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Subject: Fwd: FY20 & FY21 \$1M NWRS Invasive Species Eradication projects selected
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I'm guessing you'll already know this! We'll gettem next time

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Congratulations to Conboy Lake and Kilauea Point NWRs!

Conboy Lake will receive \$1,000,000 in 2020 to eradicate American bullfrog in the Glenwood Valley for the protection and long-term persistence of the federally threatened Oregon spotted frog. Congratulations to the team members: Trevor Sheffels, Lisa Wilson, Trevor Fox, Heidi Newsome, Sara McFall, and Jason Romine.

Kilauea Point will receive \$1,000,000 in 2021 for a predator-proof boundary fence to eradicate feral cats and exclude all predators for the protection and long-term persistence of federally listed Newell's shearwater, Hawaiian petrel, and nene. Congratulations to the team members: Mike Mitchell, Lindsay Young, Kim Uyehara, Ann Humphrey, and Heather Tonneson.

Here are the Average Scores and Project Ranks from the RFP.

R	Refuge	\$	Selection	Avg. Score	Rank
8	Spartina at Humboldt Bay	\$1M	-	47.8	5
8	Farallon Mouse Eradication	\$1M	-	54.8	3
4	Chinese Tallow at Wassaw	\$1M	-	43.1	6
4	Crocodile Lake Predator Exclusion and Control	\$1M	-	40.6	7
4	Culebra Restoration through Eradication	\$1M	-	36.5	8
2	Feral Swine at Wichita Mountains	\$1M	-	53.7	4
1	Conboy Lake American bullfrog eradication	\$1M	FY20	58.8	1
1	exclusion and eradication at Kilauea Point	\$1M	FY21	57.5	2

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"What gets us into trouble is not what we don't know. It's what we know for sure that just ain't so." - Mark Twain

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Subject: Regional Refuge Chiefs briefed: FY20, FY21 Large Invasive Species Allocation Rankings; Ok to let field know

Hi All,

I briefed the Regional Refuge Chiefs today on our team's rankings for the FY20, FY21 Large Invasive Species Allocation. The chiefs gave their concurrence.

It's now OK to share the results with the field, including forwarding the summary of scores and comments and briefing document (attached) to the stations that applied, so they can have feedback on their proposals.

Thank you, John

John Klavitter, MS

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