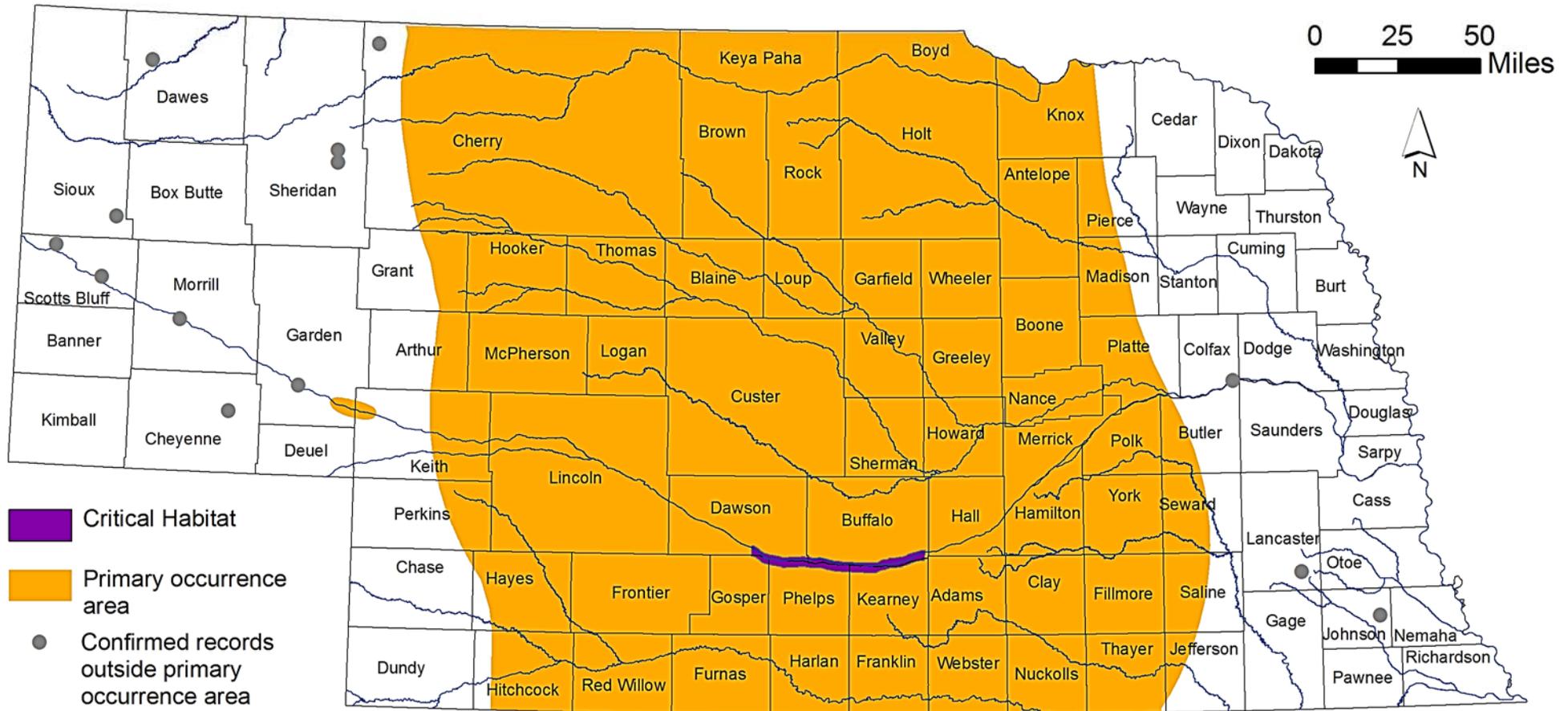


Whooping Crane (*Grus americana*): Migration Use Area and USFWS-designated Critical Habitat



The primary occurrence area is a modification of the area identified by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) as encompassing 95% of documented Whooping Crane migratory stopovers between 1975 and 2007. The modification consisted of incorporating additional locations known to have repeated use. Data source: USFWS. State-specific Nebraska flyway for Whooping Crane. Vector digital data Unpublished shapefile received October 27, 2008 from USFWS, Region 6, Grand Island, NE.

Critical Habitat areas are considered essential for the conservation of a listed species. Data source: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Region 2. 2003. Whooping Crane critical habitat. Vector digital data. Downloaded October 29, 2008 from <http://crithab.fws.gov>.

Confirmed records are current through Fall 2010 (Source: USFWS, Region 6).

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