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Subject:	GRSG: Additional changes to the Working current range/MZ file
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Hi Jim,

Hope you had a nice break from work.

We had emailed a while back about modifications to the "GRSG_2015_StatusReview_WORKING_CurrentRangeMZ.shp" file, which is used for calculating intersects of threats/conservation actions within range by MZ. Basically, you were going to update the range to the new range based on Kevin's distribution, while keeping the same structure, but split MZ I into two polygons, Canada and U.S.

You had said to let you know if there were other changes that would be helpful to have made.

Given the new guidance from the SLT, see the products list and tables, we will need to have a field in the shapefile that can provide total acreage of range within each MZ to use as a denominator when calculating percent. Would it be possible for you to dissolve the file to each individual MZ and recalculate the "Acres" field, so that we can pull the denominator from that field? Or you could add a new field and provide the this total acreage value for the appropriate MZ rows.

If this doesn't make sense, we can discuss during the meeting.

Thanks,
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