



Foothills Landscape Project Collaborative Group

A. Implementable Actions

- Canebrake restoration
- Stream Habitat Improvements (large wood)
- Continuation of prescribed burning within existing burn blocks
- Decommissioning of maintenance level (ML) 2 and ML 1 system roads
- Decommission low-use trails

B. Collaborative Actions – Commercial

- Restoration of southern yellow pine forest on dry sites dominated by mid to late successional Virginia or white pine – 2 aged regeneration harvest
- Restoration of southern yellow pine forest or oak forest sites currently occupied by off-site pine plantations (loblolly or white pine) or failed shortleaf or pitch pine plantations
- Maintenance of southern yellow pine forest – commercial thinning
- Maintenance of oak forest – commercial thinning
- Maintenance of oak forest – expanding gap treatment
- Commercial and non-commercial thinning of pine plantations to improve forest health – commercial thinning
- Create young forest (ESH) by daylighting roads and permanent openings
- Restoring open woodland habitats on appropriate sites
- Canopy gap creation in closed-canopied mesic stands
- Create or expand permanent openings

C. Collaborative Actions – Non-Commercial

- Maintenance of oak forest: mid-story reduction
- Replacement of culverts, fords, or bridges to increase aquatic organism passage and function
- Prescribed fire in new burn blocks to facilitate restoration or maintenance of fire-adapted ecosystems or to reduce hazardous fuels