National Wild Turkey Federation
Connecting Individuals to the Outdoors

- Year Long Program (Jan-Nov)
- We have a flexible Curriculum
- 2016 – 7 hunters (Polk)
- 2017 – 8 hunters (Polk)
  10 hunters (Dubuque)
- 2018 – 11 hunters (Polk)
Partnerships

County Conservation Groups
Ducks Unlimited
Pheasants Forever
Iowa Trappers Association
Lost Arrows Archery
Bass Pro
The Iowa Sportsman
Doc’s Hunt Club
Butch Olofson Shooting Range
Iowa’s Great Outdoors
Mentors / Participants
Need for both is great!
Find Mentors:
Local Chapters

Find Participants:
Word of mouth
Farmer’s markets?
Questions?
Call Matt - 515-669-8591
Water, Women & Wine

Beyond BOW Partnership
Shelby County Conservation Board & Iowa DNR
Recycled Wine Bottle Wind Chimes
River Kayaking
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Dutch Oven Cooking
Fly-tying
RAISED AT FULL DRAW
BOWHUNTING CAMPS
Vamos a Pescar
Southwest Iowa Communities for Pheasants and Farming

Jamie Cook
Vision Statement

Working together to increase farmer profitability, quality wildlife habitat, public hunting access and local economic development.
Where and How?

- Cass, Fremont, Harrison, Mills, Montgomery, Page, Shelby Counties with a special emphasis in Pottawattamie County.

- By engaging state and local agencies, PF chapters, tourism officials, local businesses and other interested organizations.
What is Precision Ag?

• Using on-farm data to help make management decisions
  – On-farm data can be anything from yield data to planting maps and fertilizer

• More information = more informed decisions!
Habitat Opportunities

• Ability to impact existing habitat through maintenance of CRP or establishment mowing cost share

• Ability to identify new habitat through Precision Ag analysis
Benefits to Farmers

• Free one year Profit Zone Manager subscription

• Precision Conservation Report identifying less profitable acres of the farm and how to increase their profitability

• Unlimited technical support

• Expenses covered for Habitat improvements through DNR's Iowa Habitat and Access Program.
We Need You!

• Assist us in developing a hunting marketing plan for SW Iowa.

• Support through financial contributions; $25,000 remaining to reach our total goal of $248,900.

• Assistance in generating interest in the Agricultural Community
Thank You!