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**Subject:** Mitigation/Climate Change policy Compilation - due COB March  
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All,

We have been asked to compile a list of policies, manuals or guidance that address or are related to mitigation, climate change or GHGs. In particular any policies, guidance, instructions, or handbook related to or implementing CEQ's *Draft or Final* Guidance for Consideration of GHGs and the effects of Climate Change in NEPA reviews.

Thanks to our Solicitors for compiling a first draft of mitigation policies, manuals or guidance, available here:

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Please have your organizations review this list and include any policies, guidance, or handbooks that are not already listed that reference, implement, or relate to mitigation or climate change or GHGs. The goal is to be over-inclusive at this point, rather than exclusive. Please also provide a brief summary (couple of sentences) for ALL entries describing the purpose of each policy or guidance. OEPC has entered information on those policies we are responsible for, or which we have information on. You may wish to refer to those entries for examples of summaries to include.

Please have the information entered on the document available at the link provided NLT COB Thursday, March 30<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Carol Braegelmann [carol\\_braegelmann@ios.doi.gov](mailto:carol_braegelmann@ios.doi.gov) with any questions.

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All, Michaela Noble in OEPC will kindly serve as our person ultimately responsible for combining and unifying our document, so feel free to add to the link or send to her directly.

Re: DPW, I know Gary has submitted F&W mitigation info to the Secretary's office already.

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Thanks again.

On Tue, Mar 21, 2017 at 6:24 PM, Schindler, James <[james\\_schindler@ios.doi.gov](mailto:james_schindler@ios.doi.gov)> wrote:

Karen, Laura, Ann, Eric, and Keith,

Some bureaus have created or started a list of their mitigation policies, but we'd like a comprehensive source of all this information department-wide.

We want to compile a reference document listing what (if any) statute authorizes it; where it is found in our regs, reports, handbooks, IMs or implementation guidance; and finally, what type of mitigation (e.g. compensatory) it is.

We want to err on the side of over-inclusion so feel free to add anything in you think we may be missing. Each item just requires a summary with a few sentences.

Karen,I know Susan and Stephen have begun looking at this in the SOL office, and Lara Douglas at BLM.

Ideally, we'd like to get this information compiled within the next week.

Thanks everyone,

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