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Comments: Because a majority of tracts added over the past 50 years to Green Mountain National Forest represent farm land being restored to woodland status, many opportunities exist to advance the restoration process. The plan of work proposed by GMNF staff spells out many projects which will benefit the return of wildlife to the program areas, and will greatly benefit biodiversity in the process. The income from the work of commercial loggers will allow the scope of the work to be extended far beyond that feasible if relying on appropriations, and because of the training and equipment provided by the contractors, can be carried out far more safely than if using Agency employees.