



Ohio Bat Working Group

11th Annual Meeting – Virtual - January 25th, 2022

- 9:00-9:25** Ohio Bat Conservation Plan Committee Meeting - Research and Habitat Management
- 9:25-9:50** Ohio Bat Conservation Plan Committee Meetings – Education & Outreach
- 9:50-10:00:** Welcome
- 10:00-11:00:** **Bat Responses to Management in Hardwood Forests**
Joy O’Keefe, Illinois State University
- 11:00-11:25:** **Three Winters of Traditional and Non-traditional Hibernacula Surveys in Ohio**
Joe Johnson, Ohio University
- 11:25-11:50:** **Building Partnerships through Bat Conservation**
Kathryn Conner, Hueston Woods State Park
- 11:50-12:15:** **Fat Bat Program**
Sarah Stankavich, Bat Conservation International
- 12:15-1:15:** Lunch/Break
- 1:15 – 1:25:** **Update on Ohio Bat Blitz**
Jeff Brown, Environmental Consulting & Technology, Inc.
- 1:25-1:50:** **Detecting Bat Occurrence with Environmental DNA from Water-filled Road Ruts in Upland Forests**
Nathaniel Marshall, Stantec Consulting, Ltd.
- 1:50-2:20:** **Lighting Talk Session (5 mins each with questions at the end of the session)**
- 1:50-1:55:** **Collaboration with Wildlife Rehabilitation Center to Enhance Bat Care, Research, and Conservation**
Rachel Handy, Oregon State University
- 1:55-2:00:** **Acoustic Surveys are an Important Supplement to Visual Surveys of Winter Habitat for Bats**
Lucille Williams, Ohio University
- 2:00-2:05:** **Spring Migration of Little Brown (*Myotis lucifugus*) and Tricolored (*Perimyotis subflavus*) Bats in Ohio**
Mattea Lewis, Ohio University
- 2:05-2:10:** **Summary of Over Ten Years of Acoustic Data from Driving Transects Across Ohio**
Gregg Janos, Copperhead Environmental Consulting, Inc.
- 2:10-2:20:** **Q&A for all lightning presenters**
- 2:30-3:00:** **Agency Updates and Announcements**
ODNR-DOW (Erin Hazelton)
USFWS (Angela Boyer)
USDA Forest Service (Katrina Schultes)