



NFHP Action Plan Revision and Schedule

April 1, 2020

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Desired outcome:

- **Board understands** NFHP Action Plan status and edits to examine.
- **Board understanding and approval** of the NFHP Action Plan revision schedule.



Writing Team Members

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- **Gary Whelan**
- Eric Macmillan
- Daniel Wieferich
- Doug Beard
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Key Draft Action Plan Changes

- Shortened by removing items not core to the plan (i.e. Science and Data Strategy)
- Edited goals
- Consolidated objectives
 - Removed objective on National Conservation Strategy Development and consolidated into first objective
 - Added objective on increasing public and private investments in fish habitat conservation
 - Merged community of support and communication objectives



Revised Action Plan Objectives:

1. **Achieve** measurable habitat conservation results through strategic actions of Fish Habitat Partnerships, consistent with the National Conservation Strategies established in 2013.
2. **Broaden** the community of support for fish habitat conservation.
3. **Complete** fish habitat assessments and other analyses that are necessary to strategically identify and prioritize implementation of fish habitat conservation actions and provide a data support system to ensure all partners have access to these data.
4. **Increase** public and private investments in fish habitat conservation.



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- Highlighted need for Board work plan
- Improved NFHP graphic on organization
- Reduced the need to change Board member names
- Updated FHP vignettes and facts



Revision Action Plan Schedule

- **April 1** – Outline Draft Action Plan changes and highlight areas for Board comment and input
- **Early April** – Full Draft Action Plan will be provided to Board
- **May 15** – Board comments and suggested edits on Draft Action Plan due to Core Writing Team
- **June 24** – Board Conference Call – Review and discuss any remaining concerns or unresolved issues
- **August 14** – Completed Draft Action Plan provided to Board
- **October Board Meeting** – Board action on Draft Action Plan

Request Board approval of revised schedule



NFHP Action Plan Work Plan Development

April 1, 2020

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- Board awareness and discussion of a work plan to implement Action Plan objectives.
- Form a small working group to develop draft work plan.



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Excerpt from the **biennial FHP Action Plan:**

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Working group members will:

- Work with staff, Committees, and FHPs to develop 1-2 SMART tasks under each of the 4 Action Plan objectives.

S – specific

M – measurable

A – achievable

R – realistic

T – timely



Next Steps

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Any volunteers?

- **May 15** – Board committee will provide comments on Draft Action Plan due to Core Writing Team.
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