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## IN SUPPORT OF THE NATIONAL PRESCRIBED FIRE ACT

The Climate & Wildfire Institute (CWI) and The Stewardship Project (TSP), a project supported by CWI, are pleased to see the bipartisan introduction of the National Prescribed Fire Act.

The National Prescribed Fire Act would establish key targets for prescribed fire, create critical workforce reforms and streamline actions across federal agencies. The bill includes important liability protections for Tribes and NGOs engaged in beneficial fire use on lands administered by federal agencies. It also highlights the importance of Indigenous stewardship, including fire use, in shaping American landscapes – a first in federal legislation.

CWI and TSP are proud to support this significant step in leveraging beneficial fire to promote healthier, more resilient landscapes across the nation.

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### About the Climate & Wildfire Institute

The Climate & Wildfire Institute (CWI) is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization that connects science to public policy and decision-making to accelerate solutions to a fast-changing climate. As a boundary organization, CWI operates at the nexus among the public, private, tribal, and academic sectors to synthesize policy, science, and operations into cohesive action at the local, state, and federal levels. Learn more: [www.climateandwildfire.org](http://www.climateandwildfire.org)

### About The Stewardship Project

The Stewardship Project, a project of CWI, is a collaboration of leading academics and Indigenous fire practitioners focused on the development of policies that promote active stewardship of forest and other ecosystems, including the Indigenous right to engage in stewardship and co-management, the expanded use of prescribed fire and wildland fire managed for resource benefit, and the development of a sufficient workforce to meet the unprecedented moment we face in stewarding these lands. Learn more:

[www.climateandwildfire.org/cwi-projects/the-stewardship-project](http://www.climateandwildfire.org/cwi-projects/the-stewardship-project)

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