

**From:** [Wiechman, Lief](#)  
**To:** [Heller, Matthew](#)  
**Cc:** [Justin Welty](#); [Hollar, Kathy](#); [Holly Freifeld](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Partners Program Data Review in the CED  
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Agreed - now stop checking your email, and get some rest. We need you healthy so we can continue to work you into the ground ;)

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On Wed, Feb 25, 2015 at 9:15 AM, Heller, Matthew <[matthew\\_heller@fws.gov](mailto:matthew_heller@fws.gov)> wrote:  
Only pillows and ice? You're tough! Glad to hear it was a success!

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On Wed, Feb 25, 2015 at 9:05 AM, Justin Welty <[jwelty@usgs.gov](mailto:jwelty@usgs.gov)> wrote:  
Yup I won't be of much use till tomorrow and then won't be back till Friday. Knee surgery was a success. Just resting with lots of pillows and ice right now.

Justin

On Feb 25, 2015, at 7:15 AM, Hollar, Kathy <[kathy\\_hollar@fws.gov](mailto:kathy_hollar@fws.gov)> wrote:

Just got an auto message from Justin and he's out until Friday.  
Matt, if you're still available, I'd still like to talk.

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On Wed, Feb 25, 2015 at 6:13 AM, Hollar, Kathy <[kathy\\_hollar@fws.gov](mailto:kathy_hollar@fws.gov)> wrote:  
THANKS Justin. I have another idea for the miles/acres issue, basically establishing a buffer distance (e.g. 30 or 50 feet) for

the riparian projects and using that to calculate an acreage figure. Given that these are all habitat restoration: restoration or improved grazing management practices, I think this generalization will be OK for status review purposes. Holly/Lief, please let us know if you think otherwise.

Justin & Matt, if you're both still available, can we use the 9:00/10:00 time to discuss the last few changes to the PFW data?

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On Mon, Feb 23, 2015 at 7:42 AM, Welty, Justin <[jwelty@usgs.gov](mailto:jwelty@usgs.gov)> wrote:

See responses in red below, I actually have something resembling time again. Please give me a call or email if you have questions.

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On Fri, Feb 13, 2015 at 6:51 PM, Hollar, Kathy <[kathy\\_hollar@fws.gov](mailto:kathy_hollar@fws.gov)> wrote:

Hi Justin, this message is 90% for you.  
Hi Holly and Lief, just keeping you in the loop.

Can we change the Org name from Region 1 RO to Partners for Fish and Wildlife Program?

**Done, anyone besides you who wants to edit these data will need to change their office settings. Viewing the data at veiwwproject will be fine but editdata will require a change for other FWS users.**

And, some folks still used landowner names in their effort title, I changed the super obvious ones. Wish I had thought

of this earlier, but would it be possible to change the PFW effort names to keep all the numbers (HabITS project # + Accomp #) delete the descriptions and replace with the words "Private Lands." If that's too much to ask too late in the game, I understand.

**I changed the names in the database and they will appear on the website correctly. However, within the Science Base folder structure the names are still the old ones. This really isn't a huge deal as the CED doesn't display them and you can't really see them but if we get a FOIA they might come through. The task of changing those ones is somewhat tedious and something I don't have a lot of time for right now. If you could find someone who could do the work I could work up a set of instructions to walk them through the process.**

For projects that entered miles when they should have entered acres, I can add the acres, but can't delete the miles. Hopefully you can do that on your end.

**Done, the miles have been removed.**

Also, it was faster for me to approve as a batch, and then go back and edit. That will also make it easier for me to have field folks review the buffered/wobbled info.

Our PFW HabITS database doesn't have the info I need to convert riparian miles to acres, so I'll need to go back to the field for that info. This means there are still 36 PFW efforts that are not correct. Is it possible to "un approve" those while I'm waiting on that info from the field?

**I need to know which ones (Project IDs) you still need to update then I can go in and tweak it.**

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