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Thanks Pat. SGI looks forward to getting these layers as soon as they're available. We still plan on reporting our work according to COT and PACs but it sounds like our ability to do so will depend upon availability of these layers.

Casey Kruse, man among men—we go way back! Dave

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HI Dave -

The GIS guru is Jim Lindstrom (how did you know it wasn't me? :)), but he likely won't give it to you until we 1) finalize the PAC boundaries and 2) get permission from the state folks that provided the data. I don't anticipate any problems with your request however. Jim is copied on this e-mail. Also, realize that the C1 - C4 status may change following our responses to peer review comments.

I'll take any help you can give! Sorry I missed you last week! Casey Kruse sends his greetings.

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Hey Pat,

MY QUESTION: Can you contact me with your GIS guru so we can quickly obtain the COT and PAC digital boundaries for use in analysis?

BACKGROUND: Following the recent Governor's Sage Grouse Task Force, SGI will align our annual data call reporting with population status from the COT report (e.g., NRCS practices and investments in C1 – C4s) and within PACs (e.g., % of practices within priority habitat).

We want to make the Service's job easier and provide our own gut check to ensure our implementation is solid well in advance of the PECE process.

Thanks, Naugle

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