



**SOCIETY OF OUTDOOR
RECREATION PROFESSIONALS**

**SCORP Workshop
March 28-29, 2023
Asheville, NC**

Purpose: Foster connection, learning, networking, and professional development among SCORP planners, researchers, and consultants

Objectives:

- Create shared understanding of the purpose of SCORPs, both for LWCF funding and for addressing evolving outdoor recreation needs in a state
- Highlight best practices and adaptations in developing and implementing SCORPs
- Identify opportunities and barriers for consistent baseline data collection and analysis across states

Audience: State SCORP planners, state offices of outdoor recreation, university researchers and professors, SCORP consultants

States highlighted: NC, TN, CO, KS, WY, OR, AK

Tuesday, March 28

Time	Topic	Presenter(s)
8:00-11:30 am	<p><i>Field Workshop hosted by Pisgah National Forest and North Carolina Arboretum</i></p> <p>8:00 Workshop participants gather at Doubletree Downtown 8:15 Buses leave Doubletree 8:35 Buses arrive at NC Arboretum at Bent Creek 8:40 Introduction to the Arboretum and partnership with the USFS and others to manage trails (incl. LWCF funding) 9:10 Groups split up; one stays at Arboretum, one goes into Bent Creek 9:15-11:15 Groups explore trails and discuss collaborative planning and management (e.g., how to successfully get grant funding,</p>	Vonda Martin, North Carolina



	managing increasing use, equity and inclusion) 11:15 Buses head back to Doubletree	
11:45 am	<i>Lunch (provided)</i>	
12:30 pm	<i>Welcome & Introductions</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Workshop purpose and outcomes• Agenda overview• Participant introductions	Rachel Franchina, SORP Executive Director Michael Bradley, Arkansas Tech University and SORP Vice President
12:45 pm	<i>SCORP History & Future</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Land and Water Conservation Fund and SCORPs: 1960s-2000s• LWCF requirements and beyond• Looking ahead for the next 50 years	NPS (invited) Mark Ivy, FERC Anne Marshall, TN State Parks
1:30 pm	<i>Innovations in Data Collection Part 1</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Asset Inventory & Rec Provider Survey• Coordination across jurisdictions & partnerships	Drew Pollak-Bruce & Lindsey Romaniello, SE Group Wendy Sailors, Alaska
2:15 pm	<i>Break</i>	
2:30 pm	<i>Innovations in Data Collection Part 2</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Survey tool development• Technology in data collection	Ryan Sharp, Kansas State University
3:15 pm	<i>Breakout Group Discussion on Data Collection</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Discuss best practices in data collection• Identify themes	All
4:00pm	<i>Report out and Day 1 Summary</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Summarize discussions and themes• Emerging topics/trends	Rachel Franchina, SORP Executive Director
4:30 pm	<i>Adjourn</i>	

Wednesday, March 29

Time	Topic	Presenter(s)
7:30 am	<i>Networking Breakfast</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Informal networking with workshop participants 	
8:30 am	<i>Day 2 Welcome & Kickoff</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Icebreaker Day 1 Recap 	Rachel Franchina, SORP Executive Director
9:00 am	<i>SCORP In-house Approach</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lessons Learned from updating a SCORP 	Vonda Martin, North Carolina
9:30 am	<i>SCORP Comprehensive Approach</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10-year approach Collaborative approach 	Anne Marshall , Tennessee
10:00 am	<i>SCORP Implementation Highlights</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Using the SCORP to prioritize work and funding 	Fletcher Jacobs, Colorado
10:30 am	<i>Break</i>	
10:45 am	<i>Breakout Group Discussion on Process and Outcomes</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discuss best practices in process and implementation Identify themes 	All
11:30 am	<i>Report out and Summary</i>	All
12:15 pm	<i>Lunch (provided)</i>	
1:00 pm	<i>National Survey on Recreation and the Environment (NSRE) 2.0</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is the NSRE? Why do we need it now? 	Wayde Morse, Auburn University Lee Cerveny, U.S. Forest Service Pacific Northwest Research Station
1:30 pm	<i>NSRE 2.0 Methodology</i>	Wayde Morse, Auburn University



	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Question and methodology testing in OR	Oregon State University (invited)
2:00 pm	<p><i>SCORP Baseline Data</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• baseline data collection for SCORPS that can be compared with other states and used for metadata analysis	Wayde Morse & Lee Cervený
2:45 pm	<i>Break</i>	
3:15 pm	<p><i>Breakout Group Discussion on NSRE baseline data collection</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What would work?• What are the concerns and barriers?	All
4:15 pm	<i>Workshop Summary and Wrap-up</i>	Rachel Franchina, SORP Executive Director
4:30 pm	<i>Adjourn</i>	