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### DO YOU RECOGNIZE IMPORTANT WILDLIFE HABITAT WHEN YOU SEE IT?

Durham, NH - UNH Cooperative Extension announces publication of four new brochures in the New Hampshire Wildlife Action Plan: Habitat Stewardship Series. The 8-brochure series aims to help landowners learn about and help conserve important wildlife habitats found on their land.

The new brochures cover four habitat types critical for wildlife species at risk in New Hampshire: Peatlands, Appalachian Oak-Pine Forests, Shrublands, and Lowland Spruce-Fir Forests. Previously published brochures in the Habitat Stewardship Series include brochures on Grasslands, Vernal Pools, Marsh & Shrub Wetlands, and Floodplain Forests.

The colorful brochures include practical information for landowners. Pictures and text explain how to identify habitat types, describe the major threats to the health of those habitats, and offer information about wildlife species that depend on each habitat. The brochures also provide specific management recommendations for landowners interested in helping to conserve the wildlife that depend on each critical habitat type.

The brochures were produced by the University of New Hampshire Cooperative Extension with support from the Sustainable Forestry Initiative and the New Hampshire Fish & Game Department. Landowners may download brochures at [www.nhwoods.org](http://www.nhwoods.org) or receive a single set free through the UNH Forestry Information Center (call 1-800-444-8978, email [forest.info@unh.edu](mailto:forest.info@unh.edu)).



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