

**FSC Controlled Wood Specified Risk Subjects  
Mitigation Resources and Information Sources  
MixedWood Fact Sheet Bibliography  
For Fact Sheet Version 4.2**

**Cape Fear Arch**

**Mitigation Resources**

- [Cape Fear Arch Conservation Collaboration - Resources](#): Conservation Plan and Priority Focal Area interactive map.
- [North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission Green Growth Toolbox](#): technical assistance tool to help communities conserve high-quality habitats.
- [North Carolina SFI Implementation Committee](#): management of forests through training & education.
- [South Carolina Forestry Commission Landowner Services](#): Management recommendations.

**Information Sources**

- [North Carolina Longleaf Commission](#): Landowner Technical Assistance Fact Sheet
- [Charleston South Carolina Post & Courier](#): Cape Fear Arch Has Vast Influence. Descriptive Article.

**Central Appalachian CBA**

**Mitigation Resources**

- [SFI Implementation Committee Map](#): Find your local SFI community.
- [USDA/US Forest Service Southern Region](#): Website with state/regional-specific links.
- [USDA/US Forest Service Southern Region](#): Resource Management
- [National Association of State Foresters: Best Management Practices](#): Website map with links to other BMP resources.
- [Appalachian Landscape Conservation Cooperative](#): Website map with contacts, resources, and projects to protect, conserve, and educate benefits.

**Information Sources**

- [NatureServe Ecological System Comprehensive Report](#): Southern & Central Appalachian Cove Forest. Report.
- [National Fish & Wildlife Foundation](#) - The Southeastern Aquatic Biodiversity Conservation Plan: PDF.
- [Appalachian Mountains Joint Venture: Focal Landscapes](#). Link to website and state-specific fact sheets.

**Central Appalachian CBA**

**Mitigation Resources**

- [The Wilderness Society](#) – Sustainability: Sierra Nevada Forests. Links to protecting wild places in Sierra Nevada national forests.

- [Pacific Forest Trust - Support](#). Project description & support opportunity.
- [Sierra Nevada Alliance](#). Program descriptions, support opportunities, information, and resources.
- [University of California: Agriculture & Natural Resources](#). Learn More page. Links to help sustain the resilience of forest ecosystems.

### Information Sources

- [Ecosystems of California Threats & Responses: Supplement for Decision-Making](#). Link to PDF.
- [US Forest Service](#): Managing Sierra Nevada Forests. Links to PDF and individual table of content topics.
- [Sierra Nevada Meadows Data Clearinghouse - Resources](#). Article and report support for National Fish & Wildlife Foundation meadow initiative.

## Central Florida CBA

### Mitigation Resources

- [Florida Department of Agriculture](#) – Silviculture Best Management Practices (BMPs).
- [SFI Florida State Implementation Committee](#) – Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI) Implementation Committee. Landowner resources.
- [Florida Forestry Association](#): Find Your County Forester.

### Information Sources

- [University of Florida - Upland Forest Ecosystems](#). Links to resources and Florida forest ecosystems descriptions.
- [Florida Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission](#): Florida's Wildlife Action Plan.
- [Florida Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission](#): Florida's Cooperative Conservation Blueprint.

### Social Value

- [Florida State Parks - The Pine Flatwoods Trail](#): Trail description within Dade Battlefield Historic State Park
- [USDA & US Forest Service - Southern Region Viewing Area for Pine Flatwoods & Celebrating Wildflowers](#): Description and directions

## Cheoah Bald Salamander

### Information Sources

- [Amphibian Survival Alliance](#). Includes links to resources.
- [Amphibiaweb website](#). Includes links to references.
- [iNaturalist website](#). Includes a detailed range map.
- [Amphibians & Reptiles of North Carolina \(NC PARC\)](#). Description.
- [International Union for Conservation of Nature \(IUCN\) "Red List"](#). Includes references & status.
- [Amphibian & Reptile Conservancy website](#). Program description & support opportunity.

- [North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission](#): 2015 Wildlife Action Plan.

## Forest Conversion

### Mitigation Resources

- [Keeping Forests as Forests](#). Information website about forest conversion.
- [Land Trust Alliance](#): Conserve Your Land.

### Information Sources

- [USDA-Forest Service](#): Open Space Conservation Strategy. Link to publication.
- [Southeast Conservation Adaptation Strategy - Southeast Conservation Blueprint](#): Spatial plan that identifies priority areas.
- [United States Department of Agriculture \(USDA\)](#) - Forest Service (FS): Southern Forest Futures Project: summary report (SRS-GTR-168).

### Social Value

- [Dovetail Partners](#). Understanding Payments For Ecosystem Services: Opportunities for Forests, Water and Private Landowners in Georgia and the Southeastern United States. PDF.
- [USDA & Forest Service](#). Forests to Faucets 2.0. Connecting Forests, Water, and Communities. PDF.
- [Keeping Forests: Public Opinion Research on Southern Forests](#). PDF.
- [Southeastern Partnerships for Forests & Water](#): Healthy Forests = Clean Water. PDF.

## Dusky Gopher Frog

### Information Sources

- [US Fish & Wildlife Service News](#): Recovery Plan for Endangered Frog Available.
- [The Wildlife Society website](#): Dusky Gopher Frog. Status updates & information.
- [Amphibian Survival Alliance](#): Amphibiaweb website. Includes links to references.
- [NatureServe Explorer website](#): Dusky Gopher Frog. Status updates & information.
- [International Union for Conservation of Nature \(IUCN\) "Red List"](#). Includes references & status.
- [Center for Biological Diversity website](#). Status updates & information.
- [Treehugger website](#): Why the Little Dusky Gopher Frog Matters. Online article.

## Florida Panhandle CBA

### Mitigation Resources

- [Florida Department of Agriculture](#) – Silviculture Best Management Practices (BMPs).

- [Northwest Florida Water Management District](#) – Apalachicola River and Bay Overview & SWIM Plan.
- [Florida Sustainable Forestry Initiative \(SFI\) Implementation Committee](#). Landowner resources.
- [Florida Forestry Association](#) - Find Your County Forester.

### Information Sources

- [University of Florida](#) - Upland Forest Ecosystems: Description & links to resources.
- [Florida Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission](#): Florida's Cooperative Conservation Blueprint.
- [Southeastern Partnerships for Forests & Water](#) - Healthy Forests = Clean Water. Fact Sheet PDF.
- [NatureServe](#) - Longleaf Pine Sandhill: Ecological Report.
- [Eglin Air Force Base](#) - Giving Mother Nature a Hand. Article.

## Houston Toad

### Information Sources

- [Texas Parks & Wildlife website](#). Wildlife Fact Sheet.
- [US Fish & Wildlife Service website](#). Endangered Species Summary.
- [Amphibian Index: The Animal Files](#). Animal Encyclopedia website.
- [International Union for Conservation of Nature \(IUCN\) "Red List"](#). Includes references and status.
- [US Fish & Wildlife Service website](#). Voluntary Conservation Program to Benefit the Endangered Houston Toad.

## Klamath-Siskiyou CBA

### Mitigation Resources

- [Pacific Forest Trust website](#). Project description & support opportunity.
- [Partnership for Forestry Education](#) - Oregon: Know your Forest. Educational Website for OR Forest Landowners.
- [Siskiyou Field Institute website](#). Program description & support opportunity.
- [Klamath-Siskiyou Wildlands Center](#). Program description & support opportunity.

### Information Sources

- [Conservation Biology Institute](#): Assessment of the Klamath-Siskiyou. Online summary with links to publication.
- [California Wilderness Coalition](#) - Siskiyou Proposed Wilderness Area Additions: Fact Sheet PDF.

## Late Successional Bottomland Hardwoods



## Mitigation Resources

- [USDA US Forest Service Southern Region Resource Management](#): Website to resource links.
- [International Erosion Control Association \(IECA\) Southeast Chapter](#) - Resources: Guidelines & Regulations by state.
- [US Army Corps of Engineers](#) - Restoring Bottomland Hardwoods Forests. PDF.
- [Forest Stewardship Guild](#) - Southeast Region: Key projects, reports, and publications.

## Information Sources

- [USDA US Forest Service Southern Region](#) - Southern Hardwood Management. PDF.
- [US EPA - Bottomland Hardwoods](#). Online article.
- [USDA US Forest Service Southern Resource Station](#) - A Guide to Bottomland Hardwood Restoration: PDF.
- [Louisiana Department of Wildlife & Fisheries](#) - Bottomland Hardwood Forests: PDF.
- Mississippi State University Extension - Bottomland Hardwood Management: Website with link to PDF download.

## Social Value

- [Dogwood Alliance](#) - The Value of Bottomland Hardwoods Swamps. Article.
- [National Park Service](#) - Congaree National Park. Information & maps.
- [North Carolina State University](#) - The Ecological and Economic Values of Bottomland Swamps/Hardwoods in the South. PDF.

## Lesser Slender Salamander

### Information Sources

- [California Herps website](#). Includes links & references.
- [Partners in Amphibian & Reptile Conservation](#): Habitat Management Guides. Link to guidance.
- [Amphibian Survival Alliance](#): Link to resources.
- [Amphibiaweb website](#). Includes links to references.
- [International Union for Conservation of Nature \(IUCN\) "Red List"](#). Includes references & status.

## Mesophytic Cove Sites

### Mitigation Resources

- [Management Guide for Invasive Plants in Southern Forests](#) – United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Forest Service. Additional references & resources cited.
- [USDA US Forest Service Southern Research Station](#) - A Field Guide for ID of invasive plants in southern forests. PDF.
- [Eco Foresters](#) - Forestry Resources for Landowners: Website with links and resources.



## Information Sources

- [Rich Mesophytic Forest Guide](#): A detailed description & guide by New York Natural Heritage Program. Additional resources cited.
- [NatureServe Ecological System Comprehensive Report](#): Southern and Central Appalachian Cove Forest (CES202.373). Additional references cited.
- [The Nature Conservancy](#) - Southern & Central Appalachian Forest Cover. Fact Sheet PDF.
- [USDA US Forest Service](#) - Herbaceous species composition and richness of mesophytic cove forests in southern Appalachians; synthesis and knowledge gaps: PDF.

## Social Value

- [National Park Service/New River Gorge National Park](#) - Mixed Mesophytic Forest: website with recreation opportunities within these forests.
- [Library of Congress](#) - Tending the Commons: Folklife and Landscape in Southern West Virginia: Article.

## Native Longleaf Pine Systems

### Mitigation Resources

- [America's Longleaf website](#). Conservation planning. Status reports.
- [The Longleaf Alliance](#) - Support: website link to membership, involvement, and corporate sustainability programs
- [United States Department of Agriculture \(USDA\) - Forest Service](#). Restoration of southern pine ecosystems. Article with research findings.
- [Shortleaf Pine Initiative website](#). Restoration information.
- [United States Department of Agriculture \(USDA\)](#) – Forest Service (FS) Southern Research Station: Restoring and Managing Longleaf Pine Ecosystems (RWU-4158). Links to additional resources and publications.

### Information Sources

- [United States Department of Agriculture \(USDA\)](#) - Forest Service (FS) Pacific Northwest Research Station - Science Findings: Restoring a Disappearing Ecosystem: the Longleaf Pine Savanna.
- [United States Department of Agriculture \(USDA\)/Natural Resources Conservation Service \(NRCS\)](#) - Plant Fact Sheet: Longleaf Pine
- [The Nature Conservancy](#): The Role of Fire. Online article.

### Social Value

- [University of Arizona/Sean C. Zion](#) - The Right Tree, Right Now: Advantages, Values, & Benefits of Longleaf Pine Ecosystem Management. Scholarly paper.
- [North Carolina Forest Service](#) Longleaf Leaflet - The Economics of Longleaf Pine Management: PDF.

## Old Growth Forests



## Mitigation Resources

- [Ecotrust](#) - Tipping the balance to more carbon storage in Pacific Northwest Forests. Article.
- [Land Trust Alliance - Conserve Your Land](#): Resource listings for support opportunities.
- [Sierra Forest Legacy website](#). Regional status and resource links.
- [SFI Implementation Committee Map](#): find your local SFI community.

## Information Sources

- [National Commission of Science for Sustainable Forestry](#): Beyond Old Growth – Older Forests in a Changing World. Publication with included references.
- [Conservation Biology Institute](#): Old Growth Forests in the Pacific Northwest, USA. GIS data collection.

## Social Value

- [Forest Stewards Guild - Old growth forests deserve protection](#): Article.
- [The Wilderness Society](#) - 6 reasons old-growth forests are really important. Article.
- [Volunteer Latin America](#) - The Healing Power of Old Growth Forests. Article.

## Patch-nosed Salamander

### Information Sources

- [U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service](#). Patch-nosed salamander information website.
- [ResearchGate](#). Life History and Habitat of the Rare Patch-nosed Salamander document.
- [International Union for Conservation of Nature \(IUCN\) website](#). A comprehensive resource for global conservation status.

## Southern Appalachian CBA

### Mitigation Resources

- [Georgia Forestry Commission](#): Forestry Best Management Practices (BMPs).
- [Alabama Department of Environmental Management](#): Forestry Best Management Practices (BMPs).
- [Alabama Soil & Water Conservation Committee](#): Erosion and Sediment Control website.
- [Alabama Extension](#): Management of Hardwood Forests for Timber in Alabama. Online article.
- [Alabama Forests Magazine online](#). Forestry advice for landowners.
- [Landscape Partnership](#): Biodiversity “Hotspot” description.

### Information Sources

- [Highlands Biological Center website](#): Biodiversity of the Southern Appalachians.
- [Conservation GIS Southern Appalachian Forest Coalition website](#). Project descriptions.

- [USDA-FS Southern Research Station](#). Paper SRS-41: Ecological Zones in the Southern Appalachians: 1st Approximation.

### **Social Value**

- [Cahaba River Society](#) - **About the Cahaba River**: Article, video, and description of values.
- [The Wilderness Society](#) - **Things to Do: Southern Appalachians**: article with links.