

PARTNERS IN FLIGHT: TWO DECADES OF BIRD CONSERVATION

In 2010, Partners in Flight (PIF) will be celebrating 20 years of bird conservation activity. Launched in 1990, PIF arose in response to concerns over disturbing declines among Neotropical migrant landbirds - those which breed in North America and winter in Latin America and the Caribbean. PIF's main message has been that the resources of public and private organizations in this hemisphere have to be combined, coordinated, and increased in order to conserve our shared bird population resource.

There will be events and products throughout the year to highlight the PIF anniversary. For example, PIF will share the spotlight in the IMBD theme, "The Power of Partnerships." For details see: www.birdday.org <<http://www.birdday.org>>

Another celebratory event already scheduled is a Special Session at the North American Wildlife and Natural Resources Conference in Milwaukee on 22-27 March 2010:

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For more details on PIF and the 20th Anniversary, see:

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