Environmental Process Overview

As required by the National Environmental Policy Act, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service is preparing an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) to evaluate alternatives related to an Endangered Species Act incidental take permit that the Service may issue for the Oil & Gas Coalition Multi-State Habitat Conservation Plan.

SCOPING

Issue Notice of Intent in Federal Register

Conduct Public Scoping Meetings

Compile Scoping Comments

Data Collection and Analysis to Evaluate Alternatives

DRAFT EIS

Prepare and Release Draft EIS

Hold Public Meetings

FINAL EIS

Respond to Comments on Draft EIS

Prepare and Release Final EIS

RECORD OF DECISION

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Makes Final Decision