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Comments: Dear Sirs, in Northwest Wisconsin, we see how effective active land management can be. Controlled burns are used to protect Barrens areas and foster better habitat for native species. Timber cuts on public land reduce taxes and create succession growth forests which provide excellent habitat for wildlife. Unmanaged forests, by contrast reduce species diversity by narrowing habitat and reducing food sources. Please continue to work with local municipalities, counties, private groups and landowners to provide better habitat for our wildlife while protecting us from fire and lowering taxes.

Regards,

John Graham