

The Northwest Environmental Training Center presents:



**Endangered Species Act Implementation and Compliance -  
An overview/refresher on Sections 4, 7, 10, and emerging issues**

Course No. POL-301  
August 30, 2006, from 8:30-5:00 (1 Day)  
Ecotrust Conference Center  
721 NW 9th Avenue  
Portland, Oregon

**Speakers:** *Mike Grady, NOAA Fisheries*

**Course Description**

This course provides attendees with an overview of the Federal Endangered Species Act (ESA) with emphasis on the requirements of the Act and compliance. The course begins with an overview of the Act followed by focused coverage of Section 4(d), Section 7, and Section 10. The topics covered are intended to be beneficial for natural resource managers, biologists, ecologists, regulators, environmental scientists, planners, attorneys, engineers, and other professionals seeking and improved understanding of ESA.

**Schedule and Topics**

**8:30 - 9:00 A.M.: Introduction and Discussion** - After a brief round of introductions, participants will discuss specific issues and controversies they would like the instructor to address during the class.

**9:00 - 10:30: Section 4 and Oregon State's Program** - Protocol for listing and delisting species from the Federal threatened and endangered lists, designating critical habitat, and formulating recovery plans. Overview of comparable Oregon State programs.

**10:30 - 10:45 AM: Break**

**10:45 - Noon: Interface with other Federal Programs and Authorities** - Role of ESA in Superfund cleanup and Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) permitting, closure, and corrective action. Role of tribal nations.

**Noon - 1:00 P.M.: Lunch Break**

**1:00 - 2:00: Overview of Section 7** - Discussion of the Section 7 ban on jeopardizing listed species and destroying or adversely modifying critical habitat, with an emphasis on consultation procedures.

**2:00 - 2:30: Overview of Section 10** - Discussion of Section 10 incidental take permit applications and requirements.

**2:30 - 2:45: Break**

**2:45 - 3:45: Small Group Exercise** - Break up into groups and work through a hypothetical scenario involving listed species.

**3:45 - 5:00: Discussion of Group Exercise** - Class will reassemble and go review scenario issues and potential solutions; discussion of remaining questions and issues.

**5:00 P.M.: Adjourn**

**About the Speaker**

Michael Grady currently serves as Senior Policy Analyst for NOAA Fisheries. He has extensive experience with 4(d) implementation. For the past few years, he has been the NOAA coordinator of all 4(d) related issues in the Upper Columbia Basin. Mr. Grady has extensive applied experience with ESA and has been educating the public on ESA issues for years.

**Course Materials:** Each attendee will receive a copy of the course proceedings, reference material, and a certificate of completion.

**Credit:** 0.7 Continuing Education Units (CEUs), applying for Washington CLEU credits.

**Registration:** \$215 (\*\$175 for Native American Tribes; nonprofits; government agencies; students; and NAEP, NWAEP, and NEBC members). A registration form is attached to this PDF file. You may also register online at [www.nwetc.org](http://www.nwetc.org) or by calling the Northwest Environmental Training Center at (206) 762-1976

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- ▶ I-5 South ▶ I-405 South
- ▶ Exit# 2B towards Everett Street
- ▶ Straight (South) on 16th Avenue
- ▶ Left onto NW Everett Street
- ▶ Left onto NW 9th Avenue

#### FROM THE EAST/AIRPORT

(11 MILES, 23 MINUTES):

- ▶ Airport Way ▶ I-205 South
- ▶ I-84 West ▶ I-5 North
- ▶ I-405 Fremont Bridge
- ▶ Exit #2B towards Everett Street
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- ▶ I-5 North ▶ I-405 North
- ▶ Exit #2B
- ▶ Left (North) onto NW 14th Avenue
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- ▶ Left onto NW 9th Avenue

#### FROM THE WEST:

- ▶ US-26 East (Sunset Highway)
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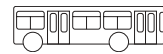
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**BICYCLE** The Center has ample bike parking at the NW 10th Avenue entrance.



**CAR** There are public-pay lots available at NW 12th and Hoyt, NW 10th and Hoyt, NW 14th and Kearney, and NW 8th and Flanders, as well as on-street parking nearby. See directions at left.

