

**Pacific Flyway Study Committee  
NAWMP Revision Workshop Summary  
February 2010**

Preferred Wording of NAWMP Plan Purpose

The purpose of the Plan is to sustain abundant waterfowl populations through habitat conservation while preserving the traditions of wildfowling and achieving broad benefits to biodiversity, ecosystem processes and the people of North America.

Preferred Wording of SDM Problem Statement

Key habitats continue to experience pressures that affect their capacity to support abundant waterfowl, compelling the waterfowl community to develop and achieve habitat objectives in a manner that is more explicitly-linked to waterfowl populations.

(Alternate wording) NAWMP should remain focused on waterfowl habitat programs, and the waterfowl conservation community needs to develop additional frameworks to integrate waterfowl harvest management programs and support waterfowl hunting traditions more effectively.

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	Check one category for each row		
	Fundamental Objective	Means Objective	Reworded from Original Objective
1. Promote a waterfowl conservation ethic in the general public		X	X
2. Maximize waterfowl harvest		X	
3. Maximize hunter satisfaction and opportunity		X	X
4. Promote non-consumptive uses of waterfowl		X	
5. Maintain landscapes capable of sustaining waterfowl populations in perpetuity with associated ecological benefits.	X		X
6. Increase the understanding of ecological mechanisms driving changes in waterfowl abundance and waterfowl landscapes		X	
7. Expand the sources and amount of funding for waterfowl conservation activities		X	
8. Support the tradition of waterfowling	X		X
12. Manage overabundant populations to reduce any detrimental effects (e.g. depredation, habitat destruction)		X	X
13. Maintain/establish regulations that are simple and support high compliance rates among hunters		X	
14. Maintain viable waterfowl populations as part of the North American fauna	X		
17. Increase waterfowl hunter participation		X	
20. Ensure cooperation among jurisdictions (state, flyway, partners, etc.).		X	
22. Maximize the efficiency and effectiveness of the infrastructure and funding for waterfowl conservation		X	
27. Minimize mortality from disease and contaminants		X	X
28. Achieve a broad fall and winter distribution of waterfowl		X	X
29. Unify harvest and habitat management objectives		X	X
30. Incorporate human dimensions into waterfowl management decisions		X	X
31. Provide public education and communications efforts		X	X

Original candidate objectives not shown were considered to part of objectives above

**PFSC: Fundamental-Means Linkages**

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