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Comments: The Public needs detailed information about this Project before it begins and must be given an opportunity for input before particular wells are prioritized and selected for intervention. The public needs answers to the following questions. Please make this information available to the public and allow time to receive and consider comments prior to finalizing plans, so input from Ohio citizens can be incorporated:

1. How many wells have been capped/plugged under the current plan? What is their condition? What was the cost of each? Has the capping/plugging been effective? How much disturbance of soil, wetlands, and vegetation (quantified by carbon emissions, acreage, tree volume, species, and number) was required to achieve these results?
2. How are the wells slated for intervention being prioritized? What are the environmental costs and benefits (including ghg emissions, destruction of habitat and wetlands, logging, road building, and soil compaction) of each intervention? Furnish maps and emissions data of wells slated to be plugged or capped.
3. Explain how the public can weigh in to assure that "mature" and old-growth trees, habitat of bats and other sensitive species, and wetlands will not be destroyed; what accountability will be in place, since the Wayne has exempted itself from obligation to protect these Forest resources?

Thank you for providing the above information and opportunity for public comment and input.

Sincerely,

Anne Sparks