

- flora, and fauna
- Advocating and teaching cave conservation
- Owning and managing 30 caves on 18 preserves, including those protecting endangered bats and other species

WHITE-NOSE SYNDROME (WNS)

In the face of WNS, the NSS provides:

- Unmatched knowledge about caves and bat hibernacula
- Scientists conducting dedicated WNS research
- Critical manpower and skills
- Research grants
- Knowledgeable advocates for conserving cave resources, including bats