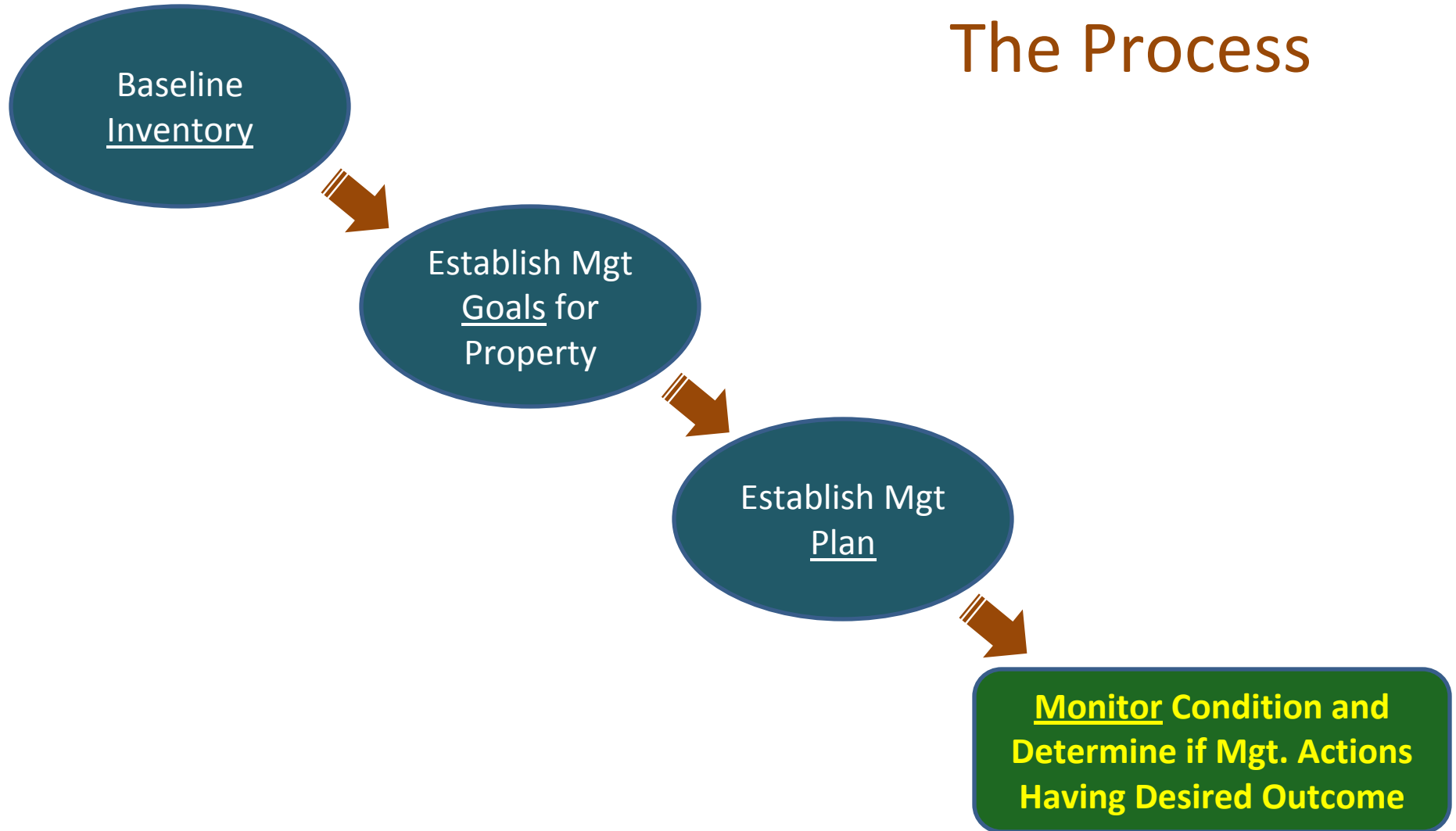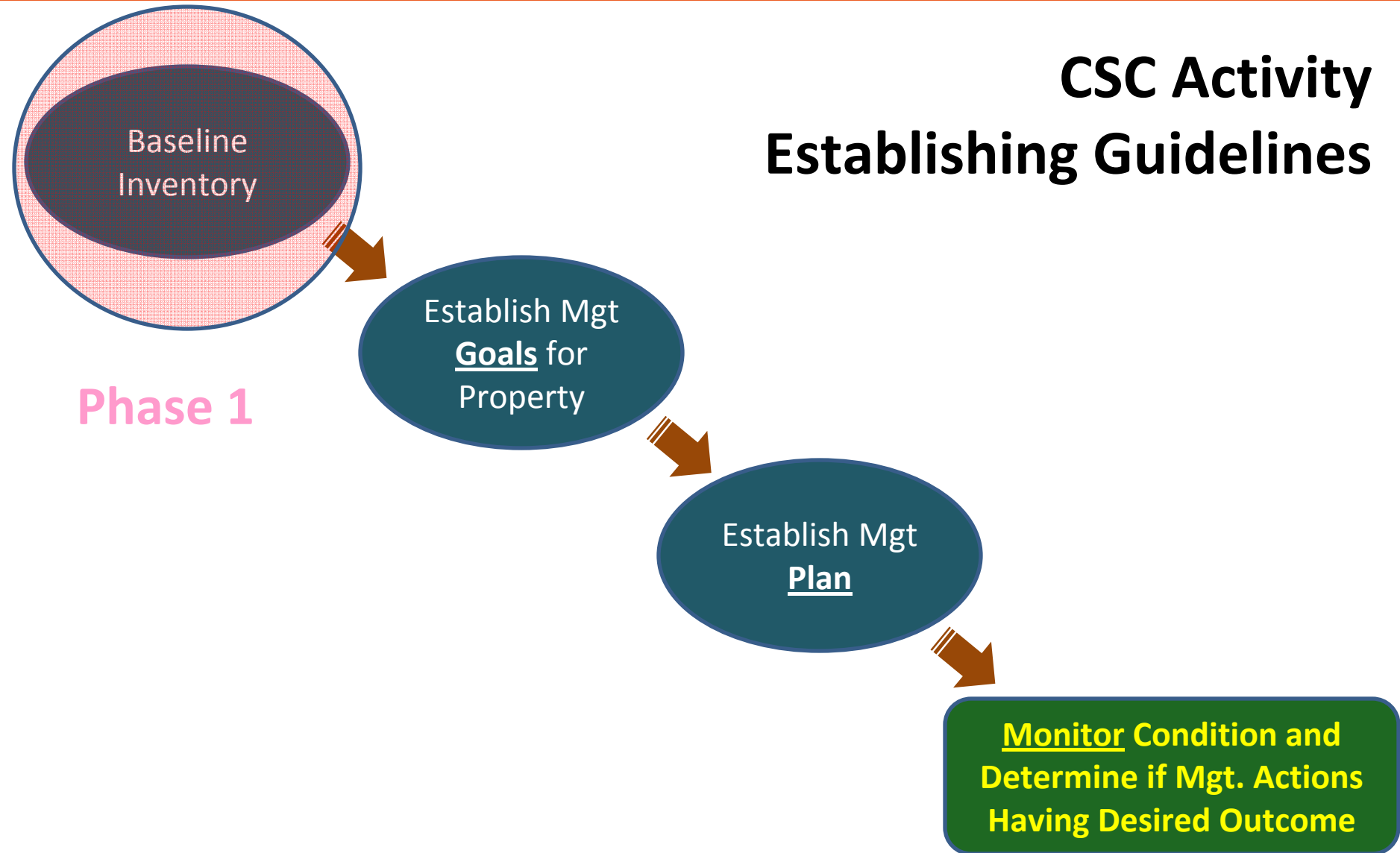Fundamental Goal of CSC:

Enhance Our Collective Ability to Steward Protected Lands

The End Game

Monitor Condition and Determine if Mgt. Actions Having Desired Outcome

Stewarding Our Protected Lands

The Process

Baseline Inventory

Establish Mgt Goals for Property

Establish Mgt Plan

Monitor Condition and Determine if Mgt. Actions Having Desired Outcome

CSC Activity
Establishing Guidelines

Baseline Inventory

Phase 1

Establish Mgt **Goals** for Property

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2009 Project

Establishing a Protocol for Baseline Inventories

Minimum Requirements

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Conservation Stewardship Collaborative

Inventorying, Monitoring, and Managing Natural Resources on Conservation Lands

December 2009

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Testing the Protocol

• RFP for proposals for candidate properties

• Reviewed for varied ecosystem, size, geographic setting, complexity

• Review panel of TNC, USFWS, RINHS, CSC, ASRI, URI, LT Council
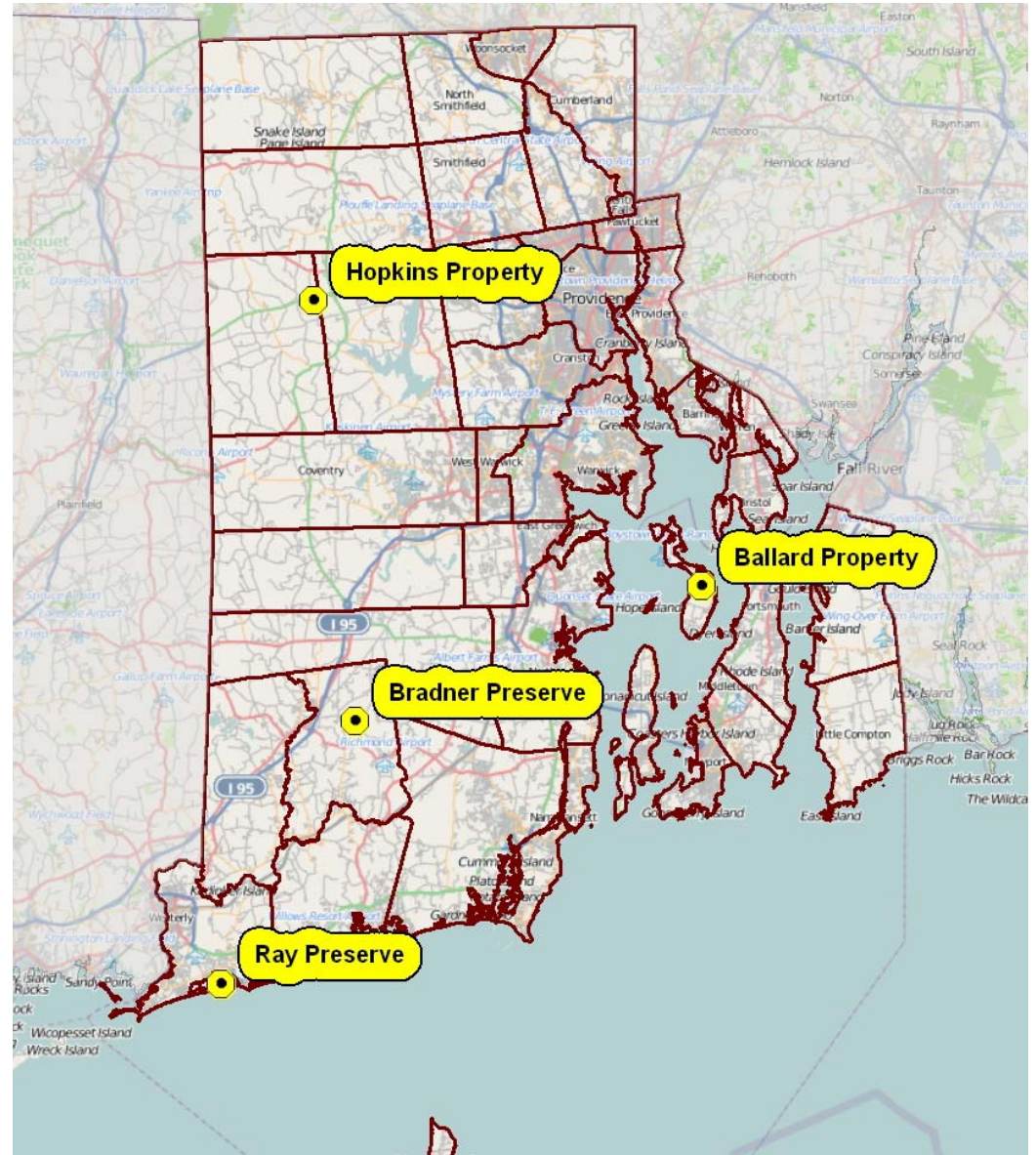
Testing the Protocol

Richmond LT
Foster LT
Weekapaug Foundation
Prudence Conservancy

Project Implementation

Linda Steere
Carol Trocki

Testing the Protocol

- **Use BDR V 1.0 as guide**

- **Review process**

- **Revise BDR protocol V 2.0**

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Review Process

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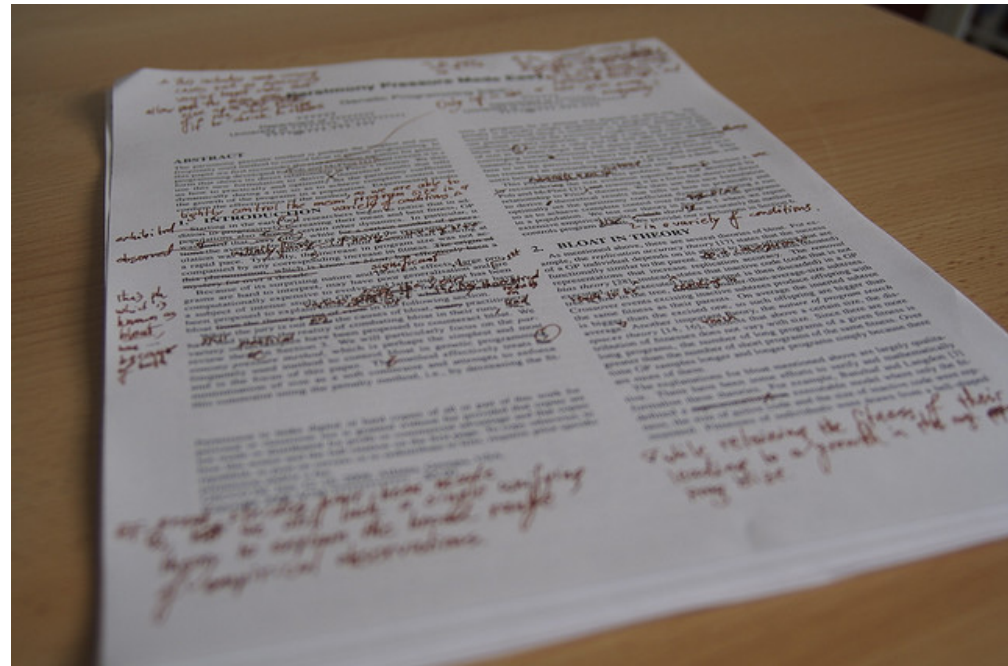
Outcome

• **Post BDR V 2.0 on web**

• **Post four BDRs on web as examples**

Next Step

Baseline Inventory

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Phase 2

Monitor Condition and Determine if Mgt. Actions Having Desired Outcome