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Comments: As a former FS wildlife biologist, I implore you to diversify this area of the White Mountain National Forest. I understand there are many uninformed folks asking this project be halted, but it needs some diversity in its habitat. The small whorled pogonia also needs management for it to survive in this location. I am actually upset this project wasn't bigger in scope as it has been over 30 years since the last project in this area. Please hold the course. The wildlife will thank you.