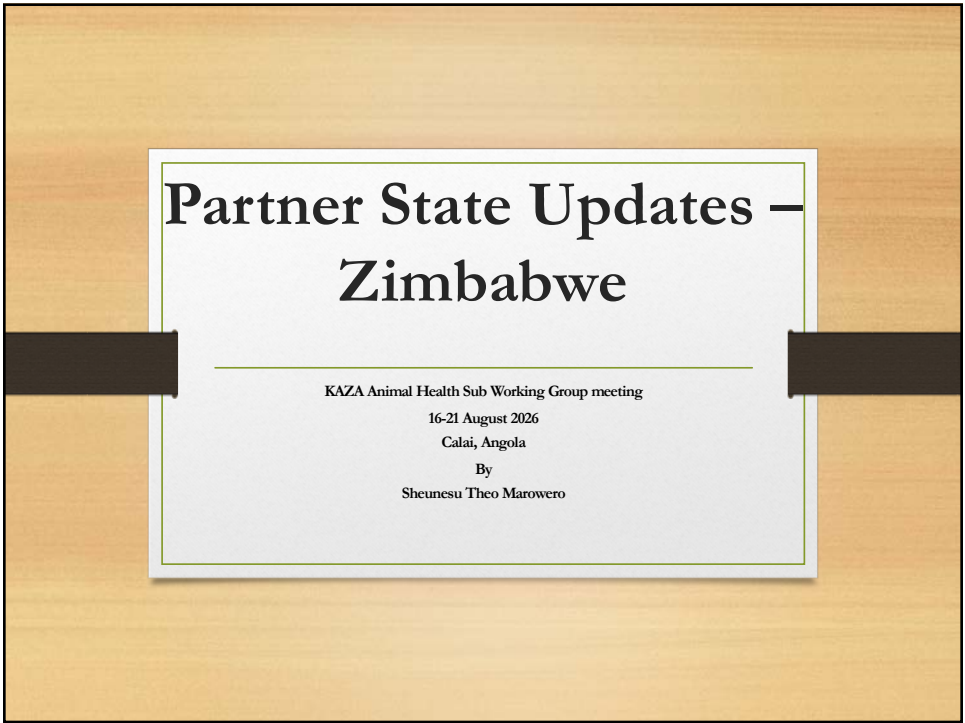
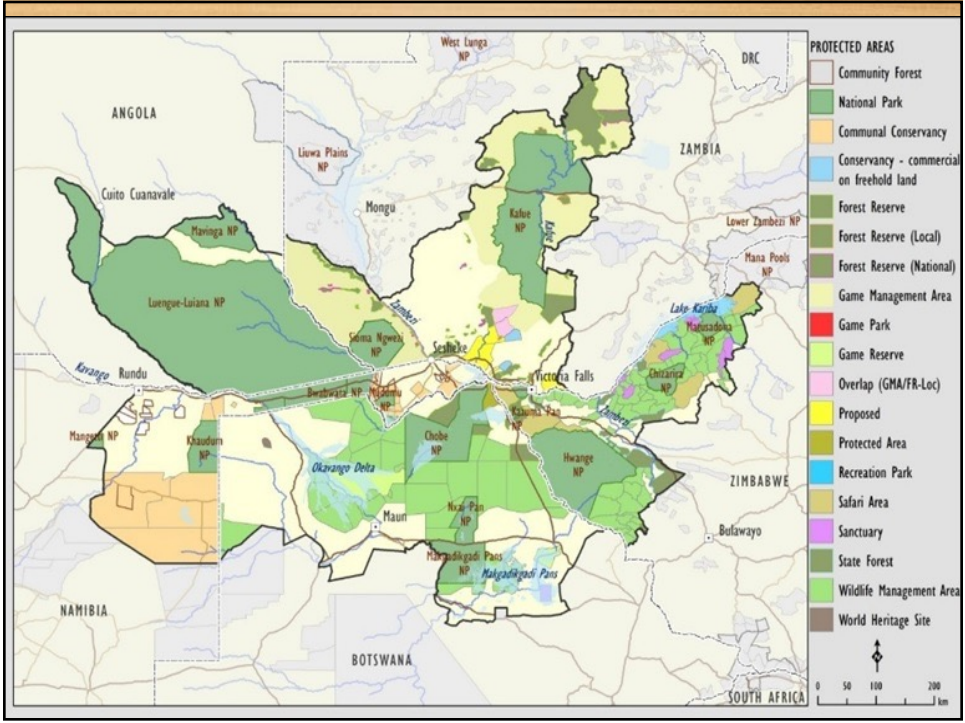




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ZIMBABWE DISTRICTS IN KAZA



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A. EMERGING ISSUES AT HUMAN-LIVESTOCK- WILDLIFE INTERFACE IN — THE KAZA LANDSCAPE —

- Tier 1 Priority Disease Outbreaks
- RABIES-Spp: Canine, Caprine, Bovine
- Areas: Hwange, Binga, Vic Falls, Gokwe North
- Control measures:
- Rabies awareness and Mass rabies vaccination campaigns
- Challenges: Low turnouts for rabies vaccinations-to avoid payment

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Disease outbreaks.....

ANTHRAX

Spp:

- Bovine
- Human-4 cases

Area: Gokwe North

Control:

- 162 903 cattle vaccinated against anthrax in Gokwe North and South

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Human-Wildlife Conflicts

Area	Binga	Hwange	Tsholotsho
Number of cases	250	114	76

- Total number of cases: 440
- Predators: Hyenas, crocodiles, Lions, Jackals
- Animals preyed on: Cattle, goats, donkeys
- Control: Awareness, kraaling of animals during the night
- Including damage to crops by elephants and buffalo

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B. ACTIVITIES IN THE KAZA LANDSCAPE

Vaccination campaigns

- Rabies : 66 060
- Anthrax -259 503
- FMD -6712

Sero-surveillance

- Peste des Petits Ruminants (PPR)-Goats and sheep
- Samples collected: 924
- Contagious Bovine Pleuropneumonia (CBPP): 206 samples

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B. ACTIVITIES IN THE KAZA LANDSCAPE (contd.)

Training of laboratory personnel

- Bovine brucellosis laboratory testing
- Hosted by Victoria Falls Wildlife Trust and facilitated by FAO
- Farmer trainings in the KAZA region by the Directorate of Veterinary Services (Disease reporting, Rabies and FMD awareness)

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C. CHALLENGES IN THE KAZA LANDSCAPE

- Poor vaccination turn-outs
- Human wildlife conflicts
- Training of first respondents –sample collection ,postmortem ,crime scene management
- Funding –sample collection(vehicles and consumables)

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D. FENCING ISSUES RELEVANT TO KAZA

- Fencing proposal of Hwange and Chizarira National Parks
- Distance: 400kms around Hwange NP and 230 kms around Chizarira NP

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E. RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE KAZA AHSWG

- Natural disaster preparedness: El Nino
- Early detection of transboundary animal diseases
- Put measures in place to reduce human-wildlife conflict e.g education and awareness