

Controlled Wood FSC US National Risk Assessment: **Resources for Mitigation – Late Successional Bottomland Hardwoods**

The following provides a list of organizations, regional programs, collaborative partnerships, research groups and universities, or agencies who are working on issues relevant to Late Successional Bottomland Hardwoods. This list is provided as a resource for certified organizations as they seek to implement mitigation options in the region. Certified organizations are not limited to working with the entities listed herein. FSC US does not endorse any particular resource – it is the responsibility of the certified organization to assess the adequacy of the resource for their particular context and intended use.

This list will continue to be updated, check the FSC US Controlled Wood National Risk Assessment website for updates.

If you have recommendations for entities to add to this list of resources, please contact FSC US at j.anderson@us.fsc.org.

Organizations & Regional Programs

[Forest Stewards Guild – Southeast Region](#) – provides outreach, education, training, and research to land managers and landowners in the southeast US.

[Bottomland Hardwoods Management](#)

[Report: Ecological Forestry Practices for Bottomland Hardwood Forests of the Southeastern U.S.](#)

[Lower Mississippi Valley Joint Venture](#) – collaborative partnership to restore forest habitat in the lower Mississippi valley.

[Restoration, Management, and Monitoring of Forest Resources in the Mississippi Alluvial Valley: Recommendations for Enhancing Wildlife Habitat](#)

[Louisiana Land Conservation Assistance Network – Forest Resources and Bottomland Hardwoods in state wide Region](#) – focuses on working with landowners to protect wetlands, forests, farms, and endangered species habitats (including bottomland hardwoods).

[Mississippi State University – Bottomland Hardwood Management](#) – habitat description and source for publications and other resources.

[Managing the Family Forest in Mississippi](#)

[Bottomland Hardwood Management Species/Site Relationships](#)

[National Fish and Wildlife Foundation – Lower Mississippi Alluvial Valley Restoration Fund](#) – funds restoration and conservation projects focused on wetlands and bottomland hardwoods in the region.

[Texas Coastal Watershed Program](#) – database of programs providing financial incentives and technical services for wetland conservation.



[Riparian & Bottomland Habitats](#)

[University of Florida Extension - Bottomland Forest Ecosystems](#) – provides a summary of bottomland forest systems and links to additional resources.

[The Importance of Bottomland Hardwood Forests for Wildlife](#)

Research & Reports

[Beyond Old Growth: Older Forests in a Changing World](#) – resource developed for the conservation of old growth forests by the National Commission on Science for Sustainable Forestry (2008).

[Southern Research Station – Center for Forested Wetlands Research](#) – focused on development of information to sustainably manage and restore forested wetlands.

[USGS Technical Report - A Guide to Bottomland Hardwood Restoration](#) – provides information for land managers and landowners on restoring vegetation of bottomland hardwood forests.