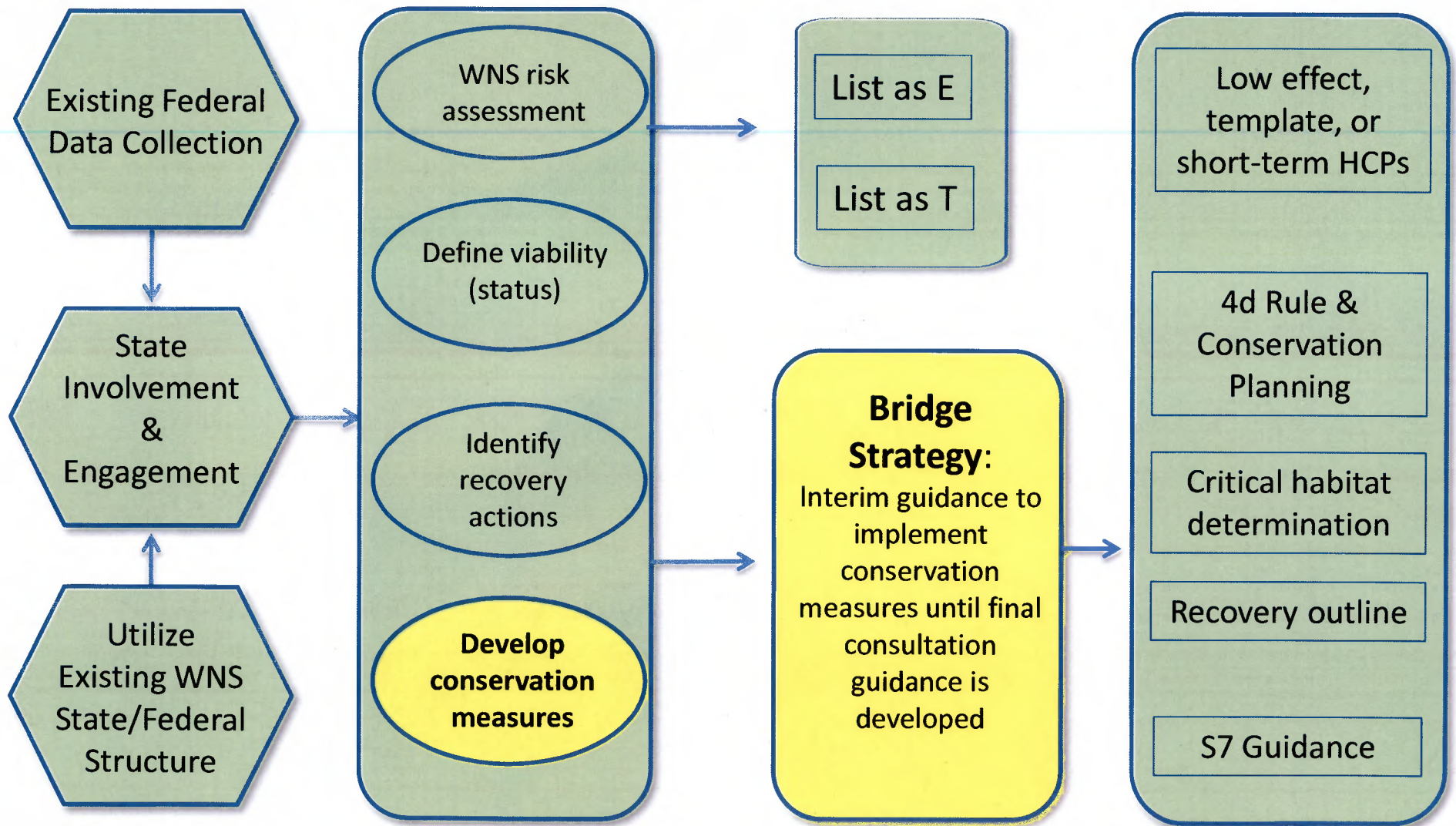


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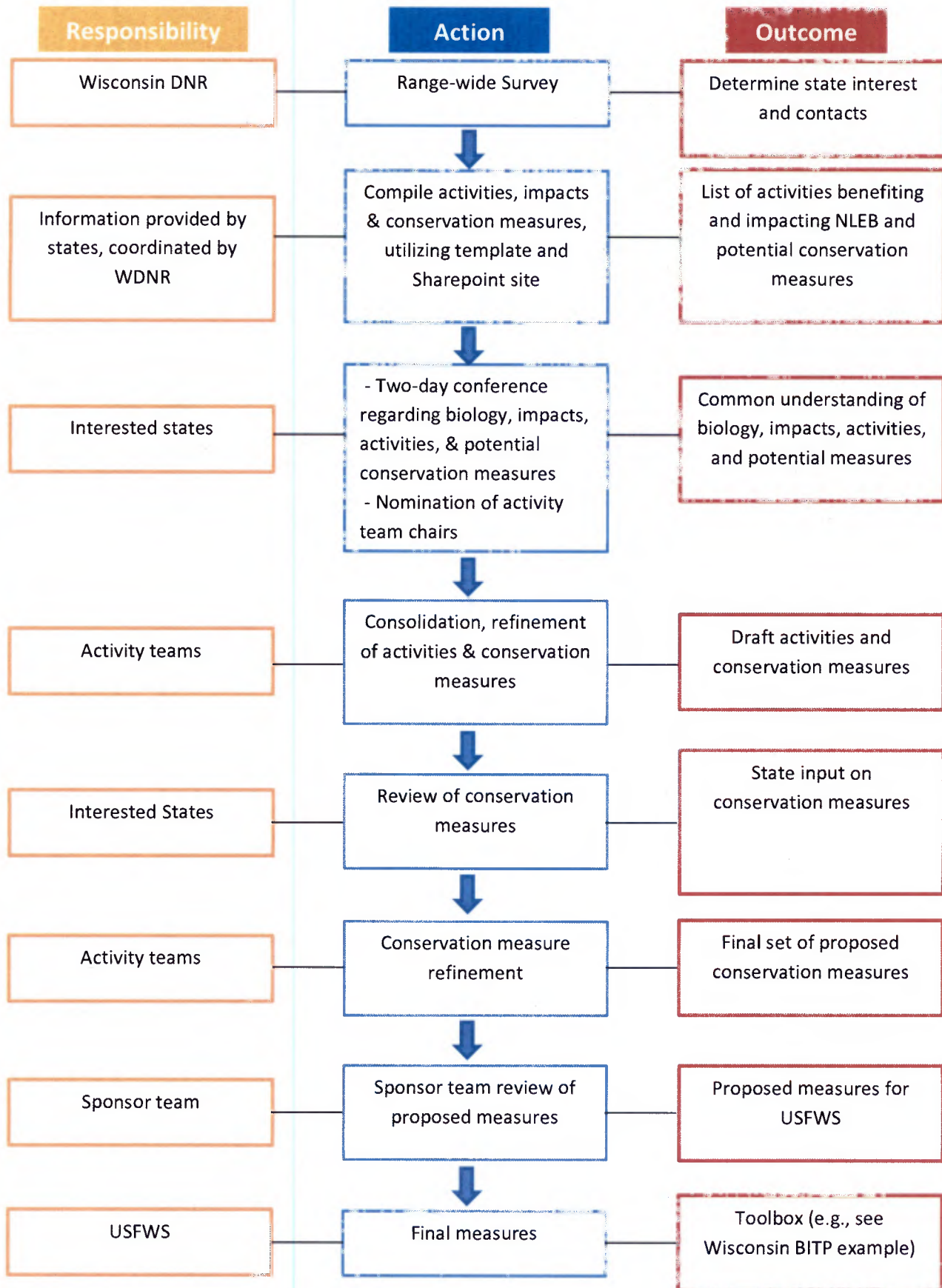
## Species Status Assessment

## Implementation



# Northern Long-eared Bat Conservation Measures Development

## Process Steps



# FWS

**Sponsor Team**  
(State Directors/Secretaries)

Tree Cutting/  
Timber Mgmt

Mining

Cave Mgmt

Research

Human  
interaction

Burning/Land  
Restoration

**Activity Teams**  
(FWS Staff/State Staff)

Individual  
State  
Coordination

Individual  
State  
Coordination

Individual  
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Coordination

Individual  
State  
Coordination

Region 2

Region 3

Region 4

Region 5

Region 6

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# Bridge Strategy

Example framework based on Broad ITP  
and toolbox

Activity	Habitat	Timing	Conservation Measure
Tree Cutting			
Burning			
Mining			
Cave Management			

# Example of an Existing WI Broad Incidental Take Permit

Activity	Description	Additional Conditions
<b>General Activities</b>		
General Administration	Strategic and operational planning, budget management, rule development, etc.	None.
Land Acquisition	Any type of land acquisition or ownership change including purchases, sales, transfers, leases, easements, etc.	Future activities on the land being acquired, sold, etc. may require an ER Review.
Project Planning	All types of project planning (e.g., design, engineering, mechanical).	None.
Fish Hatchery Operations	Includes all fish production and rearing activities that take place within a fish hatchery.	None.
Rip Rap or Seawall Replacement	Repair or replacement of existing rip rap or seawalls. All impacts must be within the existing footprint, work must be conducted from an upland shoreline or barge.	Work must be conducted between September 1st and April 15th.
Building Construction	Building construction (including all associated disturbance, material storage, access routes, etc.) that is occurring entirely within agricultural land, maintained/manicured lawn or pavement.	None.
Sign Installation	Includes trail signs, property signs, roadway signs etc. that contain up to 4 posts. Sign installation occurring off-road must be installed by hand or small equipment and ATV. Heavy equipment may be used for sign installation occurring along a roadway if all materials, vehicles and heavy equipment remain within a roadway, parking lot or routinely mowed area (i.e. mowed 1-3 weeks).	None.
Habitat Assessment	On-site habitat assessment of a project area.	All vehicles and heavy equipment must remain on existing roadways.