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Comments: This project should be dropped IMMEDIATELY! The ONLY thing we have to removed carbon from the atmosphere are our trees, especially BIG trees so there should be NO MORE TREES being cut down on Public lands. Just STOP! HMUs are junk "science" the WMNF has been using them for years and it's just another excuse to cut trees down. You are just deciding the percentages of a particular age class and species out of the air, there's NO SCIENCE behind it...stop fo0ling yourselves that you're somehow more intelligent than Mother Naturer.

So you're proposing cutting big trees down and planting seedlings after you clearcut...they're gonna DIE, especially in drought years. Just leave the big trees ALONE! If you want to have an effect on climate change....LEAVE the trees alone! It's VERY simple. To hell with the loggers....they can go get their trees off private land like they're already doing. LEAVE the trees alone!

Stop building roads for loggers and that will go a long way toward helping your infrastructure out.

Stop tapping Maple trees....you said it yourself that the forest is under stress....stop letting people take the sap needed by the trees to SURVIVE...how hard is that?

The WMNF has shown that prescribed burning DOES NOT help with oak regeneration, just another stressor on the forest....STOP burning!

DON'T spray herbicides on Public land...how stupid is that?

Keep the darn ATVs OFF the public lands!! They ride all over the place, especially off trails and cause erosion and SCARE Wildlife!!! NO ATVs on the GMNF!!!

As stated earlier DROP this logging project!!! Need to help out the endangered Northern Long Eared bat!!

You talk about enhancing wildlife habitat by logging yet you never do surveys before and after logging to see how you are affecting the wildlife by scaring the daylights out of them with all the noise from logging.

Abandon this project now!!!! Those trees are MUCH MORE VALUABLE sequestering carbon than being chipped up and fed into a biomass plant somewhere.