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Boreal Caribou Protection & Recovery Plan

Current Status & Next Steps



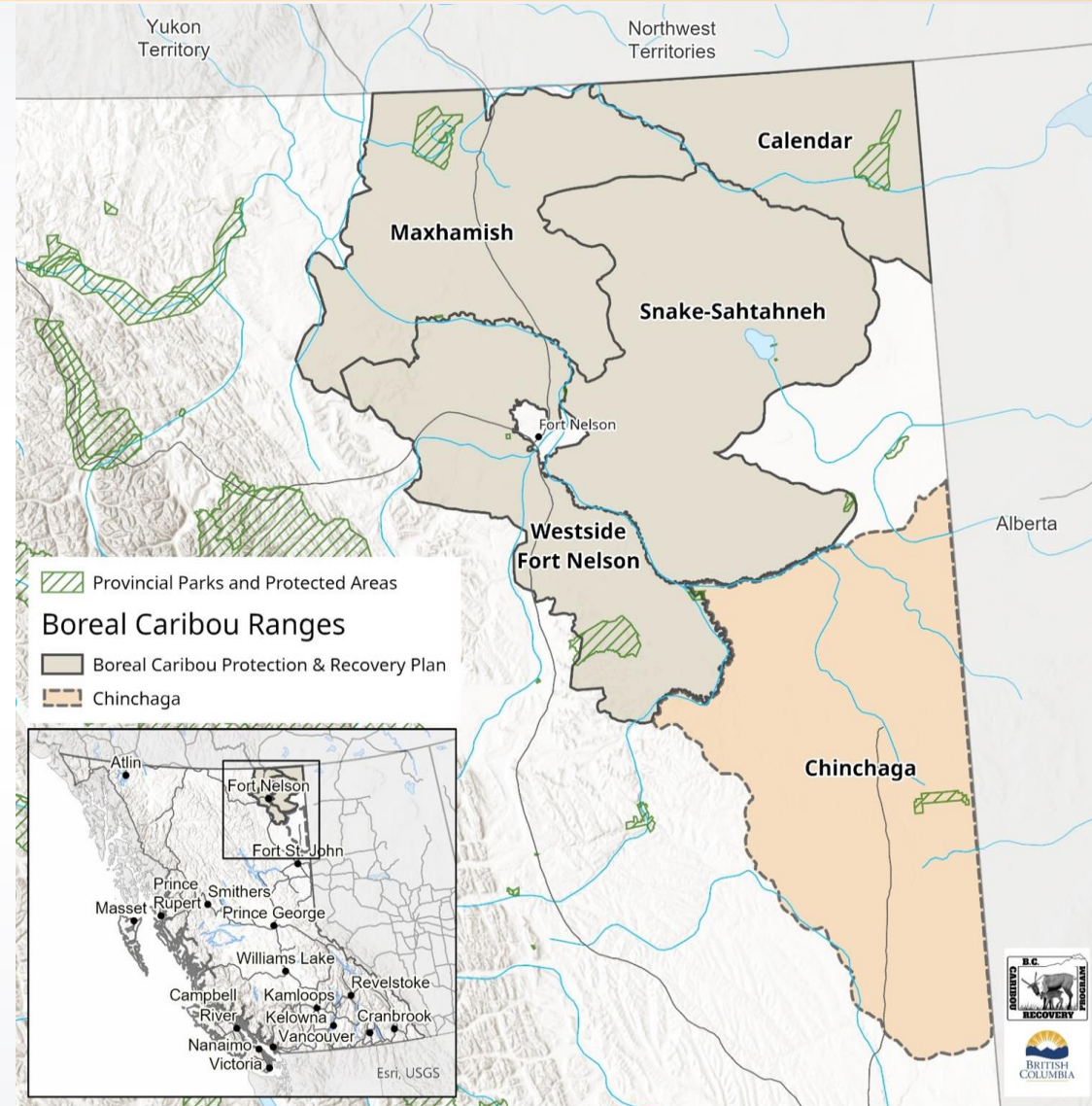
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The draft ***Boreal Caribou Protection & Recovery Plan*** (BCPRP) has been developed in partnership with Fort Nelson First Nation and through collaboration with the Northern Rockies Regional Municipality.

The BCPRP will replace the existing ***Implementation Plan for the Ongoing Management of Boreal Caribou (Rangifer tarandus caribou pop. 14) in British Columbia*** released in 2011 and establishes management goals, objectives and supporting management measures for four of the five boreal caribou ranges in B.C.

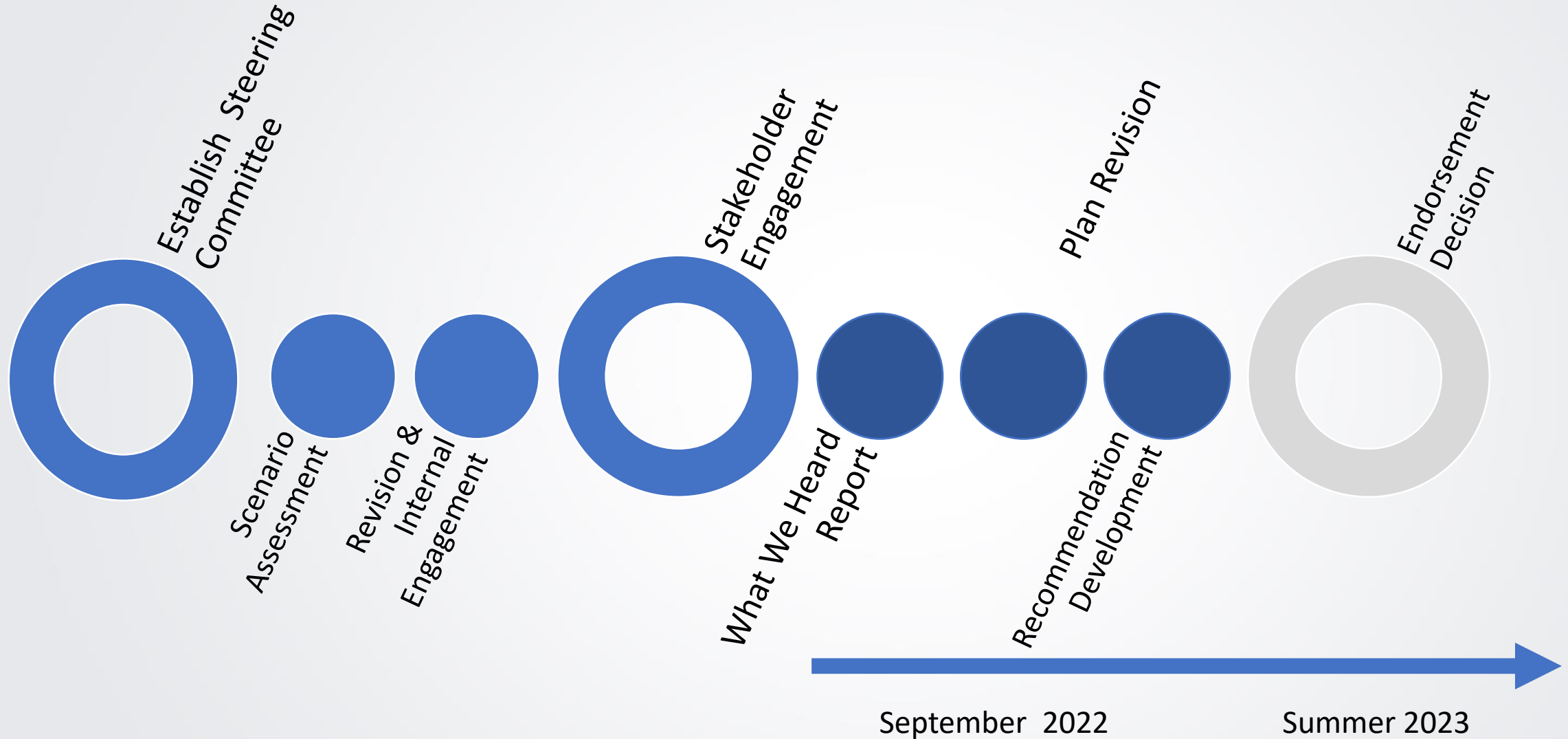


Since Engagement Closed:

- The Province, Fort Nelson First Nation and Northern Rockies Regional Municipality reviewed feedback to inform potential revisions to the draft plan and inform management recommendations.
- What We Heard report released September 2022 – accessible via the engagement portal: <https://engage.gov.bc.ca/caribou/boreal-caribou/>.
- Post-engagement executive briefings have been completed.
- Executive engagement on decision-package on-going, seeking alignment with recent northeast First Nations' Agreements.
- Bi-lateral Contribution Agreement to support boreal caribou recovery measures with ECCC until FY 25/26 has been negotiated.



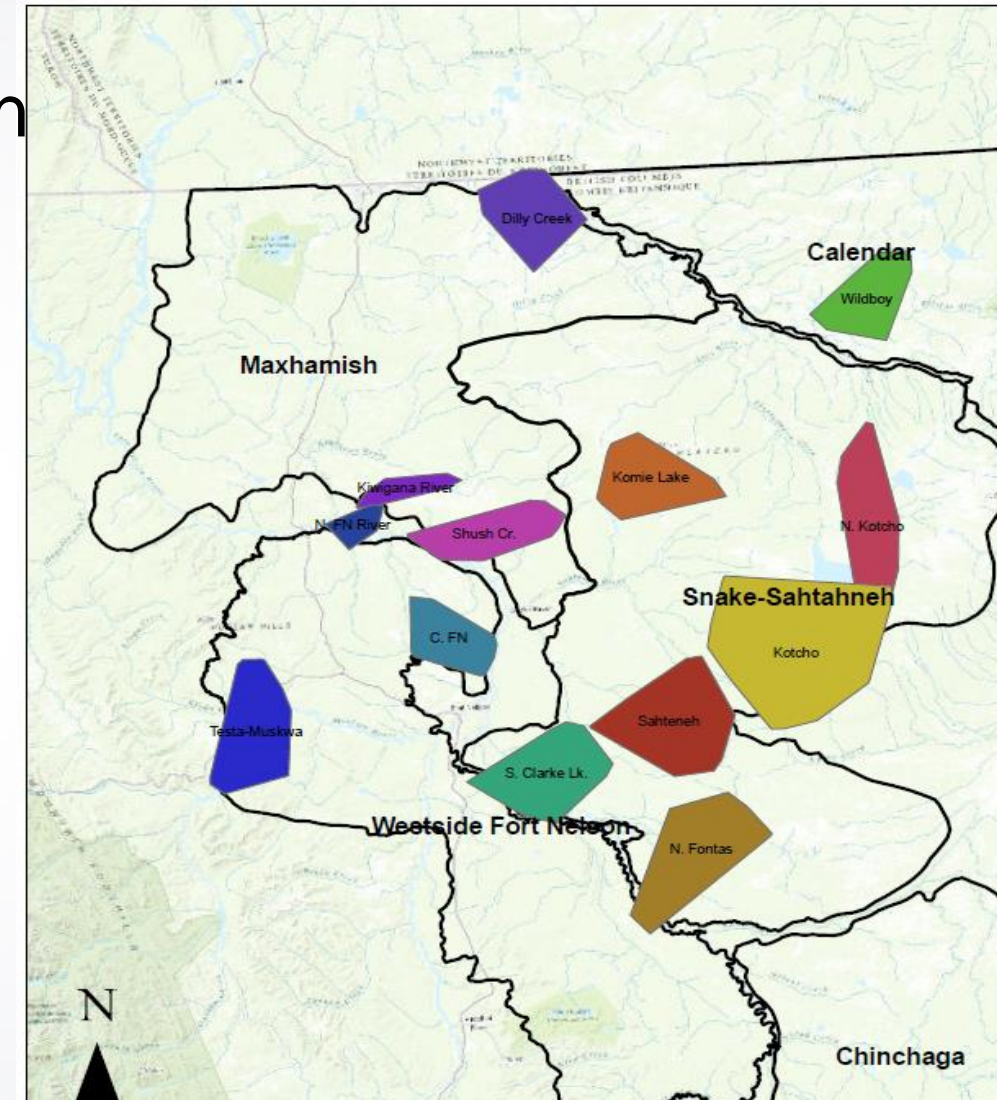
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Ongoing Management Measures

- Predator monitoring initiated winter 2022/23 in collaboration with FNFN.
- Ongoing restoration in the Snake-Sahtahneh range led by FNFN.
- Ongoing fecal DNA, recruitment and composition surveys.





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Thanks for your time and attention.

Questions?



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