



2005

**Florida's  
Wildlife Legacy  
Initiative**




*Keeping Common  
Species Common*



Florida Fish and Wildlife  
Conservation Commission  
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2012

**Florida's  
State Wildlife Action Plan**



**A comprehensive wildlife  
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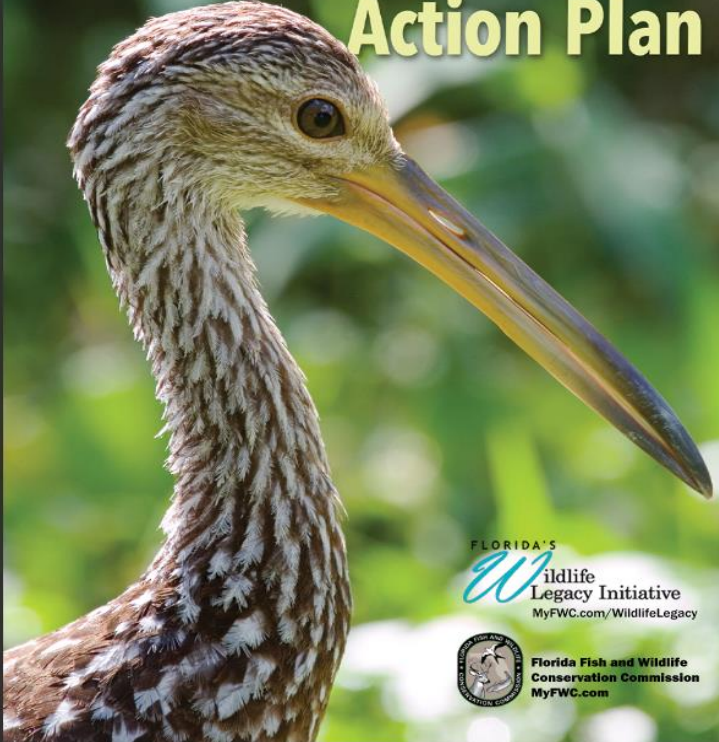
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# Florida's State Wildlife Action Plan



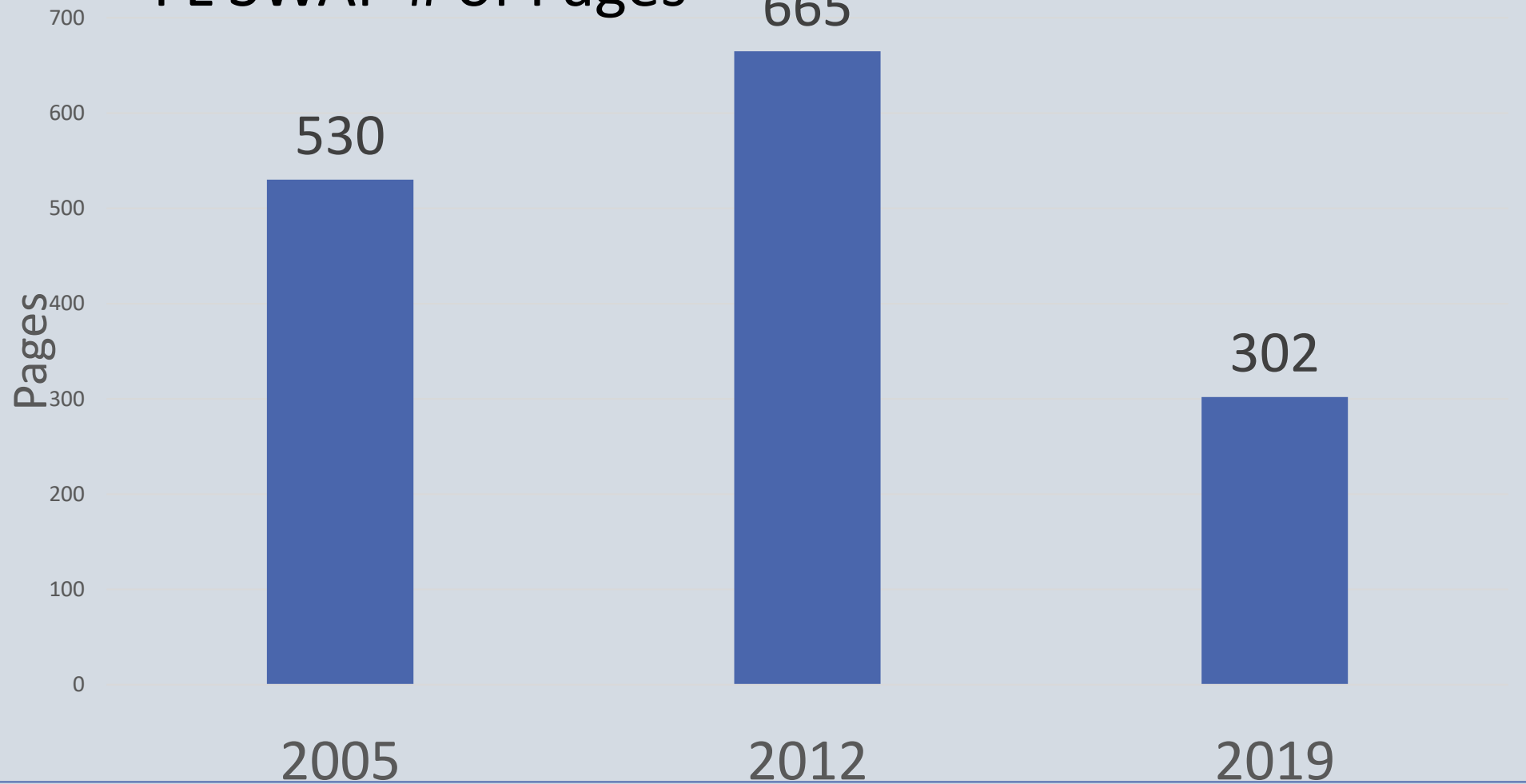
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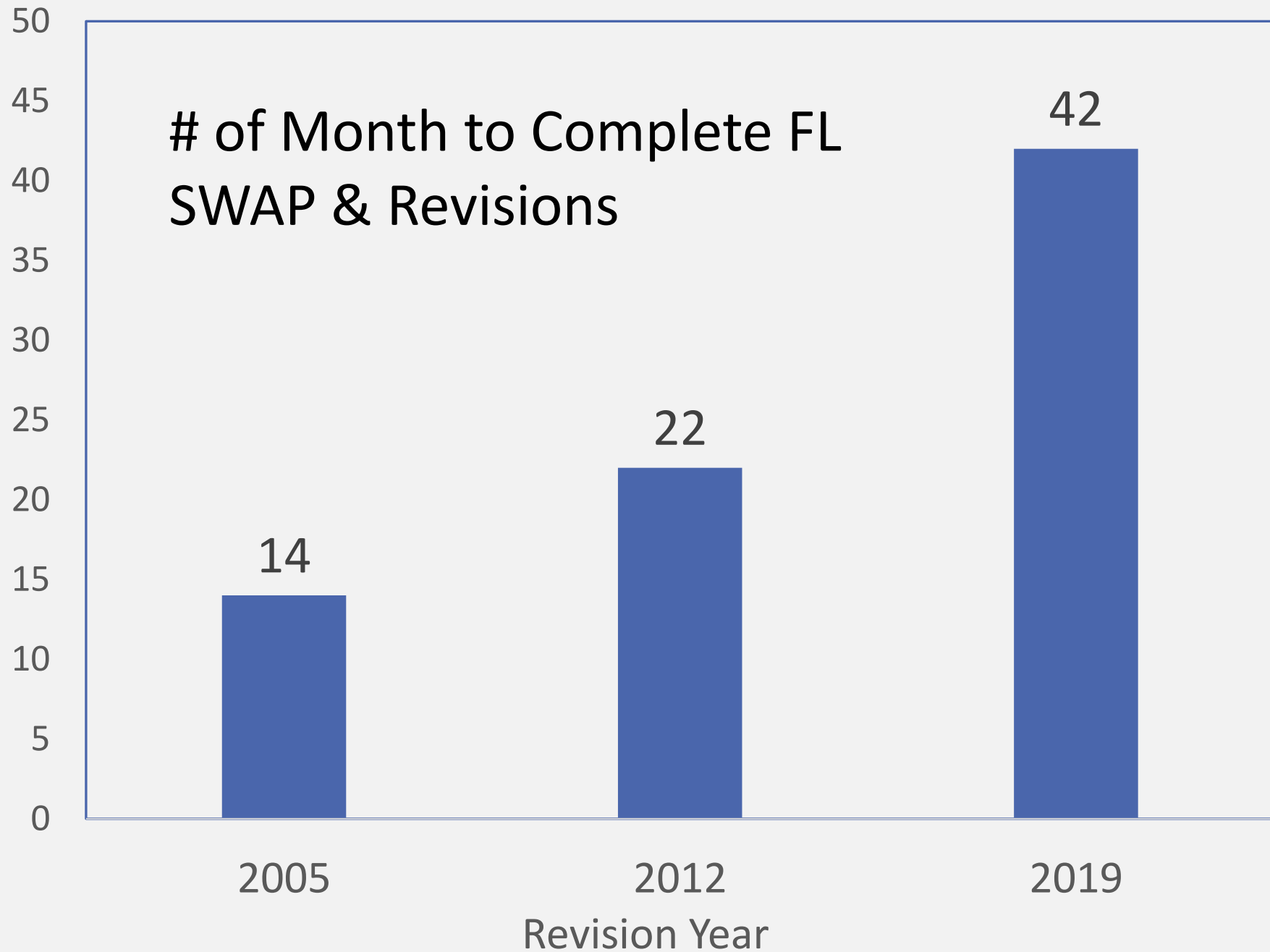
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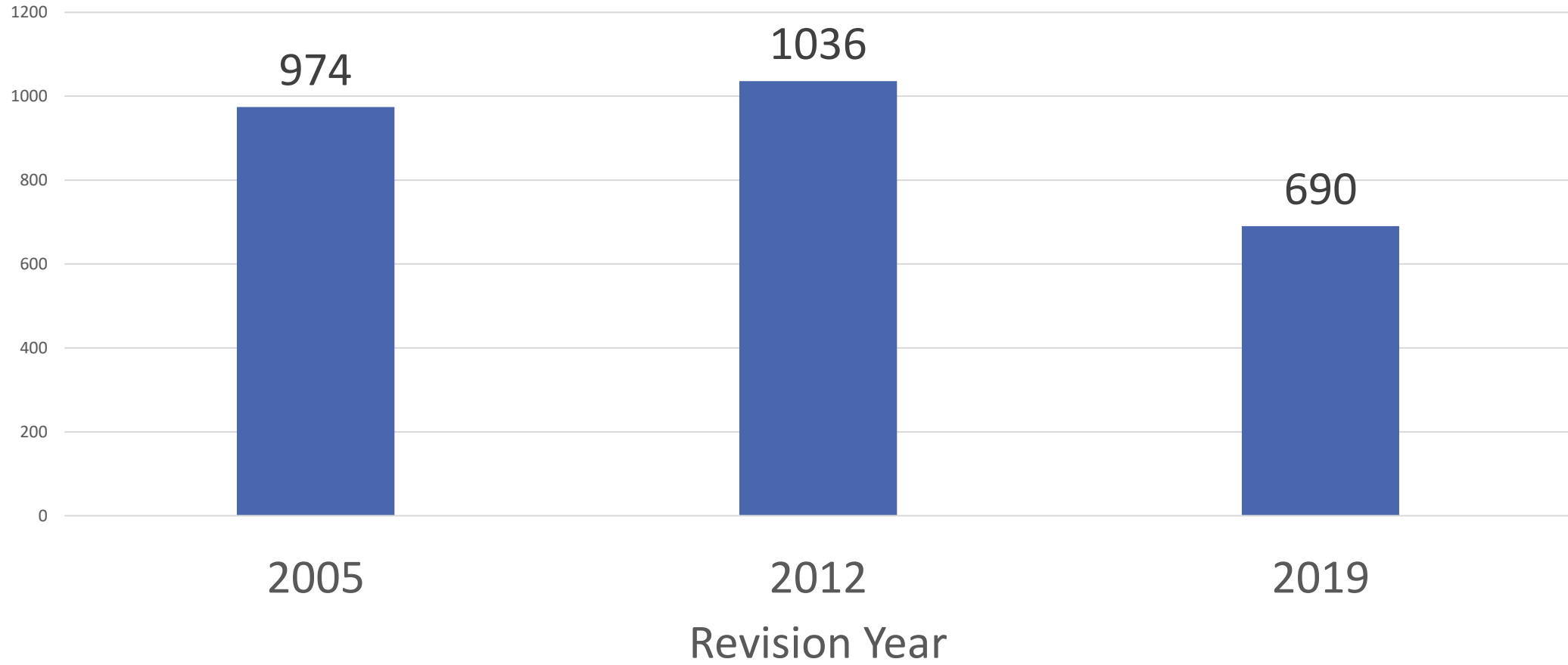
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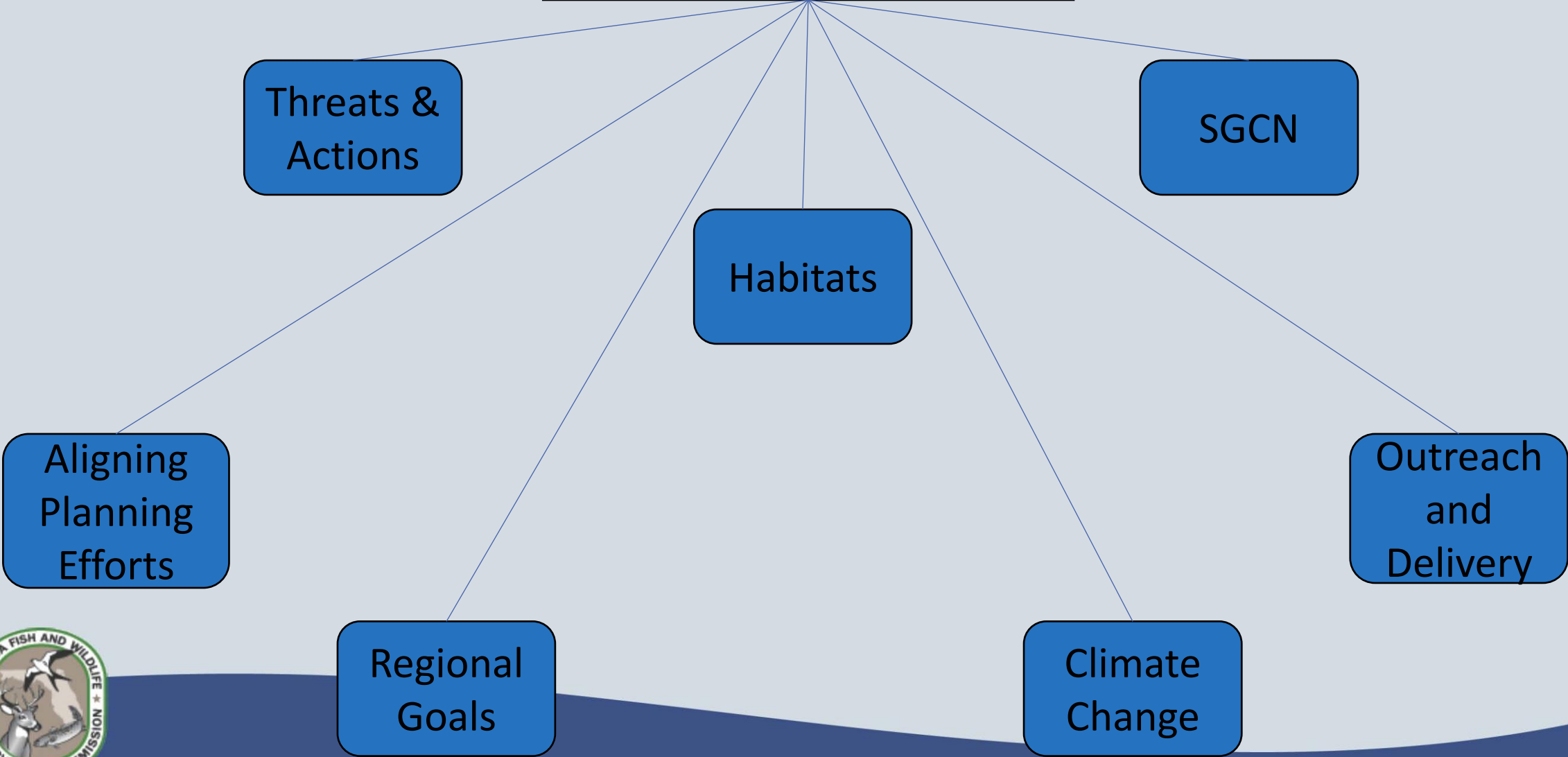
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# FL # of SGCN



# Revision Themes (2019)



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# 2019 SWAP Outline

- Chapter 1: Introduction
- Chapter 2: Florida's Ecosystems
- Chapter 3: Wildlife in Urban and Working Lands
- Chapter 4: SGCN
- Chapter 5: Monitoring
- Appendices A-D
  - Regional Assessments, master action table, threats lexicon, road map

# Habitat Classification

- Aligning with new Cooperative Land Cover data
- 45 habitats → 12 larger ecosystem parent groups
- Wildlife in **Urban** and **Working** Lands chapter

2017 Action Plan	2005/2012 Action Plan
<b>Terrestrial Ecosystem</b>	
Hardwood Forest	Hardwood Hammock Forest Tropical Hardwood Forest
High Pine and Scrub	Sandhill Scrub
Pine Flatwoods and Dry Prairie	Dry Prairie Natural Pineland Pine Rocklands
Coastal Uplands	Beach/Surf Zone Coastal Strand



# Revising Threats and Actions

## Threats

- Aligning language with “Standard Lexicon for Biodiversity: unified classifications of threats and actions”

## Actions

- More than 400 actions identified in the current plan
- Including actions at state-wide, taxa, regional scale





# Florida's 2019 State Wildlife Action Plan

## Conservation in Action



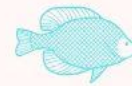
**16,000**

Species  
Native to Florida



**690**

Number of SGCN



**3**

Number of Major  
Ecosystems



**113**

Conservation  
Actions