

Subject: [gbird] GBIRd and DARPA Updates

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Hi All,

Keeping the GBIRd program on track is a key responsibility of mine. With DARPA funding, it is required to receive continued funding.

I am planning to reconcile DARPA reporting processes with other GBIRd updates as much as possible. We have a GBIRd Conference Call coming up next week, so I wanted to share the reporting structure that is required by DARPA for awareness purposes (attached).

I will create a template a bit less arduous, for those not involved, but hopefully useful to those that are reporting for DARPA. Some key aspects to note:

- Sharing info with stakeholders (conservation community, geneticists etc.) is expected and we must show how we are doing this
 - This ties in nicely with our principle of 'Transparency', but it will take some work
- Engagement, Ethics and Regulatory activities should be communicated even if not funded by DARPA
- Biosafety compliance is necessary to communicate (again, fits nicely with our principles)

I am sure this will be an agenda item at our upcoming conference call (Aug 2 in AU, Aug 1 in US).

Warm Regards,
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