

Habitat Share



Formed in 2010

Pittman – Robertson Act

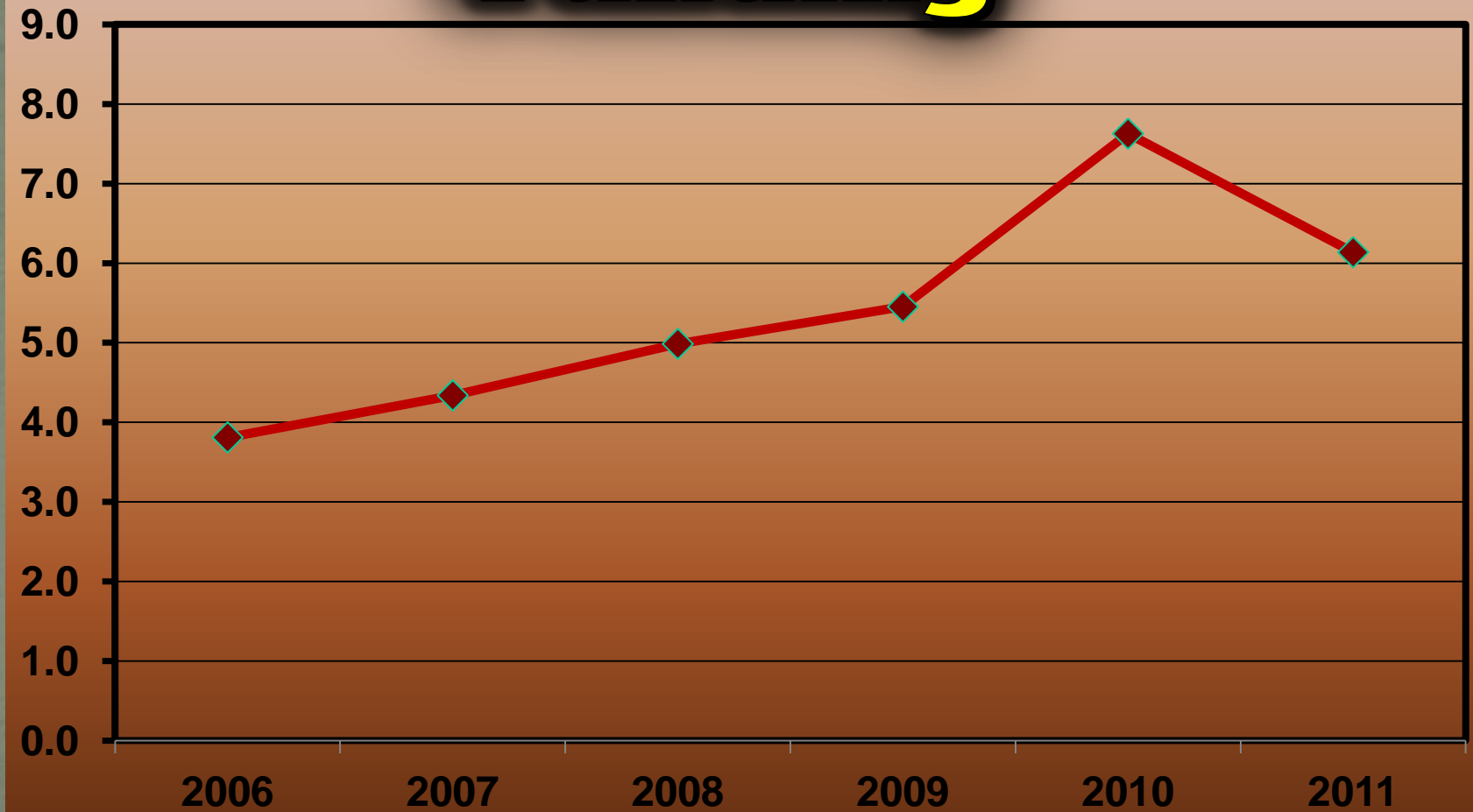
**1937 – Federal Aid in
Wildlife Restoration Act**

11% Federal Excise Tax



Nebraska Federal Aid Funding

\$ Millions



Purpose

- Assist with WMA habitat improvement beyond current level

- Leverage federal, state and non-profit funds on public lands



Advantages

- Leverage dollars**
- Reduce state agency admin (RFP, oversight, invoicing, reporting)**
- Landscape scale habitat management**



Request for Proposal

- Developed and advertised by non-profit organization**
- Selection made on a ranking basis**
- Allows for more bids**



Selection Process

- Experience**
- Capacity**
- Administrative support**
- Price**



Communication



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- Initial project roll out with admin, staff and contractor**
- Continual updates to staff and administration from contractor**



Producing Results



Invasive species removal









Discing







Interseeding And Food Plots









Tracking and Reporting

- Providing professional and timely reports**

- Used for monitoring and program justification**



Habitat Share Results

2010 - 2011

**69 Wildlife Management
Areas**

9,096 acres improved

\$1,322,486 spent



