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Thanks Brett. Looking forward to seeing you next week.

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Noreen--I wanted to get this to you as well. It is the same template / assessment that I sent you earlier but the contents that I typed in have been updated w/ the review of Dawn and Dave on our SageCon team. Here it is, straight up and unvarnished.
Regards, and see you in Las Vegas.
-Brett

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Brett,

Attached is the status assessment with contributions from myself and Dave Budeau, ODFWs Upland Game Bird Coordinator. I addressed my comments on the first population tab only, but you can incorporate them as you see fit in the other tabs. Overall I didn't find any major issues but believe the urban/exurban development ranking should be something less than 6.

Also, the Klamath population is all that remains of a population that once extended from northern California through southern Oregon. There are no PACs mapped for this population in Oregon because sage-grouse are thought to be extirpated in Oregon and we presently aren't including the Klamath population in the SageCon "all lands" plan.

Let me know if you need any additional info or have questions – thanks,

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