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SUBJECT: ECS – PARTNERSHIP WILDLIFE PROGRAM INFORMATION

TO: All Employees

Purpose. To inform employees on partnership opportunities for private landowners.

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Santiago Misquez, Middle Rio Grande Wildlife Biologist, and other partnership supported positions are working with funding agencies to leverage funding and technical assistance to address wildlife conservation needs.

Programs such as the New Mexico Department of Game and Fish (NMDGF) Open Gate program and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Partners for Fish and Wildlife conservation program offer great opportunities to help landowners achieve their wildlife conservation objectives.

Private agricultural landowners, our primary client base, are vital to the conservation of wildlife habitats. Whether it is to diversify farm income, educate youth, or maintain a rich cultural respect for native wild habitats, the service we provide does and will continue to have profound benefits for generations to come. Healthy plant and animal communities are essential to sustained human use of the land.

Attached are two informational documents for the above mentioned wildlife conservation programs.

Print copies of the information and place at your Program Outreach station in the field office.

If you have any questions, please contact Aaron Roberts, Open Gate Coordinator with NMDGF, at (505) 476-8043 or Santiago Misquez, Wildlife Biologist, at (575) 835-1710 ext. 109.

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