

Wildlife Resource Value Challenges



Evaluation Challenges

➤ Diversity of species

- 85 identified wildlife
- 9 ungulates

➤ Priorities

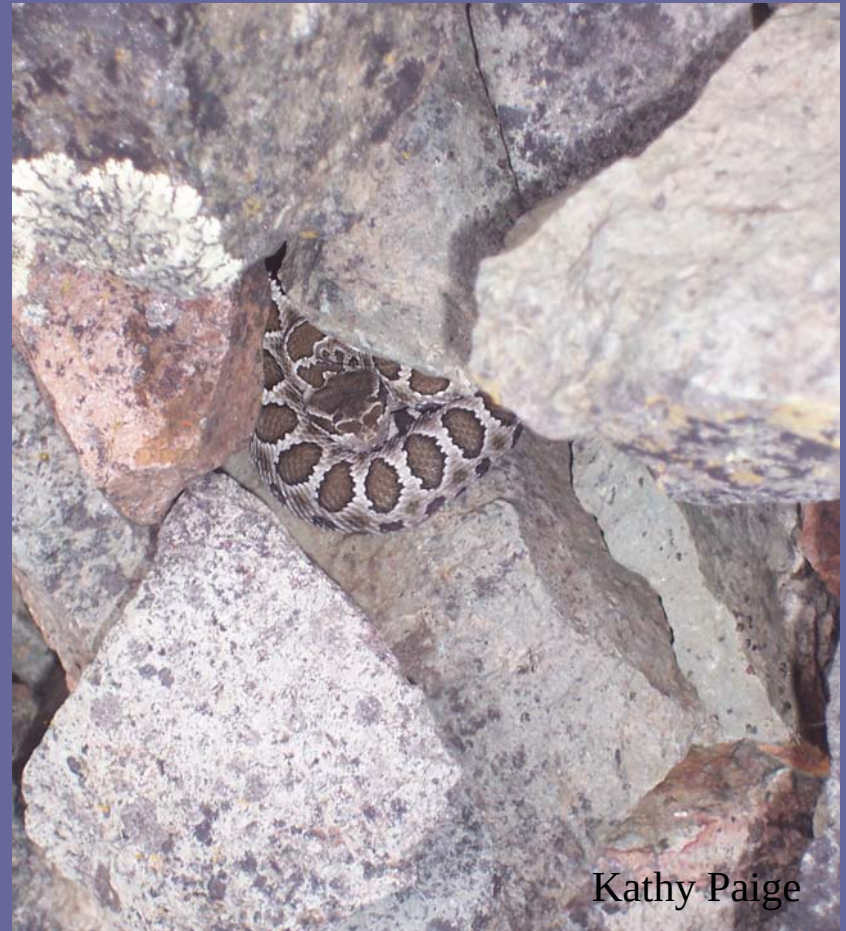
- What criteria?



Evaluation Challenges

➤ Species monitoring

- Detectability
- Variability
- Destructive sampling
- Specialized sampling
- Experience



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More Challenges

- Variety of habitats
- Several management practices
- Multi scale
- Large variation in design



More Challenges

➤ Lack of information

- Basic biology
- No baselines
- Relationships unknown

➤ Rigor

- Expert vs evidence



And more...

➤ Definition of effectiveness

- Inclusion of risk

➤ Design

- Spatial comparisons
- Time-series

➤ Implementation

- Who?



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Next Steps

- Develop framework
- Set priorities
- Finalize EE approach
- Develop implementation plan
- Implement priority projects
- Develop linkages with universities
- Develop linkages with recovery teams