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Greetings Mr. Gonzales,

Thanks to you and your team for hosting a helpful scoping meeting on Tuesday at the San Leandro Library! I was very glad to learn that the 2015 update will incorporate more strategies around collaboration, and a greater focus for ecosystem based habitat conservation.

I'm following up regarding my inquiry (and offer) around DFW using local and regional data within respective Conservation Unit strategies. Specifically, the Conservation Lands Network (CLN) and the Bay Area Critical Linkages may prove useful to DFW in this process. Please note, too, that [the CLN web tool](#), called "Explorer" is an easy way for your staff to download and access this data, as well as climate change data for the Bay Area region.

Please visit www.bayarealands.org to download all the GIS and datasets. And feel free to contact me if we can aid in any way! I will gladly direct your staff to my colleagues leading these data efforts.

Many thanks,

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