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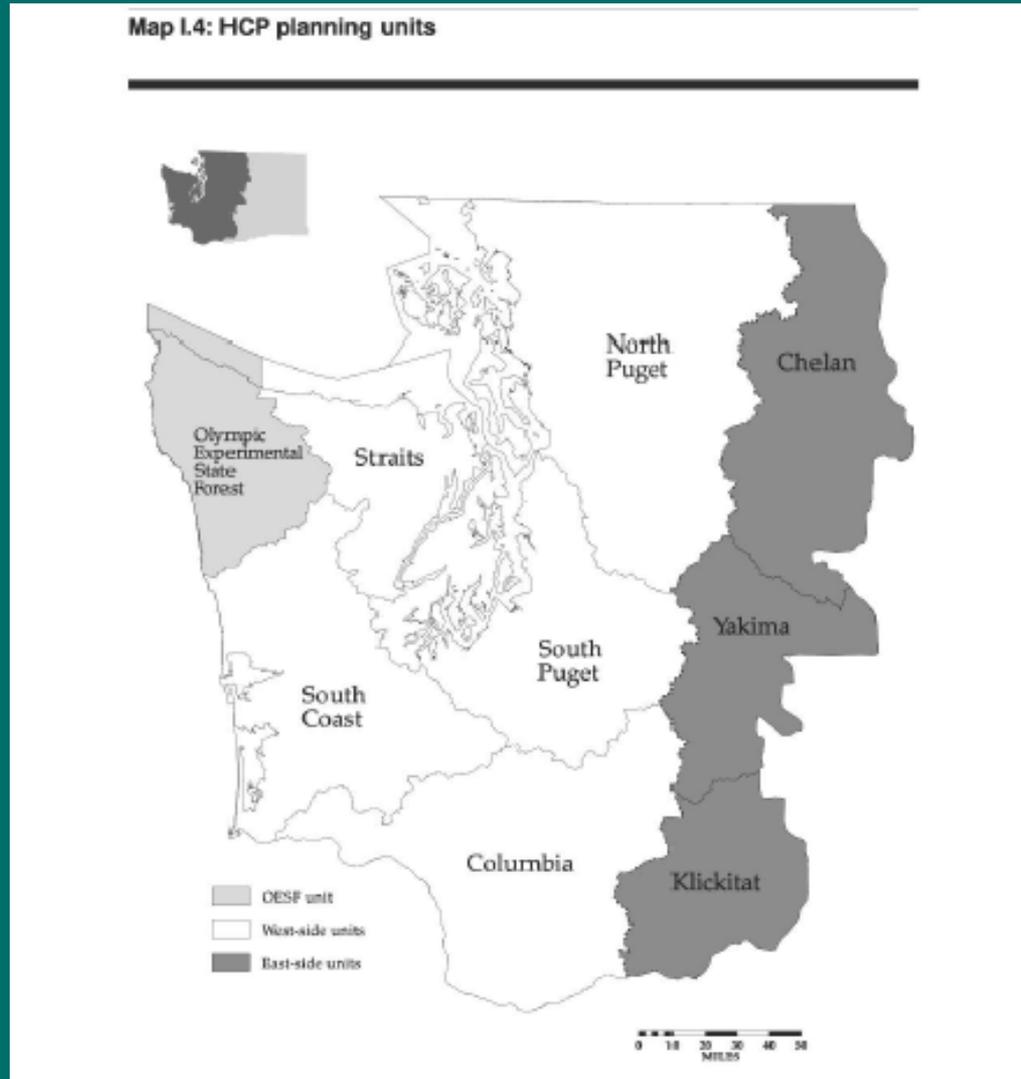
# Long-Term Marbled Murrelet Conservation Strategy Update

Board of Natural Resources

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# HCP Planning Units



# Background

- **1997:** HCP signed, insufficient data available on marbled murrelets
- **2004-2008:** DNR convened scientists to evaluate data
- **2011:** DNR commits additional staff and resources to prioritize project



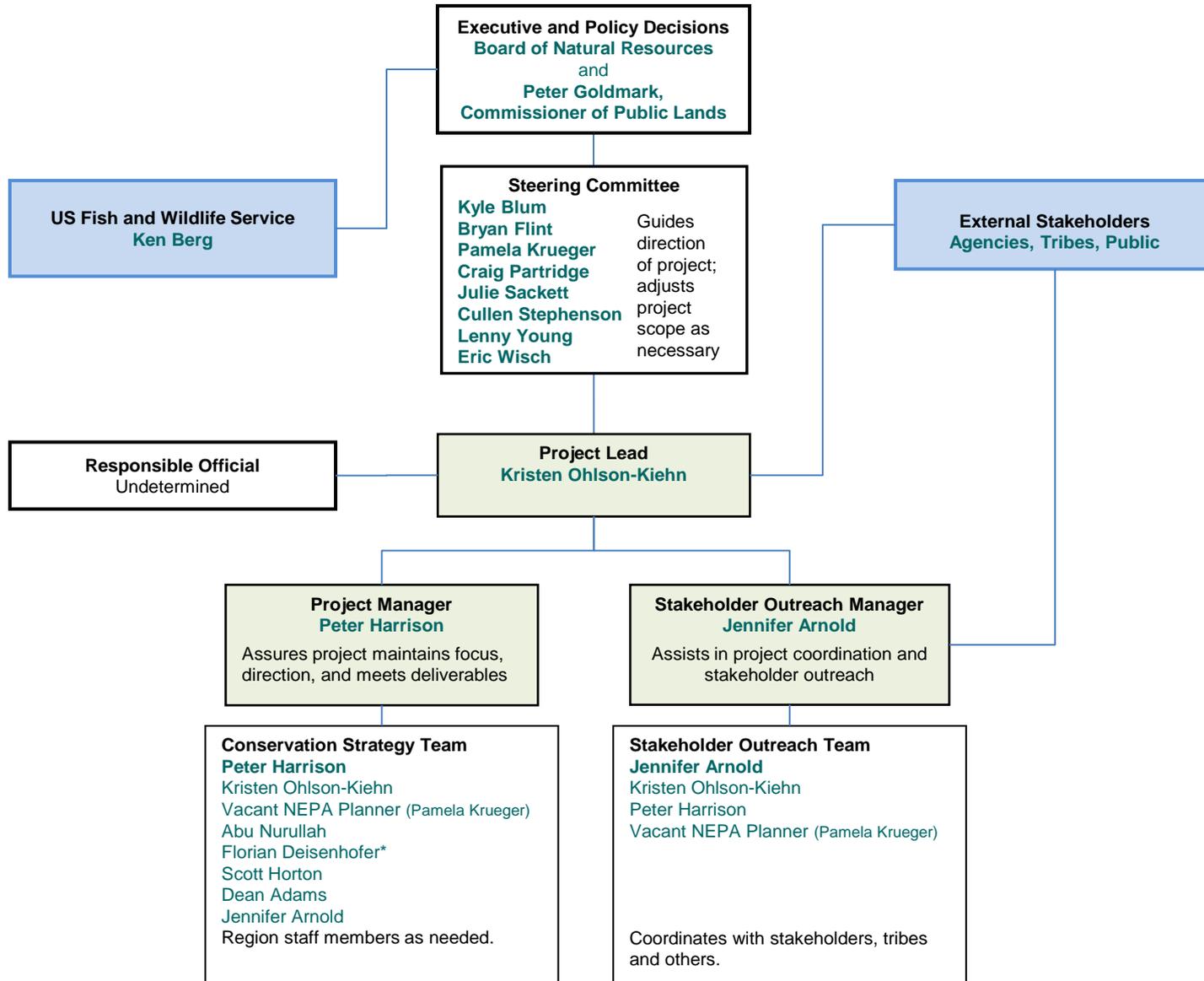
# MARBLED MURRELET CONSERVATION STRATEGY

for forested state trust lands in western Washington

## Project Structure



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# Project Phases

1. Expanded Scoping - Need, Purpose and Objectives
2. Expanded Scoping - Alternatives
3. Draft Environmental Impact Statement
4. Final Environmental Impact Statement
5. BNR Evaluation
6. USFWS Evaluation
7. BNR Adoption





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