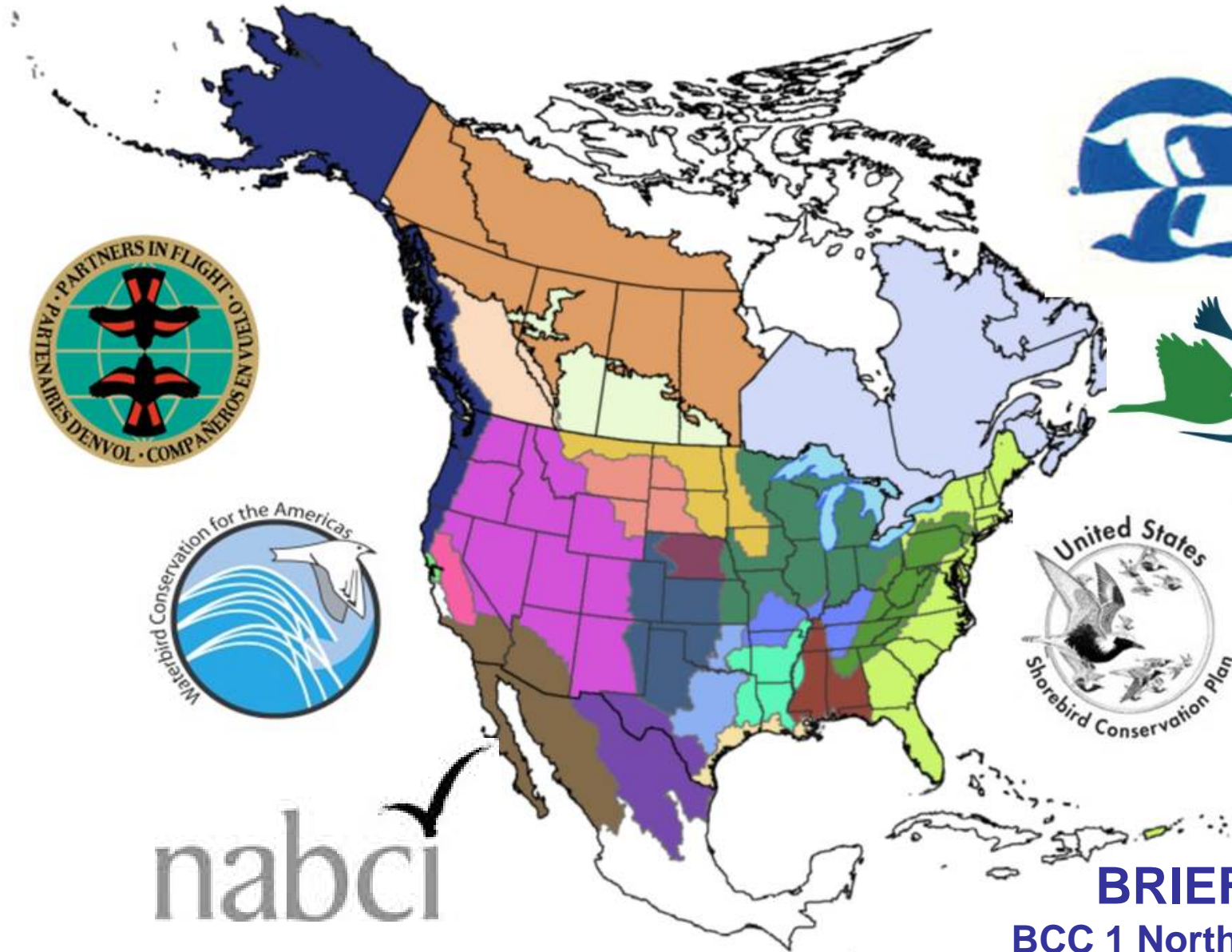


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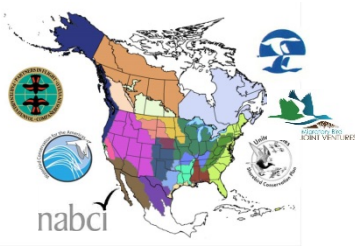


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# BRIEFING

## South Padre Island Bird Partnership Workshop



### BACKGROUND

- Moving forward from Dec 2008 Cavallo Point meeting
- JVs, BCPPs, and US NABCI submitted background information before the meeting
- Better coordinated and more effective all-bird conservation

### MEETING DESIGN and PROCESS

- A team of JV, BCPP and US NABCI developed meeting
- Year-long process with plan team meetings and outside planning sessions



## ***BRIEFING***

# **South Padre Island Bird Partnership Workshop**

## **WORKSHOP OUTCOMES**

- 70+ participants
- Clear recommendations
- Needed discussions across bird groups
- Think tank for the future

## **NEXT STEPS**

- Joint TRIST-PIF SCIENCE meeting
- Final report review
- Path forward

# North American Waterfowl Management Plan

Desired Characteristics for Habitat Joint Venture Partnerships  
An Evaluation of Progress w/Respect to the NAWMP

Element	Sub-Element	LMVJV	ACJV	CVJV	GCJV	PLJV	PCJV	RWBJV	UMRGLJV	IWJV	SFBJV	SJV	CHJV	EGCPJV	AMJV	OPJV
Organizational Performance	Coordination/Partnerships	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Management Board	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Budgeting/Granting/Admin Funding	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
Biological Planning	Technical Community	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Coordination/Partnerships	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Biological Planning Unit	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Priority Species	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Population Objectives	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Limiting Factors	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
Conservation Design	Species/Habitat Relationships	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Coordination/Partnerships	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Landscape/Habitat Characterization and Assessment	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Assessment of the Conservation Estate	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Decision Support Tools	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Habitat Objectives	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
Habitat Delivery	Integration of Avian Decision-Support Tools	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Coordination/Partnerships	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Program Objectives	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Conservation Actions	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
Monitoring	Delivery Capacity	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Coordination/Partnerships	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Conservation Tracking System	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Habitat Inventory and Monitoring Programs	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Population Monitoring Program	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
Research	Coordination/Partnerships	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Species/Habitat Model Assumptions	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Conservation Treatment Assumptions	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Sensitivity Analyses	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Spatial Data Analyses	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
Comm, Education and Outreach	Coordination/Partnerships	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Priority Audiences and Objectives	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Tactics and Products	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green
	Audience Assessment	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green



# WORKSHOP DESIGN & PROCESS



*Tues*

Partner Overviews

*Wed*

SCIENCE

COMMUNICATION

*Thurs*

SHARING TOOLS & RESOURCES  
( 5 rotations through 8 tables )

ORGANIZATIONAL FRAMEWORK

*Fri*

ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

JVs

NABCI

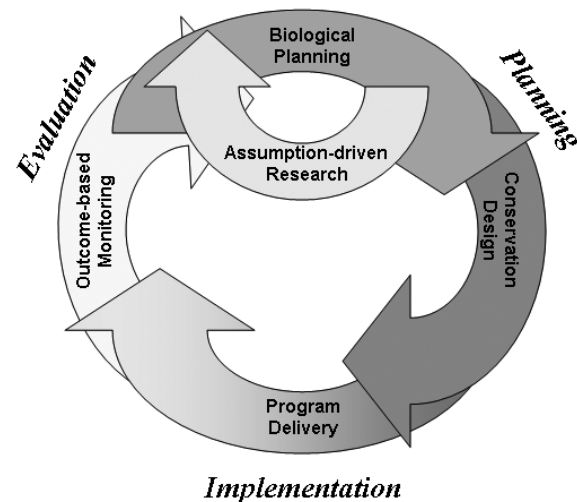
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Shorebirds  
Waterbirds

PIF

Outcomes

Next Steps



## OUTCOMES

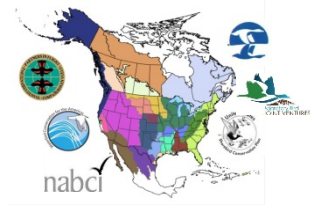
# *Recommendations from the Workshop*



- Explore the **unification of all science capacity** within the bird conservation community (e.g., TriST, NSST, PIF Science, waterbird and shorebird science)
  - Huge interest and commitment to have joint meetings and figure out how integration can happen
  - Integrate other initiatives with PIF database, AKN
- Fill the empty **coordinator positions**—US NABCI, PIF, and Waterbirds
  - Proactive, collaborative integrated
- Merge Human Dimensions and Communications capacity under US NABCI

## OUTCOMES

# *Recommendations from the Workshop*

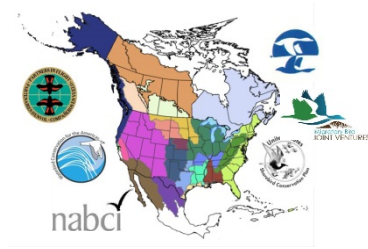


- Promote a **US NABCI with strong, driving leadership**
  - Comprehensive reconsideration of US NABCI committee membership
  - Association of Joint Venture Management Boards (AJVMB) consider aligning funding strategy more closely with US NABCI
- Identify strategy to increase communication with JV Coordinator, Bird Plan Coordinators and US NABCI
  - High interest just differing opinions on how to achieve- integrated team

## NEXT STEPS



## *The Path Forward*



- Workshop Planning Team will transition into Workshop Outcomes Oversight Team (WOOT)
- Debriefing occurred at US NABCI in February
- Workshop final report by April
- Conversations with governing bodies (PIF Science with PIF Steering, NSST with NAWMP Plan Committee, etc.)





## *Where do we go from here?*

- Re-hire US NABCI Coordinator
- Executive leadership and involvement for US NABCI
- Develop strategies to elevate relevancy and get directors engaged again in US NABCI



## *Where do we go from here?*

- Clarify roles and communication channels
  - Consistent delivery of messaging
- Create/ensure linkages across BCPP, JV and US NABCI plans- initiatives to facilitate integration
- US NABCI Communications committee re-established
- US NABCI HD Committee to address social science needs and broadening support



## *Next steps*



- Hire BCPP Coordinators to facilitate integration of science teams
- Build social science and communication capacity in conjunction with US NABCI
- Workshop Summary out to partners with priority steps identified
- Workshop is viewed as just the first step
- Success means we all keep moving the conversation and commitments forward