## AMERICA'S SOUTHERN PINEY WOODS

Pine plantations are about as Southern as sweet tea. They're great for the economy, but potentially not so great for turkeys and other wildlife. If you see a turkey walking through a clean stand of pines, you can bet it's just passing through. We've got to bring back habitat diversity to the South. It's time for a **SOUTHERN PINE REVIVAL**.



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HABITAT LOSS Development and urban sprawl have altered the southern landscape. We must work to maximize wildlife use of the remaining habitat.

# **HEALTHY FORESTS** Only 3 percent of the Southeast's original longleaf pine forest remains. This native species has been replaced by forests that aren't as wildlife friendly.

### HABITAT DIVERSITY Active timber management and using controlled burns creates the wide range of habitat types wildlife needs to thrive, including forests of all ages.

## THE NWTF WILL LEAD A SOUTHERN PINE REVIVAL

- Our volunteers, wildlife biologists, foresters and partners have joined forces to actively manage forests for the betterment of wildlife and the people who enjoy them. We subscribe to the philosophy of "turn it and burn it," using thinning and controlled burns to keep forests healthy.
- We'll work to restore the longleaf pine to its historical range and ensure all southern forests are managed for economic benefits while providing quality habitat for all wildlife.

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