Opening Business

• The IACUC Chair called the meeting to order at 2:33 pm.

Confirmation of a Quorum and Announcement

• Quorum was confirmed by ZR.

Approval of the IACUC Meeting Minutes

• The IACUC Chair called for the approval of the August 19, 2021 meeting minutes. Motion was made and seconded: to approve the minutes as written.
  
  Further Discussion: None.
  
  Vote: Approved with 10 members voting in favor, 0 against and 5 abstentions.

Attending Veterinarian’s/OAW Director’s Report - KS
AV/OAW Director’s Report to IACUC – September 2021

• Adoptions – 1 octopus was adopted in the last month.

• USDA routine inspection on 9/1/2021. No non-compliant items identified.

• IACUC metrics- see meeting documents

• Facility issues:
  
  o Lighting – There was a lighting relay failure in one room in ARCF on the night of 8/31. The Medium Level Light Relay failed as the lights were cycling down to shut off at 6 PM. This resulted in the lights remaining under dim light from shortly before 6 PM until around 6 AM that next morning when the problem was corrected. The mechanic responded and cleared the alarm shortly after it was initiated. However, because of how the alarm was cleared, and the occurrence of the alarm before 6 PM, the problem was not resolved and the lights didn’t completely shut off that night.

• Protocol Monitoring:
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- Nineteen total protocols. Of the protocols, eight involve surgery, one restraint (and sx), 2 tumor modeling, 8 miscellaneous (tape skirt, infection, water quality, prolonged anesthesia). Ten are inactive right now.

- Adverse Events:
  - 4283-01: In a cage of five mice, one was found dead and another moribund and was euthanized on 8/28/21. This cage of mice was a part of a cohort of 45 mice total that had been infected with a malaria parasite on 8/12/21. The infected cohort was monitored daily up until 8/20/21 when experimental endpoint criteria was reached. Due to an oversight, the investigator did not euthanize this one cage on that date, and the cage was not being monitored by the lab. Once the investigator was notified, the remaining mice in the cage were euthanized.
    
    **Reported to OLAW.**

- Non-compliance: None

From Arizona
- Facilities items: No items to report.
- Adverse events: No adverse events to report

**Standard Operation Procedures / Policies / Guidelines**

- Standard 3 Year Review: Anesthesia & Analgesia Procedures for WaNPRC–AS
  - Anesthesia, General, WaNPRC Standard (NHPs) - Numerous updates to anesthetic agents; changes to formatting;
  - Analgesia, WaNPRC Standard (for 6-12 hours, 48 hours, 72 hours, and 5 days, respectively) - Extended-release meloxicam added as an option; changes to formatting

  **Motion was made and seconded:** to approve all 5 procedures as written.
  **Further Discussion:** *None.*
  **Vote:** Approved with 15 members voting in favor, 0 against, 0 abstentions.

**Closing Business:**
The Meeting was brought to a close at 2:45pm. The floor was opened to public comment.