

An Overview of the Conservation Policy Office and Near-Term Priorities

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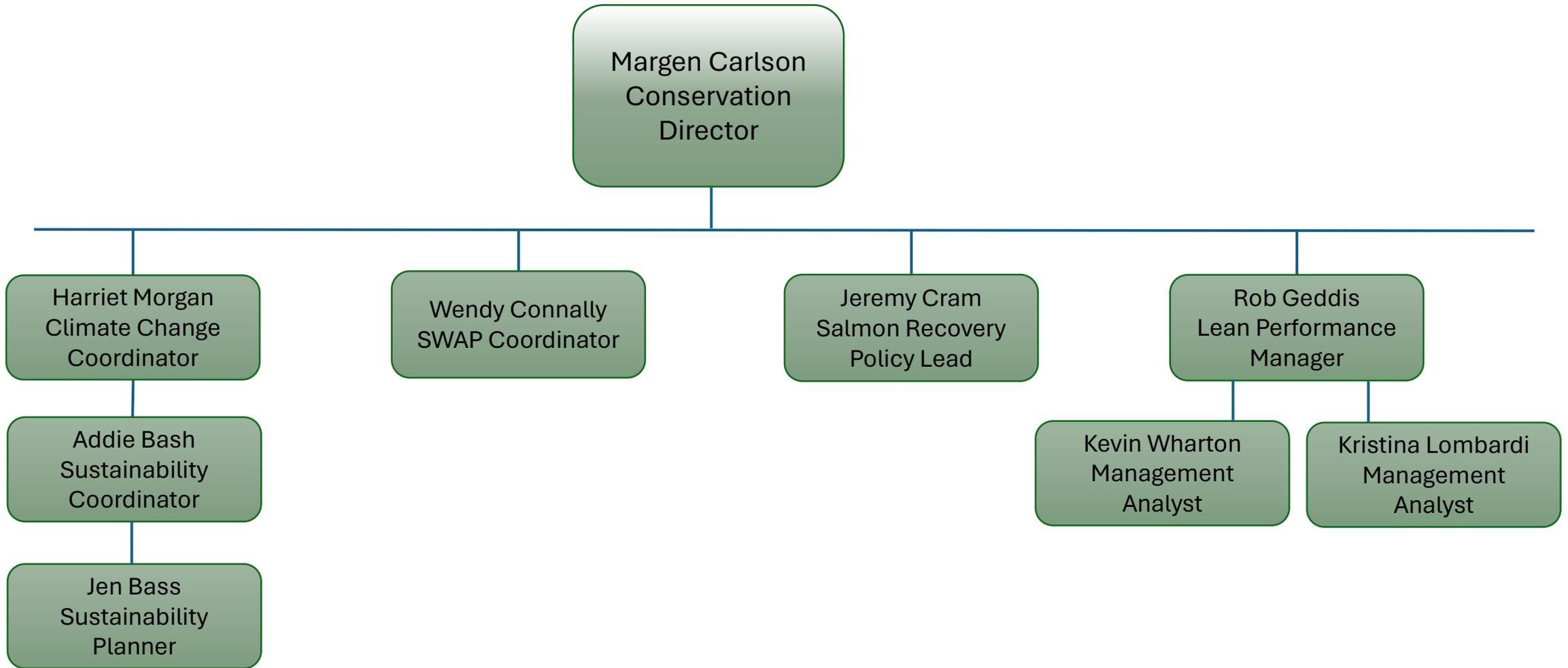
What will this briefing cover?

- Introductions
- What does the Conservation Director do?
- What are the current priorities?
- What does the Conservation Policy Team do?



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Conservation Team



What does the Conservation Director do?

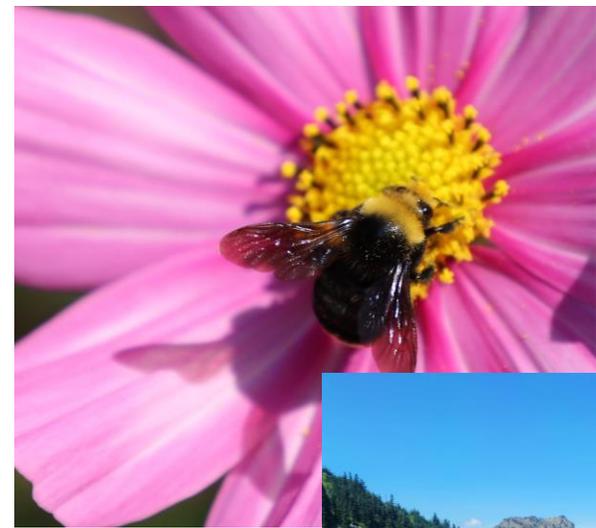
- Develops and maintains WDFW's conservation vision, and unifies diverse people to increase the pace and scale of conservation
- Develops and tracks implementation of the agency strategic plan
- Leads cross-program change management on conservation issues to manage risk and maximize opportunity
 - Be clear about objectives, and relationship to plans
 - Collaborate with Programs to identify and implement solutions, prepare for Program normal operations



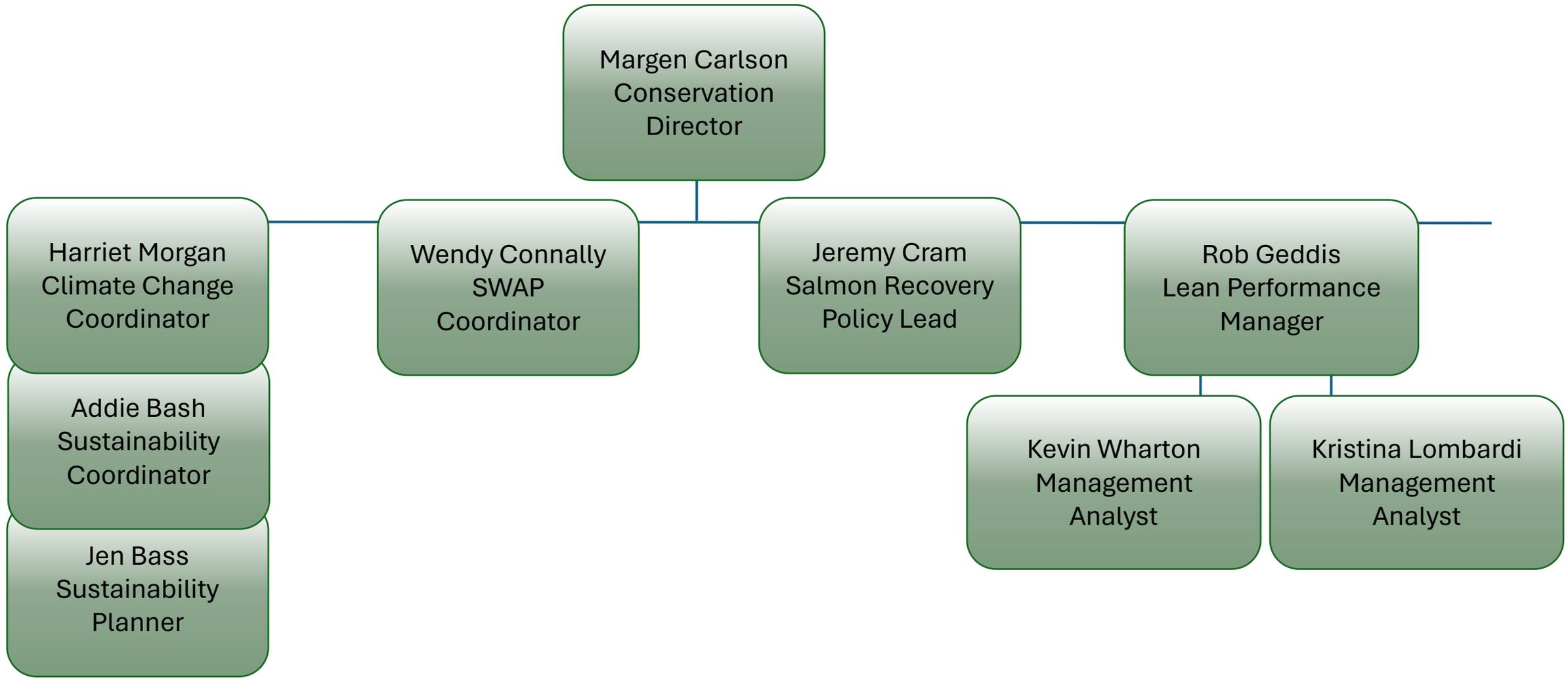
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What are current priorities?

- Update State Wildlife Action Plan
- Implement Legislative Net Ecological Gain proviso
- Engage in riparian policy roundtable with state, tribes, and stakeholders
- Collaborate with and guide Conservation Policy Team
- Meet with teams throughout WDFW



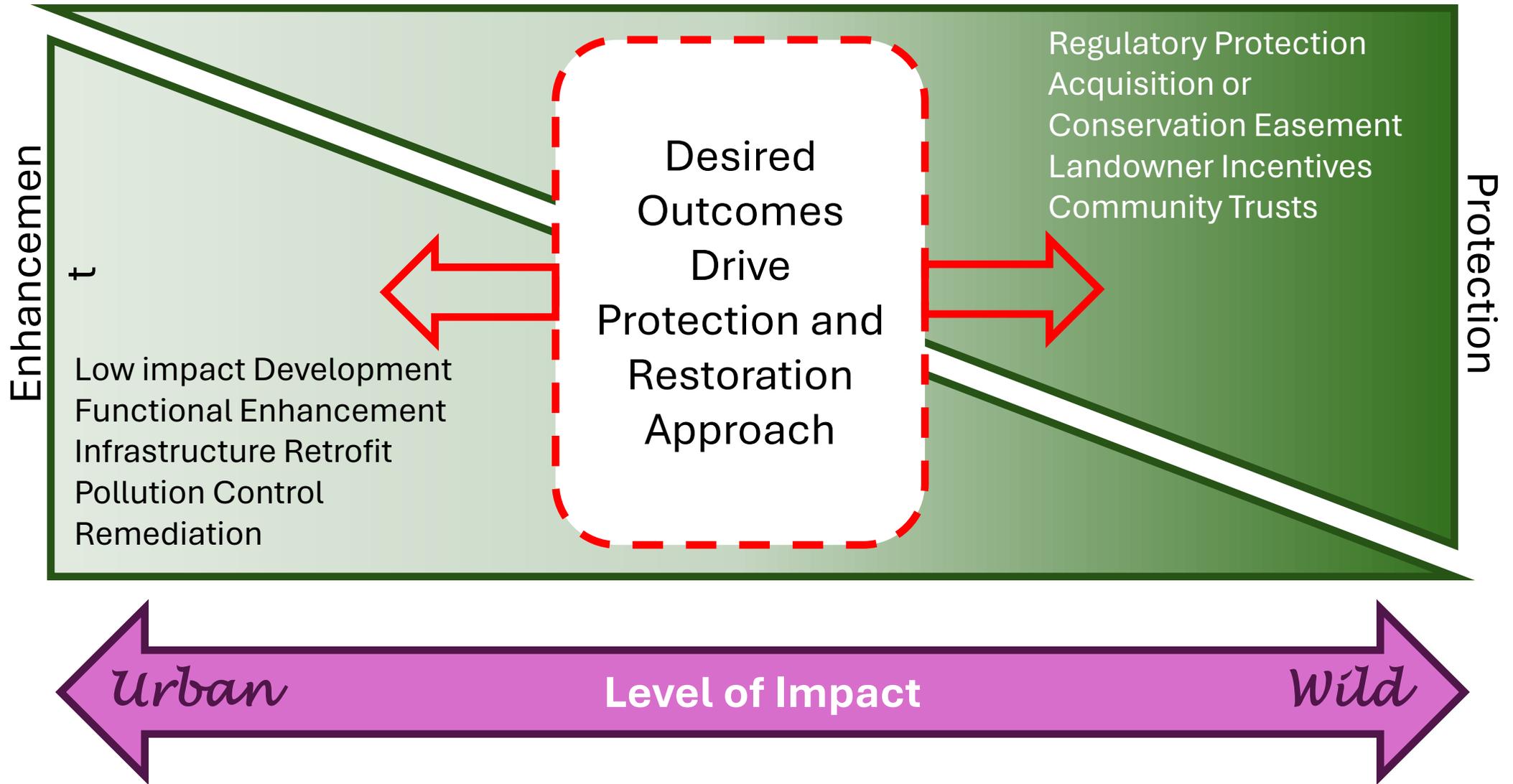
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