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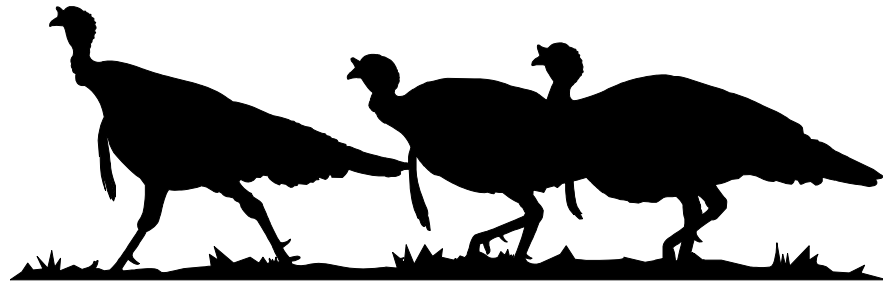
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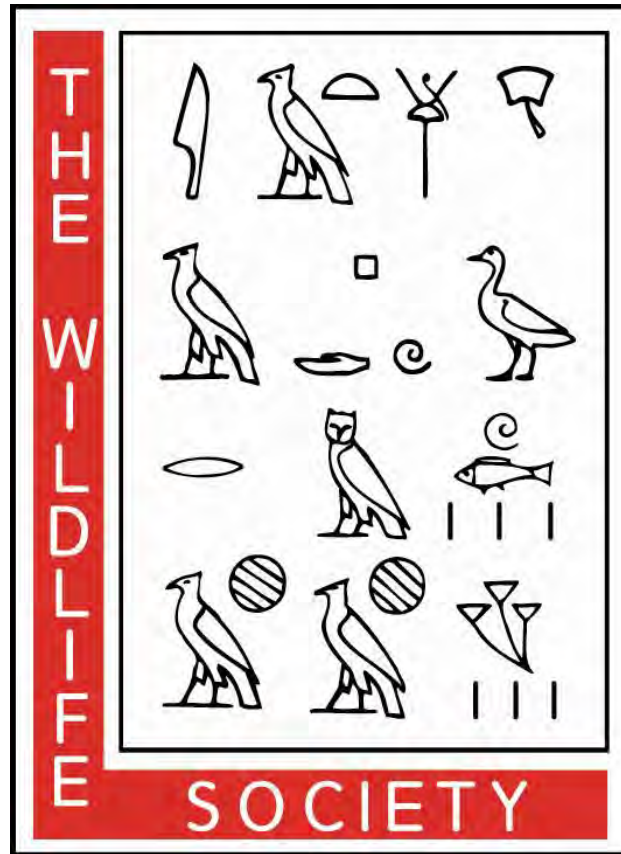
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# **MAFWA Directors' Meeting**

**Maumee Bay - Oregon, OH**

# Magee lakefront dike

- Original damage occurred in 2015
  - Duck Unlimited engineers estimated \$4.5 mil to repair
- Six additional strong northeast storms
  - ODNR engineers now estimate \$10-12 mil to repair
- Sand beach and beach ridge
  - Habitats no longer present or severely damaged due to high lake levels



# Biggest Week in Birding

- 80,000 non paying users
- No outside funding
- \$40 million to local economy
- Partnerships are critical
- Commitment of personnel



# H2Ohio Initiative

- **Approximately \$90 million per year**
  - 2 year project
- **Use wetlands to reduce nutrient flow to rivers & Lake Erie**
- **Many projects slated for state property**
- **Focus is Lake Erie, but inland will be funded**
- **Opportunity**
  - Restore valuable wetland habitat
  - Increase water quality