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Committee to Assess Solar System Exploration  
National Research Council  
Keck Building, Room 110, Washington, DC  
February 22-24, 2007

## PROPOSED AGENDA

### Thursday, February 22, 2007

7:30 am *Continental Breakfast at Keck Room 110*

#### CLOSED SESSION

8:30 am Convene

#### OPEN SESSION

11:00 am NASA Perspective

Colleen Hartman, NASA

12:00 pm *Lunch (Lunch will be served in the meeting room, conversation can continue)*

1:00 pm Congressional Perspective and Request for Study

Richard Obermann, House Science Committee  
Ed Feddeman, House Science Committee  
Jean Toal Eisen, Senate Commerce, Science, and  
Transportation Committee  
Jeff Bingham, Senate Commerce, Science, and  
Transportation Committee

2:30 pm Break

2:45 pm NASA Perspective

Jim Green, NASA  
Doug McCuiston, NASA  
John Rummel, NASA Astrobiology

5:00 pm Adjourn for the day

6:00 pm *Committee Dinner*

### Friday, February 23, 2007

8:00 am *Breakfast at Keck Room 110*

#### CLOSED SESSION

8:45 am Reconvene

12:00 pm *Lunch (Lunch will be served in the meeting room, conversation can continue)*

**OPEN SESSION**

1:00 pm Defining the Science Agenda

Kevin Marvel, Executive Director, AAS  
Mark Sykes, Director, Planetary Science Institute  
Michael Belton, former chair of  
New Frontiers in the Solar System

*(Break at 3:00)*

5:00 pm Adjourn

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**Saturday, February 24, 2007**

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8:00 am *Breakfast at Keck Room 110*

**OPEN SESSION**

8:45 am Reconvene

Wes Huntress, Co-Chair  
Norine Noonan, Co-Chair

9:00 am The Astronomy and Astrophysics Performance  
Assessment (NAPA)

Martha Haynes (telecon)

**CLOSED SESSION**

10:00 am Committee Discussion

12:00 pm Adjourn