

Chat Room: Friday, April 8, 2022 - Restoration Committee Meeting

Martin Cipollini:	As I understand TACF's approach, diversification and regionalization of transgenic lines would need to take place before real restoration begins within any region. This will take many years, even with an accelerated breeding program.
Tom Saielli:	agreed
Martin Cipollini:	Thanks, Sara. That's why I added "real" before "restoration". Lots can be done along the way, but many potential cooperators will not want to initiate work unless the material to be planted is acceptable in more than one way.
Sara Fern Fitzsimmons:	Marty - agreed! Some shareholders will want material that does one thing or another. I expect timber folks won't want to mess with material until it can yield timber. And Jared mentioned that the Carbon credits need at least 40 years of life to meet those goals. So there are some minimum standards that we need to meet for different goals of different landowners.
Thomas Klak:	The publicity will come our way with deregulation, whether we want it or not. I'm saying let's carefully create the "Launch Plan"
Martin Cipollini:	Gotta run. I need to help my students prep a longleaf pine restoration site for a controlled burn. Thanks for letting me listen in!
John Hempel:	In all the various plantings, orchards, and maybe particularly in mine reclamation plantings, has anyone ever looked at whether chestnut does well coming up in simulated succession species, like pine? Did Stacey look at anything like that? And just seeing Marty's post, maybe he's one to talk to.
Tom Saielli:	thanks Marty
Thomas Klak:	John D has his hand up
Thomas Klak:	Can't hear
Sara Fern Fitzsimmons:	Hi all - is anyone having trouble hearing the audio coming from the room here in Abingdon?
John Hempel:	It's coming thru OK for me, Sara.
Dennis Liu:	Sound quality from room is excellent
Sara Fern Fitzsimmons:	Thanks, all!
John Hempel:	Thanks Carolyn - I couldn't see how to reply directly
Sara Fern Fitzsimmons:	Thanks everyone for taking the time to join us!!
Yvonne Federowicz:	Have fun at the farm tour folks!