

### TurningPoint Results

## Round 2 Stakeholder Input NAWMP Revision Workshop

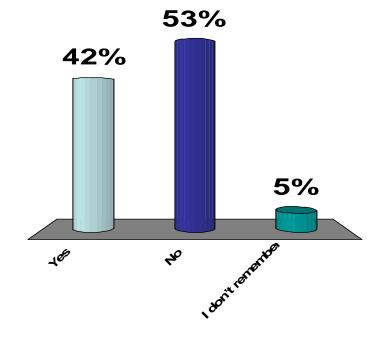
Denver, December 7, 2010





### I attended a Round 1 workshop

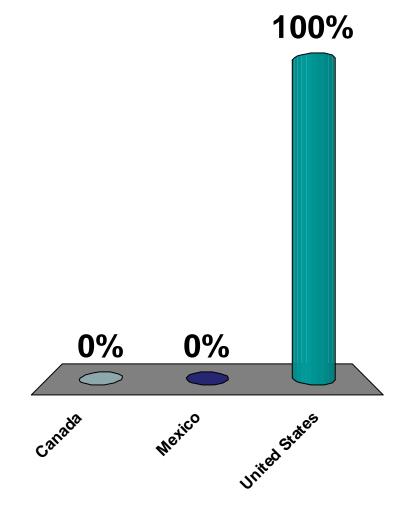
- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 3. I don't remember





### What is your country of residence?

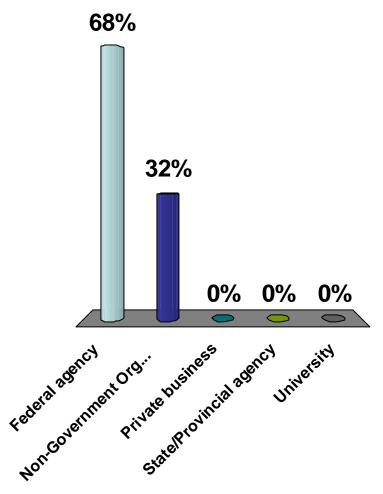
- 1. Canada
- 2. Mexico
- 3. United States





## What is your primary employment affiliation?

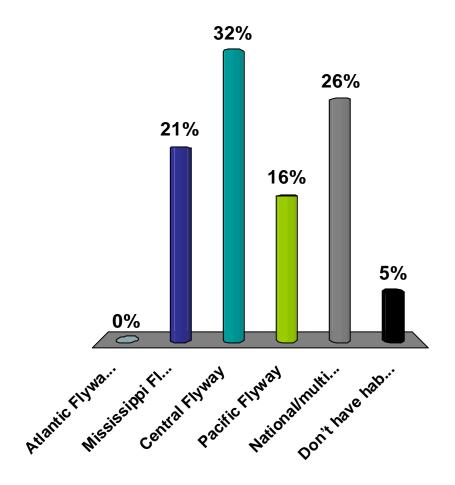
- 1. Federal agency
- 2. Non-Government Organization
- 3. Private business
- 4. State/Provincial agency
- 5. University





Which *ONE* best describes the geography for which you have waterfowl *habitat* responsibilities?

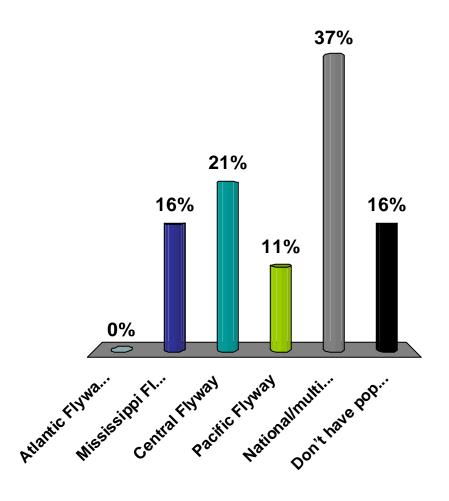
- Atlantic Flyway
- 2. Mississippi Flyway
- 3. Central Flyway
- 4. Pacific Flyway
- National/multiple Flyways
- 6. Don't have habitat responsibilities





Which *ONE* best describes the geography for which you have waterfowl *population* responsibilities?

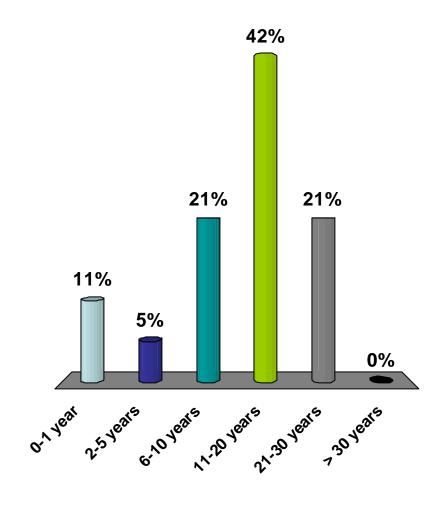
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## How long have you been active in waterfowl management?

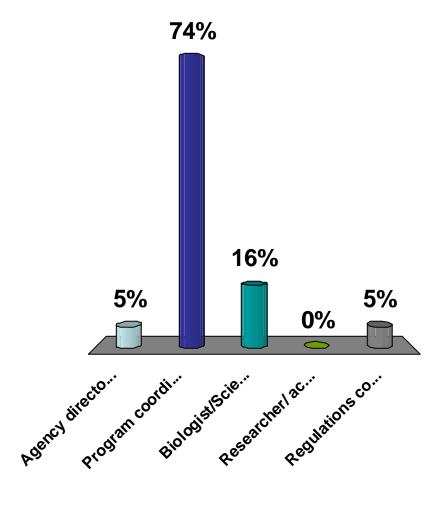
- 1. 0-1 year
- 2. 2-5 years
- 3. 6-10 years
- 4. 11-20 years
- 5. 21-30 years
- 6. > 30 years





## Which <u>one</u> hat do you most frequently wear when it comes to waterfowl management?

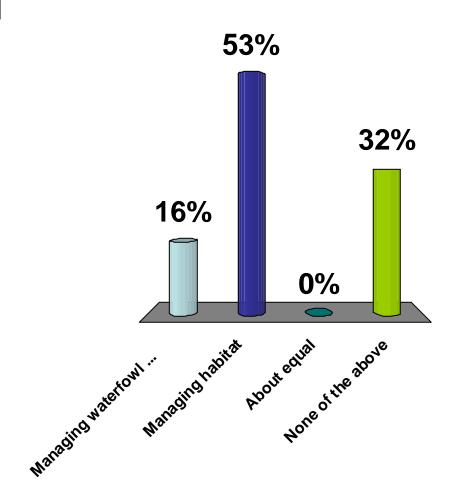
- Agency director/ executive director
- Program coordinator or administrator
- 3. Biologist/Scientist
- 4. Researcher/ academic
- 5. Regulations committee member





#### I spend most of my time on...

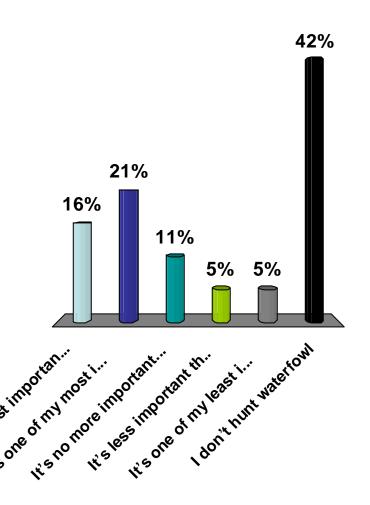
- 1. Managing waterfowl populations (sport harvest, subsistence take, take to reduce population size)
- 2. Managing habitat
- 3. About equal
- 4. None of the above





### How important is waterfowl hunting to you?

- It's my most important recreational activity
- It's one of my most important recreational activities
- 3. It's no more important than my other recreational activities
- It's less important than my other recreational activities
- 5. It's one of my least important recreational activities
- 6. I don't hunt waterfowl





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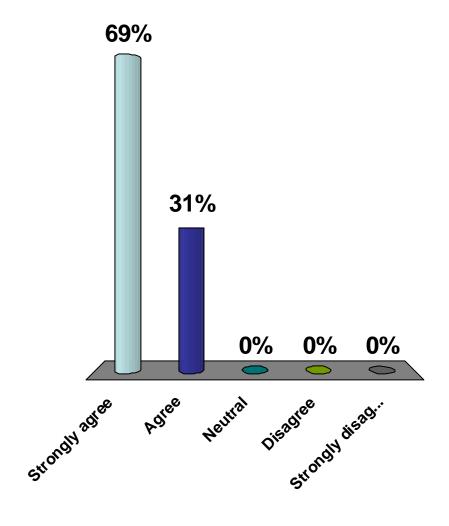
**Objectives** 





## It is important that NAWMP has quantitative (numerical) objectives

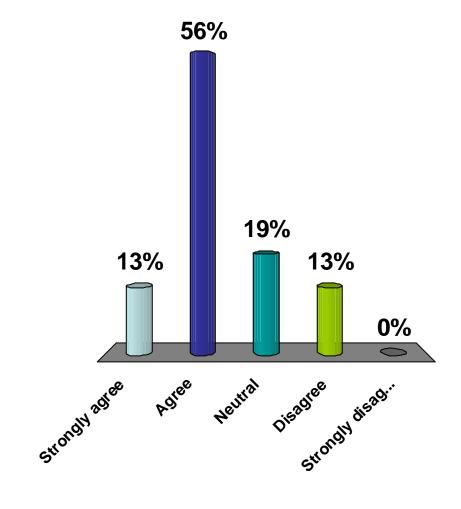
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It makes sense to have quantifiable objectives for each of the four fundamental objectives.

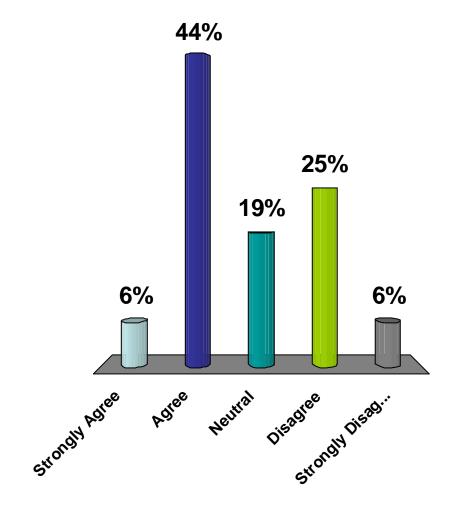
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The current NAWMP population objectives are adequate to guide waterfowl conservation into the future.

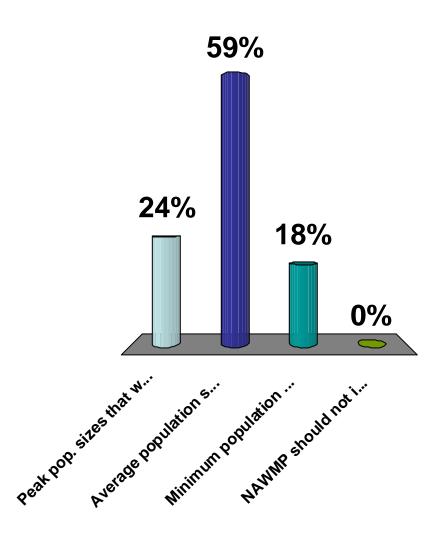
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### What is the most appropriate form of a numeric <u>population</u> objective for NAWMP?

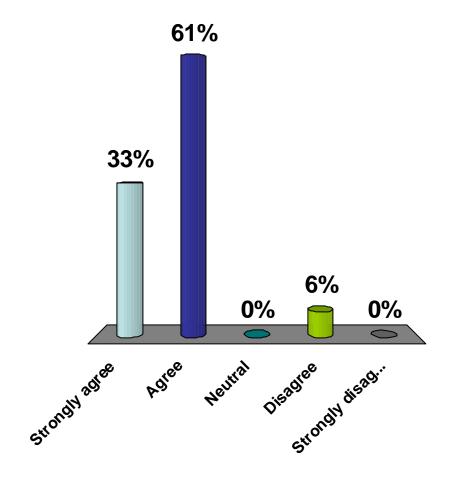
- Peak pop. sizes that will be achieved periodically when habitat conditions are good
- Average population sizes over a period of years
- Minimum population sizes maintained even when habitat conditions are poor
- 4. NAWMP should not include numeric population objectives





NAWMP should include continental-scale, numeric <u>distribution</u> objectives for breeding, migration and wintering areas.

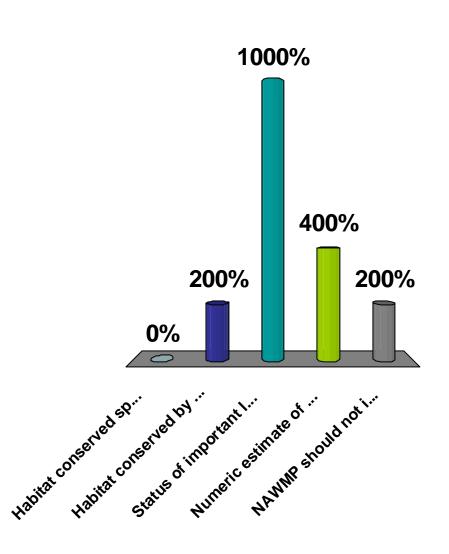
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### What is the most appropriate form of a numeric <u>habitat</u> objective for NAWMP?

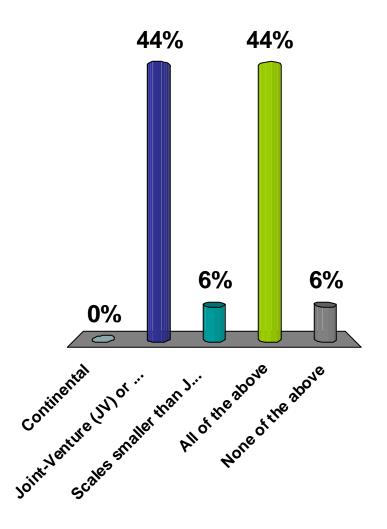
- Habitat conserved specifically for waterfowl conservation
- Habitat conserved by all conservation efforts, whether or not targeted for waterfowl
- 3. Status of important landscape features needed to sustain waterfowl pops, incorporating both habitat gains & losses
- 4. Numeric estimate of waterfowl carrying capacity
- 5. NAWMP should not include numeric habitat objectives





Numeric habitat objectives should be employed on the following scales:

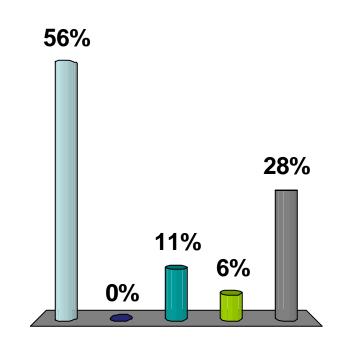
- Continental
- Joint-Venture (JV) or Bird Conservation Region (BCR)
- 3. Scales smaller than JV's or BCR's
- 4. All of the above
- 5. None of the above

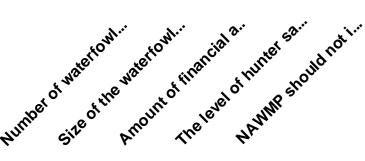




## What is the most appropriate form of a numeric waterfowl hunting objective for NAWMP?

- Number of waterfowl hunters and/or days afield
- Size of the waterfowl harvest
- Amount of financial and policy support provided by waterfowl hunters
- The level of hunter satisfaction as determined by surveys
- NAWMP should not include numeric waterfowl hunting objectives

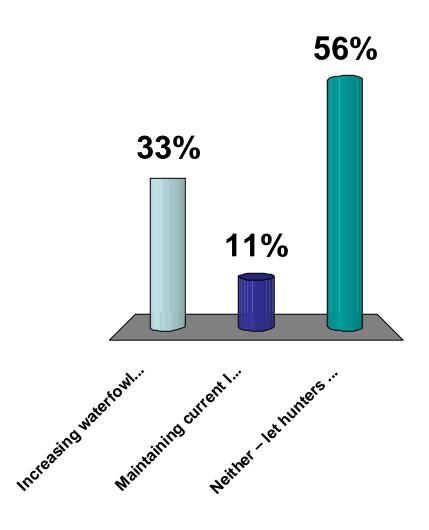






#### NAWMP should set an objective of:

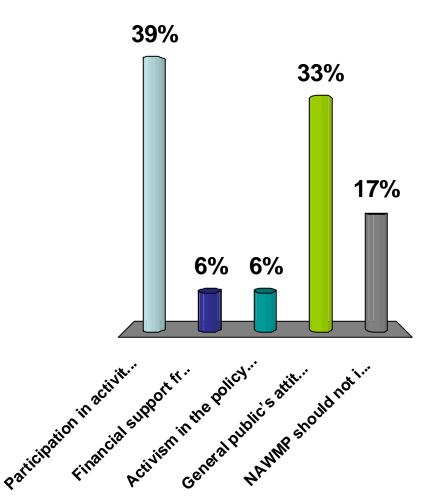
- Increasing waterfowl hunters and/or hunting activity
- Maintaining current levels of hunters and/or hunting activity
- Neither let hunters and/or hunting activity fluctuate as it may





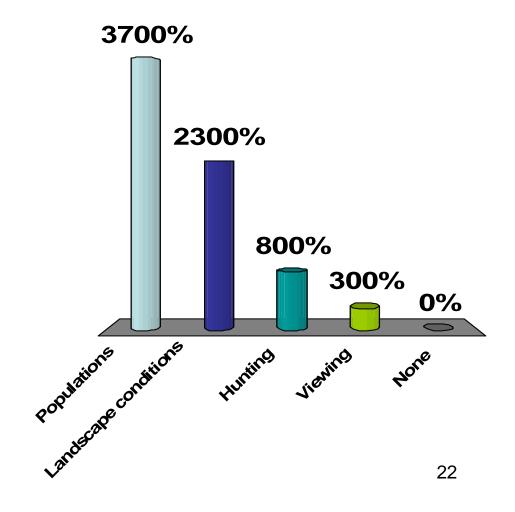
### What is the most appropriate form of a numeric <u>waterfowl</u> <u>viewing and enjoyment</u> objective for NAWMP?

- Participation in activities associated with viewing/enjoying waterfowl
- 2. Financial support from waterfowl viewers
- 3. Activism in the policy arena by those who view and enjoy but don't hunt waterfowl
- 4. General public's attitude towards waterfowl conservation
- 5. NAWMP should not include numeric waterfowl viewing and enjoyment objectives



Of the four fundamental objectives, it is most important that we have clear numeric objectives for (4 votes total):

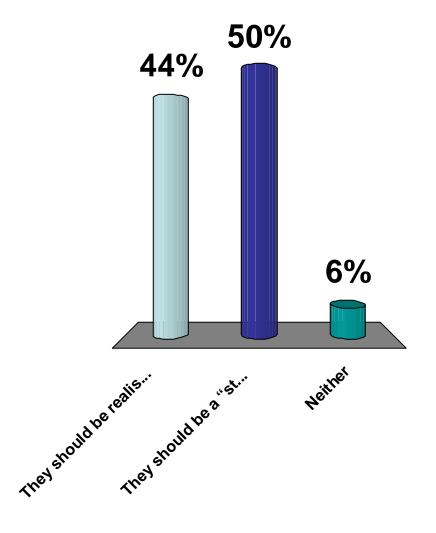
- 1. Populations
- 2. Landscape conditions
- 3. Hunting
- 4. Viewing
- 5. None





## Which of these most closely reflects your philosophy about objectives?

- They should be realistic & achievable
- 2. They should be a "stretch" that will be a challenge to achieve
- 3. Neither





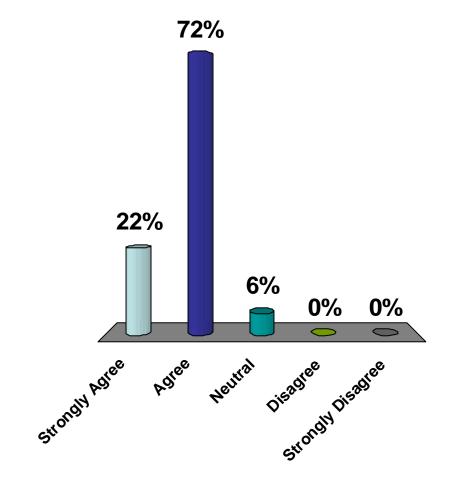
### Workshop Evaluation





Workshop goal 1 "To summarize Round 1 workshop results and provide an update on the Plan Revision process" was met.

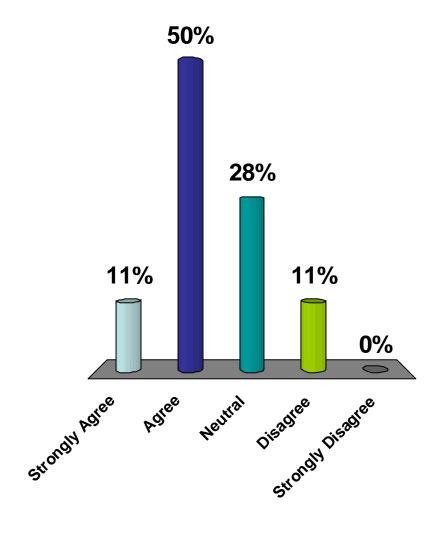
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Workshop goal 2 "To clarify the fundamental objectives and associated measurable attributes" was met.

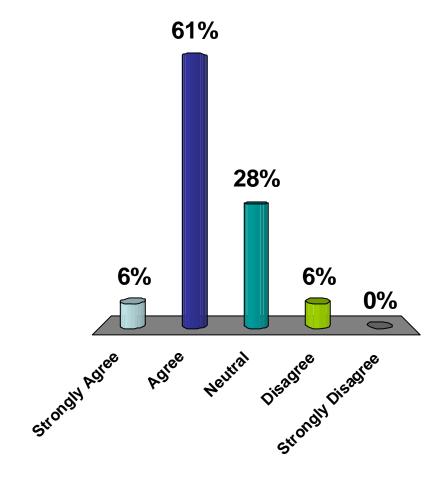
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Workshop goal 3 "To seek input on the values associated with the fundamental objectives" was met.

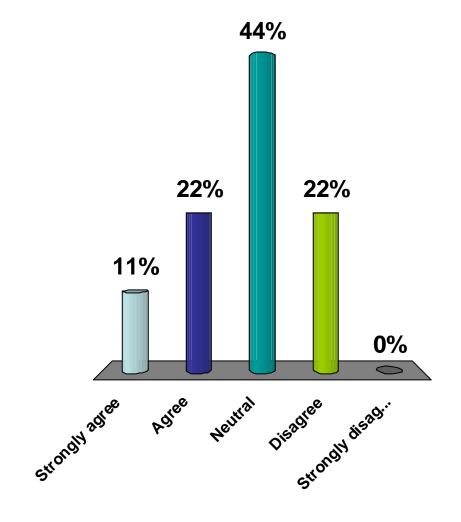
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Workshop goal 4 "To discuss how best to formulate new objectives in the Plan Revision" was met.

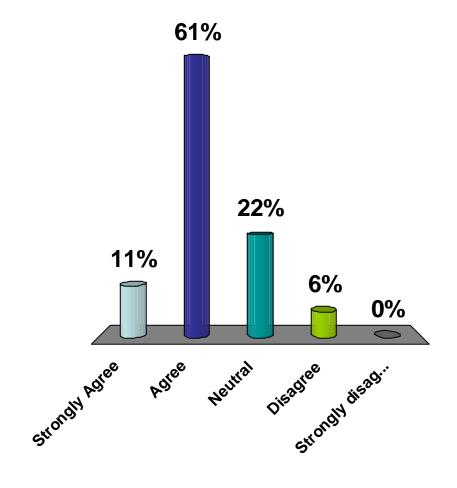
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Workshop goal 5 "To initiate discussion of institutions and processes that will facilitate integrated waterfowl management" was met.

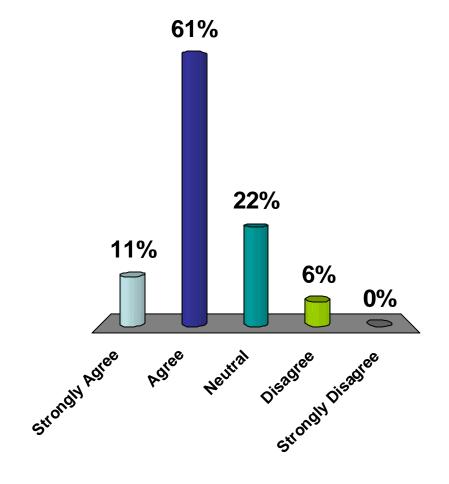
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Workshop goal 6 "To provide feedback to the NAWMP Plan Committee as they move forward with the Plan Revision" was met.

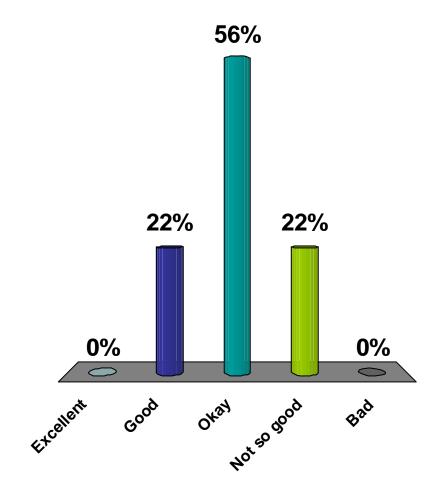
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How do you feel about the Revision process as described at this meeting?

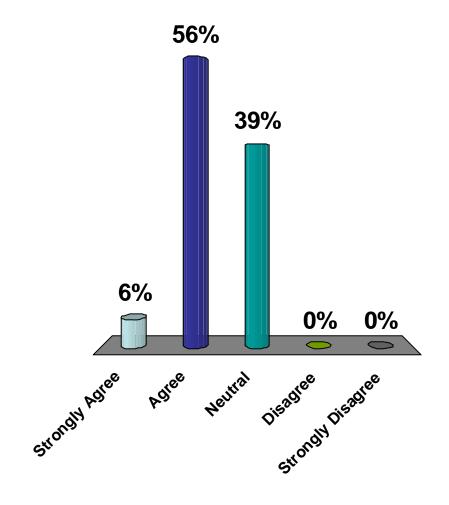
- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Okay
- 4. Not so good
- 5. Bad





#### Overall, I thought this workshop was a success

- 1. Strongly Agree
- 2. Agree
- 3. Neutral
- 4. Disagree
- 5. Strongly Disagree





# Thank you for your participation

