

# APPENDIX A: SAMPLE INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

## 1. Benefits

- A. Why did your group initially join this effort?
- B. Why do you continue to participate?
- C. Where would you like the group effort to be five years down the road, in terms of structure and accomplishments?
- D. If the \_\_\_\_\_ foundation funding disappeared, do you think the group would continue to meet?

## 2. Challenges

- A. What would you say has been the most significant challenge to working with this group?
- B. Did you run into problems setting the group agenda/priorities? Do you feel the group has a shared vision?
- C. Have issues of “turf” been a problem?
- D. Has group momentum been a problem? Is there adequate leadership?
- E. Has working with government partners presented any special challenges?
- F. Does working with the group take up a significant amount of your time?

## 3. Membership/Reactions

- A. Do your members generally support your involvement? Is there opposition to your being involved in a large-scale effort?
- B. Do you fear losing touch with your local support base?
- C. Do you fear losing touch with your original mission?
- D. Northern Rockies: What relationship do you see the collaboration having with Y2Y? Is an association with Y2Y problematic in your area?

## 4. Other

- A. Are there any other large-scale efforts underway that overlap?