also present.
2. Jim Reynolds reported that there is a good chance Frank Lockard and crew from Indiana who give the communications discussion could be here for the meeting. Presentation takes 3 to 3½ hours; probably be a joint session. Indiana will probably pay salaries and travel.
3. Discussed room needs and reservations with the University for the meetings.
4. Discussed a half day joint session and a whole day joint session. Possible wildlife topics are wetland management, forest habitat management, expansion programs, etc. Ming suggested that discussions on happenings on the Meramec River, St. Francis River, Missouri River, etc., were possible joint session topics.
5. Ming reported the Resolutions Committee is going to seek out resolutions areas and people to prepare them.
6. Ken Babcock reported on The Wildlife Society's obligation to help raise funds so that their parent society will be able to build on land owned by a group called the Renewable Natural Resources Foundation. A call to Carl Sullivan revealed his personal interest in the AFS locating in the same building but at present the AFS says no. Ken suggested a banquet meal same as always except that it be held in a private establishment where those in attendance could stay after the banquet and converse to music. The chapters would Bar-B-Q; money saved would be split. Wildlife's share would go to the building fund. After discussion, members of AFS agreed to check on this possibility. A tentative committee (Ming, Spence Turner, Ollie Torgerson, Wayne Porath) will check on the feasibility (place, expected profit, etc.).
7. Wildlife Society meets September 27 at Ramada Inn in Jefferson City and will discuss program possibilities in more detail.