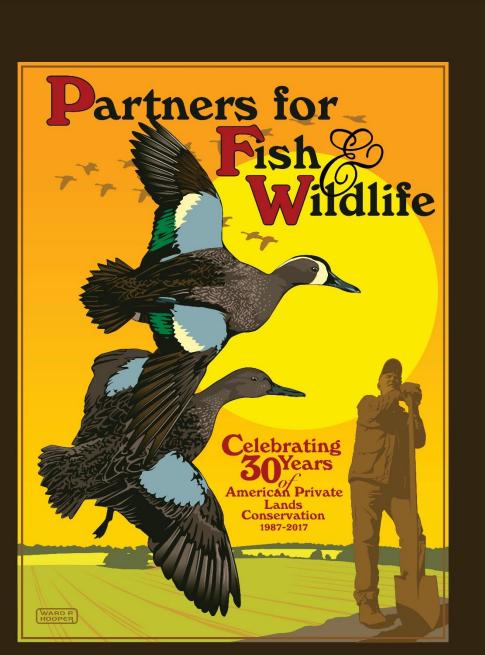


## Partners for Fish and Wildlife Program

Indiana Overview



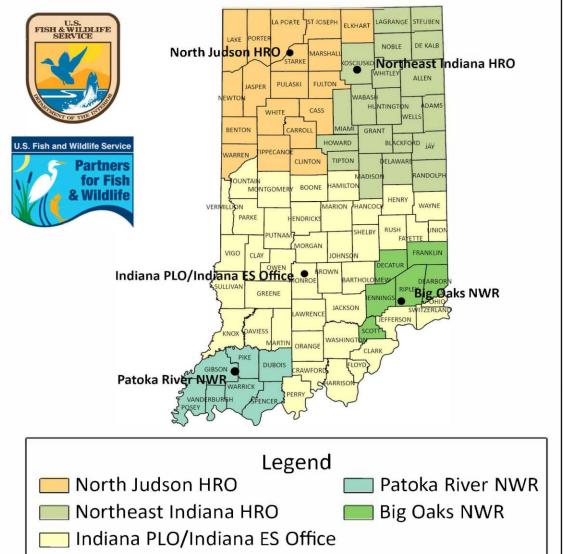








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### Goals:

- Conserve Habitat
- Broaden and Strengthen Partnerships
- Improve Information Sharing and Communication
- Enhance Our Workforce
- Increase Accountability

### Focal Species



Waterfowl

Migratory birds in Decline





Pollinators





Listed and At-risk species









## **Priority Habitats**







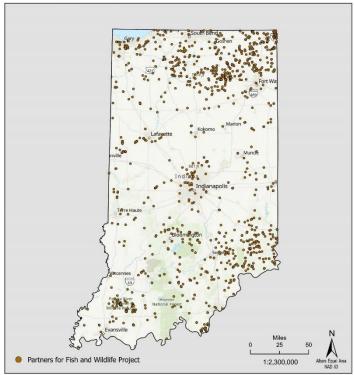






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Indiana Completed Accomplishments (FY2003-FY2023)



Produced by the Branch of Habitat Restoration Map Date: July 8, 2024 Data Source: ECOS Module, Habitat Information Tracking System (HabiTS)

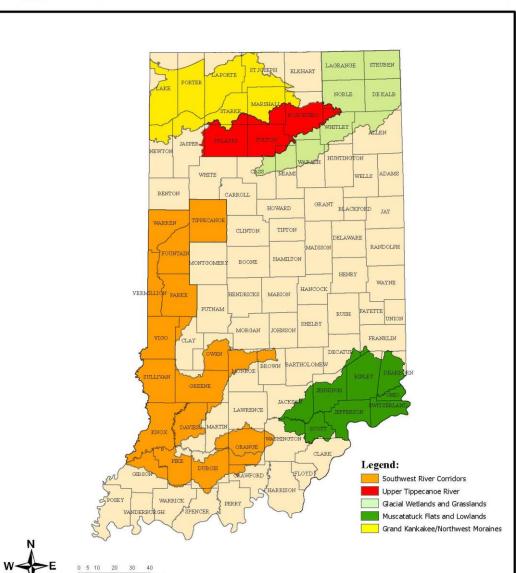
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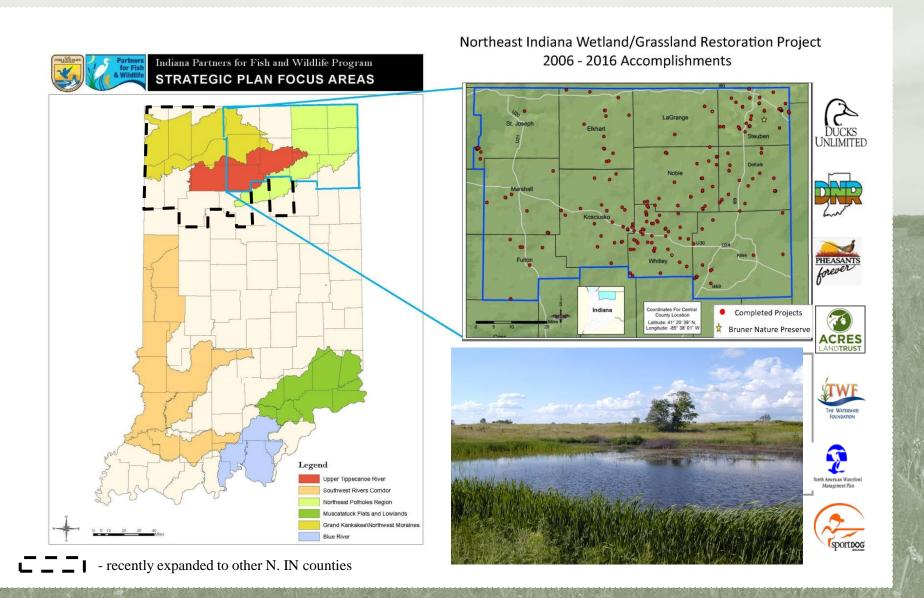




## Partners for Fish and Wildlife Program – General Criteria

- Private and local/county public lands eligible (e.g. individuals, NGOs, land trusts, corporate lands, parks)
- Projects must benefit Federal Trust Resources (e.g. migratory birds, T&E species, pollinators, NWR lands)
- Emphasis on PFW geographic focus areas (some flexibility)
- No cropping history required 5 ac. min. size for grasslands (except for schools/educational sites); can be smaller for other habitat types
- 10-year minimum landowner agreements (15-yr for trees)
- Typically 50-100% cost-share on avg. (depending on other funding partners involved)
- Varying options for providing cost-share

### Northern Indiana NAWCA Partnerships

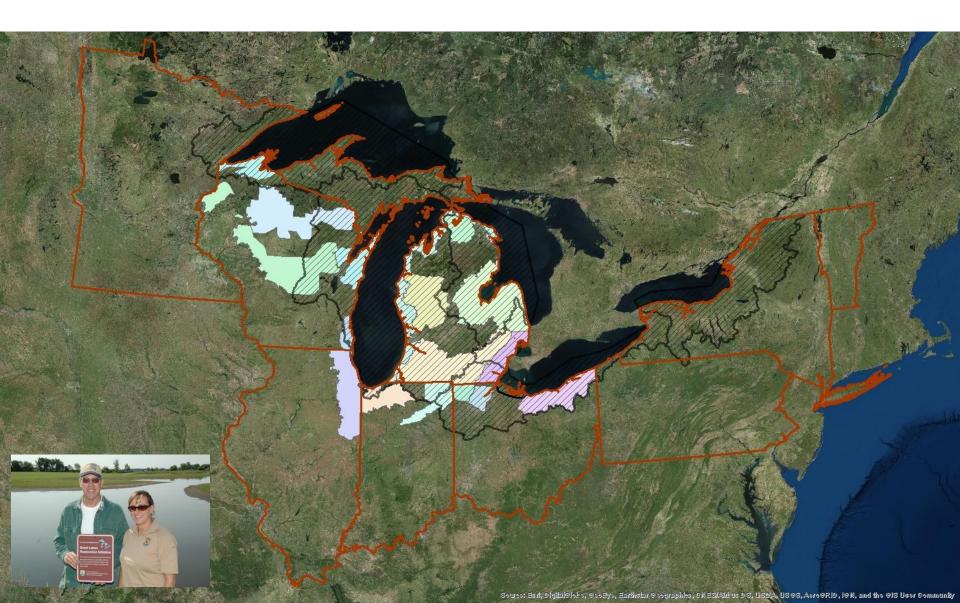






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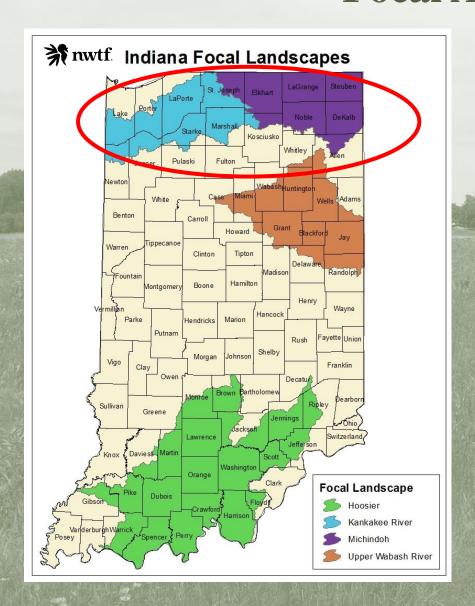


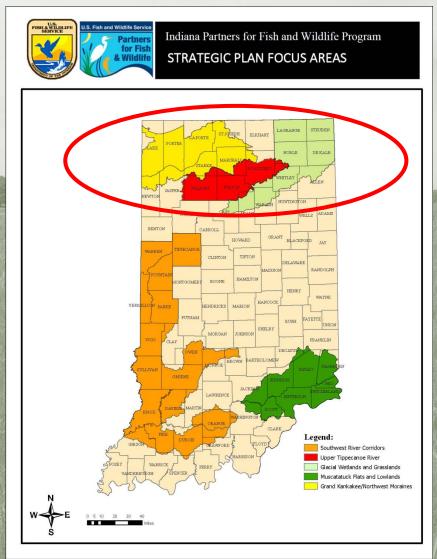


# NWTF/USFWS MOU Focal Areas









# Pollinator Habitat/Education Opportunities in the Urban Landscape



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