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Using Net Environmental Benefit Analysis to Understand Ecosystem Service Value on Private Lands

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Net environmental benefits are gains in value of environmental services generated from site restoration and/or remediation minus the value of adverse effects caused by these actions. Net Environmental Benefit Analysis (NEBA) is a methodology to compare the environmental cost-benefit associated with competing restoration and/or remediation actions. We will discuss the benefits of a NEBA approach in understanding changes in ecosystem service value associated with actions affecting private lands.

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