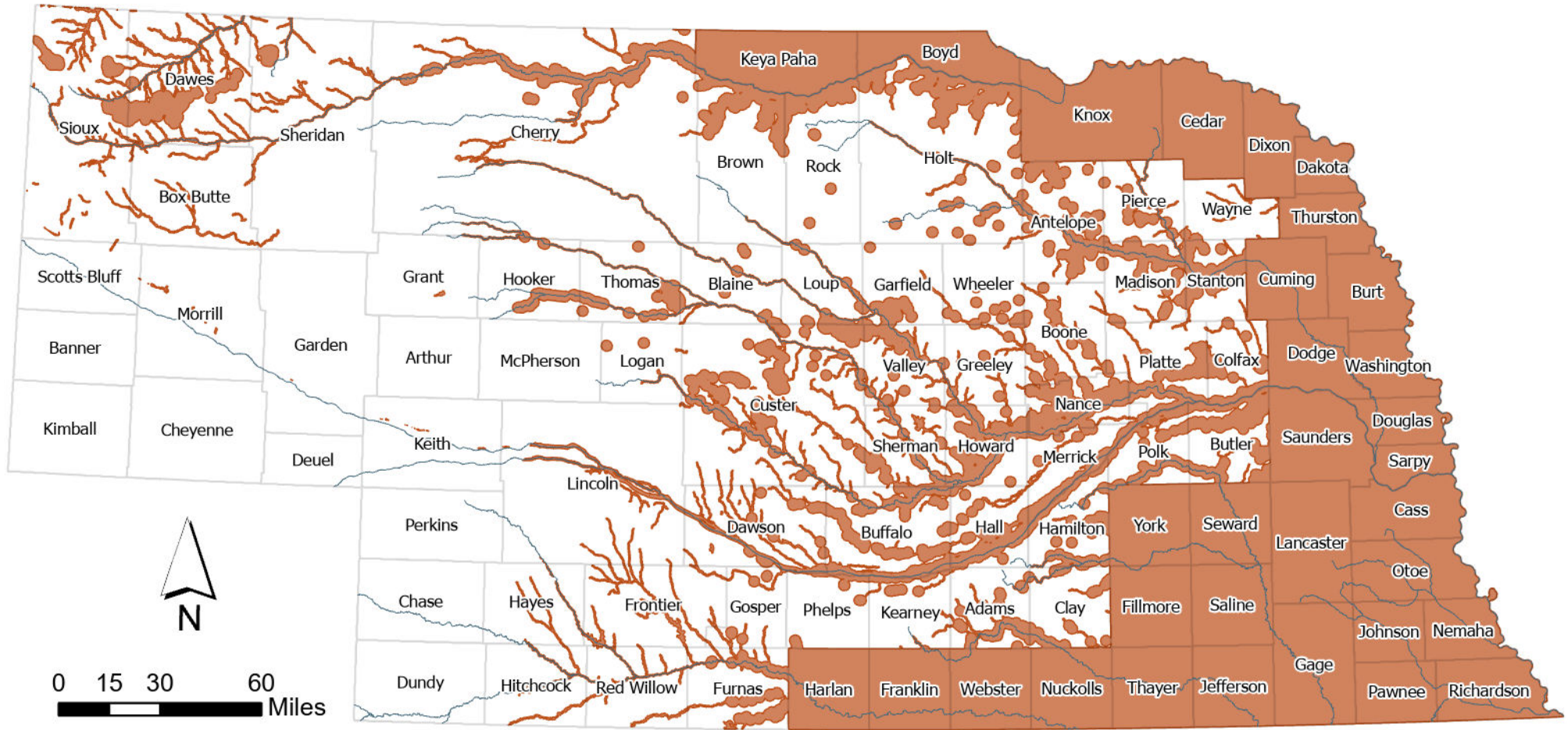


Estimated Current Range of Northern Long-eared Bat (*Myotis septentrionalis*)



This range map was developed in 2024 to allow for continued conservation in areas with high likelihood of northern long-eared bat presence while also eliminating restrictions for areas where, according to modelling by the USFWS, they are less likely to find suitable roosting habitat. Variables incorporated in modelling included tree cover and proximity to water. This range is a combination of counties with higher likelihood of presence based on documented occurrence and those models.