

## Wildlife Action Plans

### Managing Information to Support Conservation Strategies

## Status

- State Strategies approval process began in October 2005
- Many states working on implementation
- OFWIM Conferences used as forum
  - Relationship with AFWA
  - Kick off in OFWIM meeting in Rapid City
  - Sessions in following years
  - Ad-hoc working group formed in 2005

## Information Management Issues

- Data availability/exposure
- Data sharing between states
- Updating the Data
- Using the Data
- Tracking Plan implementation and monitoring success

## Where we are

- AFWA and OFWIM coordination efforts
- Data Coordinators Identified
- AFWA RFP for data roll-up
- Continued focus at OFWIM on Plans

## Today's Session

- Updates from several states on activities associated with the plans
- Focus on where we are/where we want to go
- Discussion on:
  - Continued role of information managers in the Wildlife Action Plan process
  - Role OFWIM wants to play