

# 25 Years of fire at Nachusa Grasslands



Bill Kleiman

Nachusa Grasslands  
25 Year Fire History

Flagg Rd

1986

0 2,950 5,900 11,800 Feet



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25 Year Fire History

Flagg Rd

1987



0 2,950 5,900 11,800 Feet

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— 1988\_1989\_burn\_units  
— lanes for stewardship vehicles



0 2,950 5,900 11,800 Feet

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Legend

- 1989\_1990\_burn\_units
- lanes for stewardship vehicles



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Legend

- 1990\_1991\_burn\_units
- lanes for stewardship vehicles



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Legend

- 1991\_1992\_burn\_units
- lanes for stewardship vehicles



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No fires 1992

Legend

— lanes for stewardship vehicles



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Legend

1993\_1994\_burn\_units

lanes for stewardship vehicles



0 2,950 5,900 11,800 Feet

# Nachusa Grasslands 25 Year Fire History

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Legend

- 1994\_1995\_burn\_units
- lanes for stewardship vehicles



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Legend  
1995\_1996\_burn\_units  
lanes for stewardship vehicles



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1996\_1997\_burn\_units  
lanes for stewardship vehicles



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1997\_1998\_burn\_units  
lanes for stewardship vehicles



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1998\_1999\_burn\_units  
lanes for stewardship vehicles



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1999\_2000\_burn\_units  
lanes for stewardship vehicles



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2000\_2001\_burn\_units  
lanes for stewardship vehicles



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2001\_2002\_burn\_units  
lanes for stewardship vehicles



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2002\_2003\_burn\_units  
lanes for stewardship vehicles



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2003\_2004\_burn\_units  
lanes for stewardship vehicles



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2004\_2005\_burn\_units  
lanes for stewardship vehicles



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fall\_2005\_spring\_2006\_burn\_areas



0 2,950 5,900 11,800 Feet

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2006

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2007



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2008

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2009

0 2,950 5,900 11,800 Feet

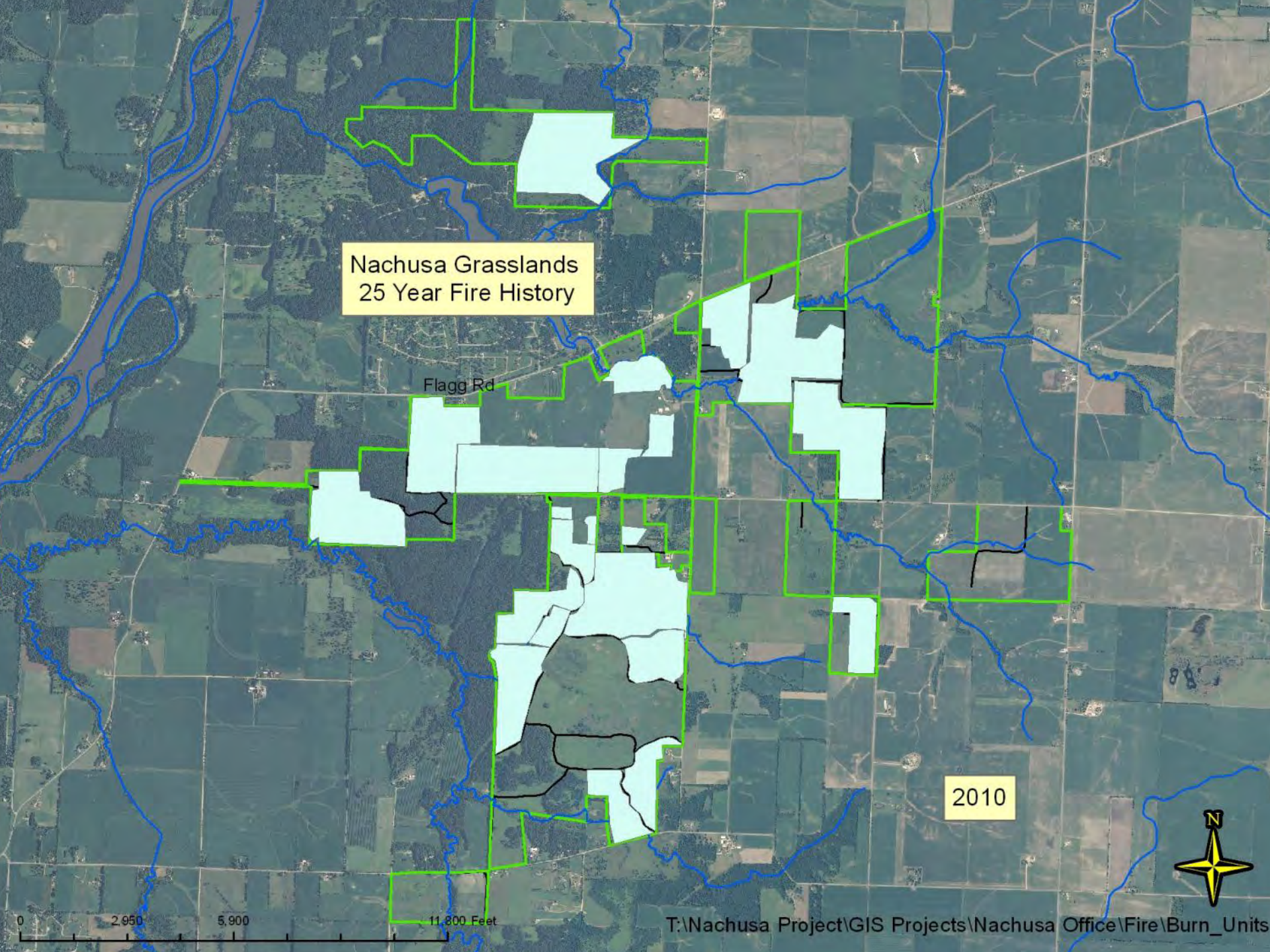


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2010

0 2,950 5,900 11,800 Feet

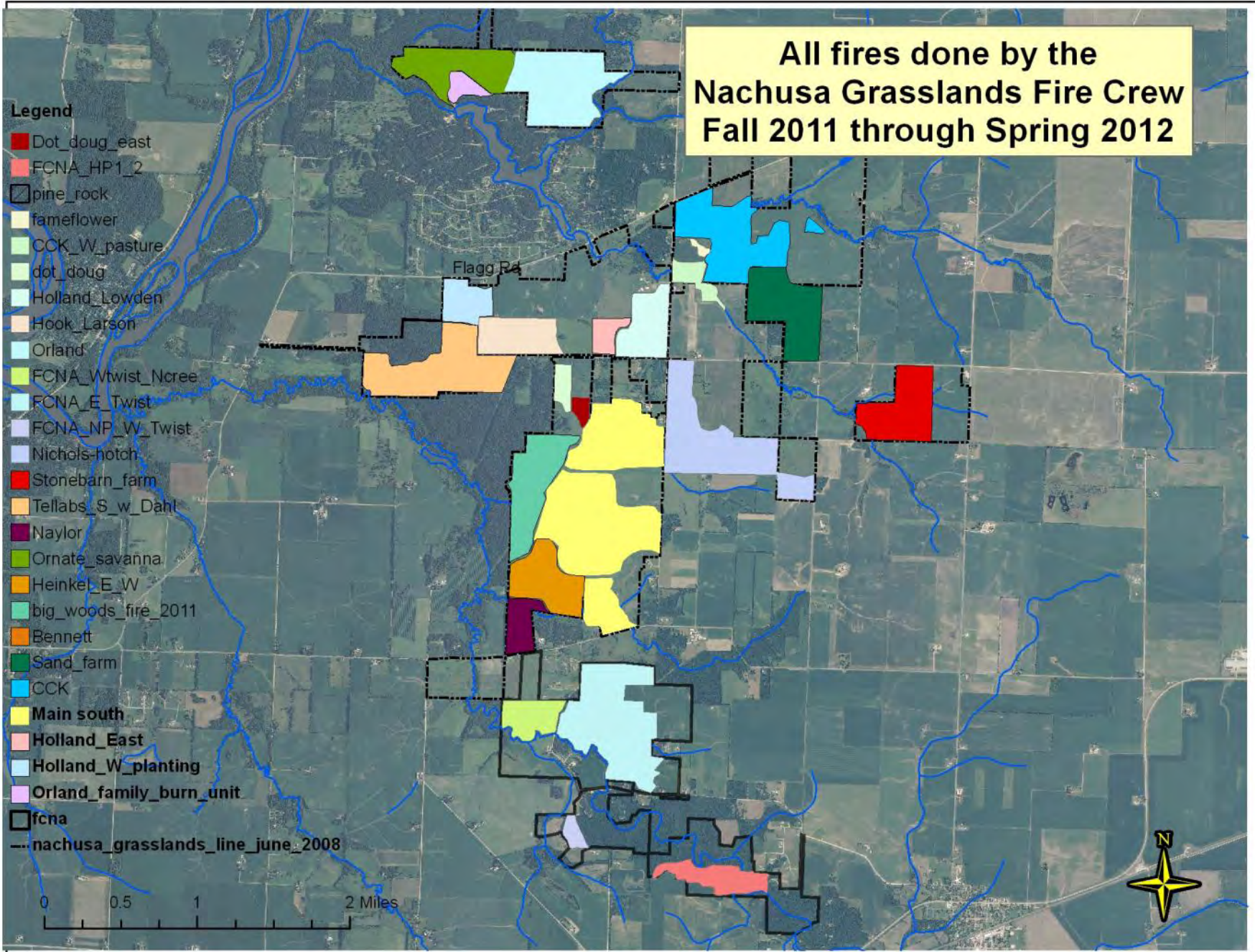
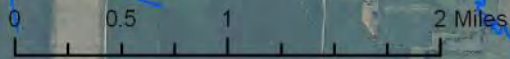


**All fires done by the  
Nachusa Grasslands Fire Crew  
Fall 2011 through Spring 2012**

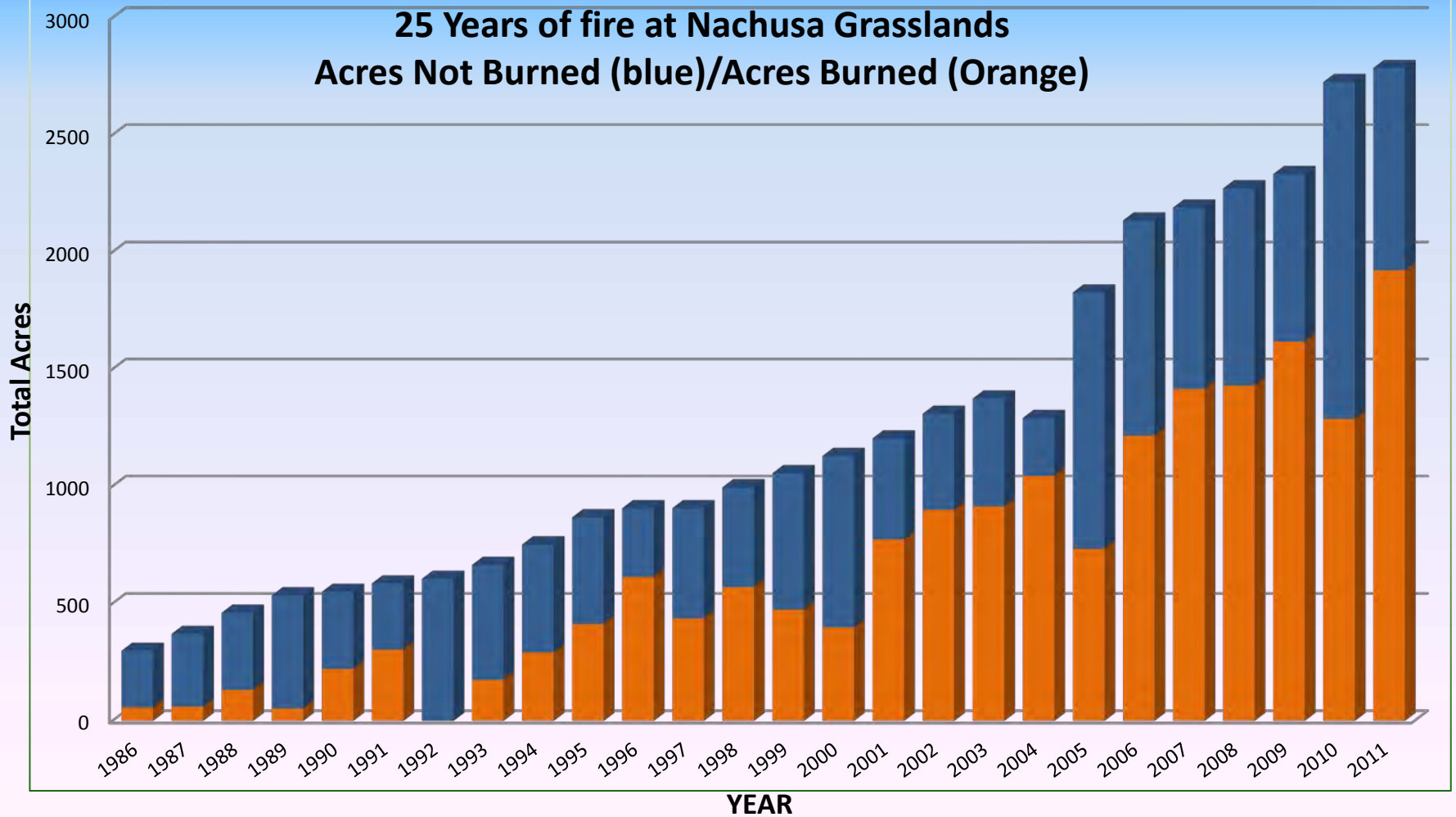
**Legend**

- Dot\_doug\_east
- FCNA\_HP1\_2
- pine\_rock
- fameflower
- CCK\_W\_pasture
- dot\_doug
- Holland\_Lowden
- Hook\_Larson
- Orland
- FCNA\_Wtwist\_Ncree
- FCNA\_E\_Twist
- FCNA\_NP\_W\_Twist
- Nichols-hotch
- Stonebarn\_farm
- Tellabs\_S\_w\_Daht
- Naylor
- Ornate\_savanna
- Heinkel\_E\_W
- big\_woods\_fire\_2011
- Bennett
- Sand\_farm
- CCK
- Main\_south
- Holland\_East
- Holland\_W\_planting
- Orland\_family\_burn\_unit
- fcna
- nachusa\_grasslands\_line\_june\_2008

Flagg Rd



## 25 Years of fire at Nachusa Grasslands Acres Not Burned (blue)/Acres Burned (Orange)













“People of the prairie have become the people of the fire.” – Steve Pyne









# Logistical hurdle: Fire breaks





04/05/2002









# Logistical hurdle: Equipment available and running







04/02/2003







# Getting the fire job done

## Nachusa Grasslands



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