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Comments: I think there is some confusion over terminology such as LSR and HRV/FRV.

In the Nov 8, Project zoom presentation I got the impression the treatment drivers were HRV and/or projected FRV -- in order to create and maintain a healthy, sustainable, fire resilient forest ecosystem.

Then I think I heard reference that some areas would not be treated so as to create a successional trajectory toward late successional. To me this conflicts with maintaining a mid - successional or seral HRV. In other words, I don't believe HRV ever approached Late successional given the Swauk area MFFI range of 4.1 to 9.1 years (Shellhaas, et al, 2007,p. 21).

I think it is unrealistic and a risk to an overall goal of fire, insect/disease resiliency to manage for LSR in any portion of the Swauk.

I believe we can achieve desired long term habitat objectives without a late successional stand structure. I would appreciate a response to these comments; Thank-you PH