Project Name: Jakabe Prescribed Burn
Location: Paisley Ranger District – Chewaucan Watershed
Map: Jakabe Prescribed Burn
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Description
The project is a component of the 12,500 acre Jackabe Prescribed Burn Project (USFS 2005). Restoring the role of fire to the area and eventually returning to reference or historic conditions is a recurring theme in the project and is seen as an important part of the desired condition of the area.

Late and old structural stands and mid to late-mid seral pine stands would be burned without pretreatment to begin working toward management objectives, where an underburn could be implemented safely. Not all of the acres are expected to burn because the fire is expected to burn in a mosaic pattern. A combination of areas would be the best mix to restore health, vigor and structure into the vegetative communities within the Chewaucan watershed. The eastside of the Chewaucan River is where most of the non-forested vegetative communities are found in the watershed. Returning these areas to reference conditions will bring about the most benefit to the overall ecosystem (Chewaucan Watershed, Ecosystem Analysis at the Watershed Scale, July 1999).