



*Vital, Resilient,
Connected.*

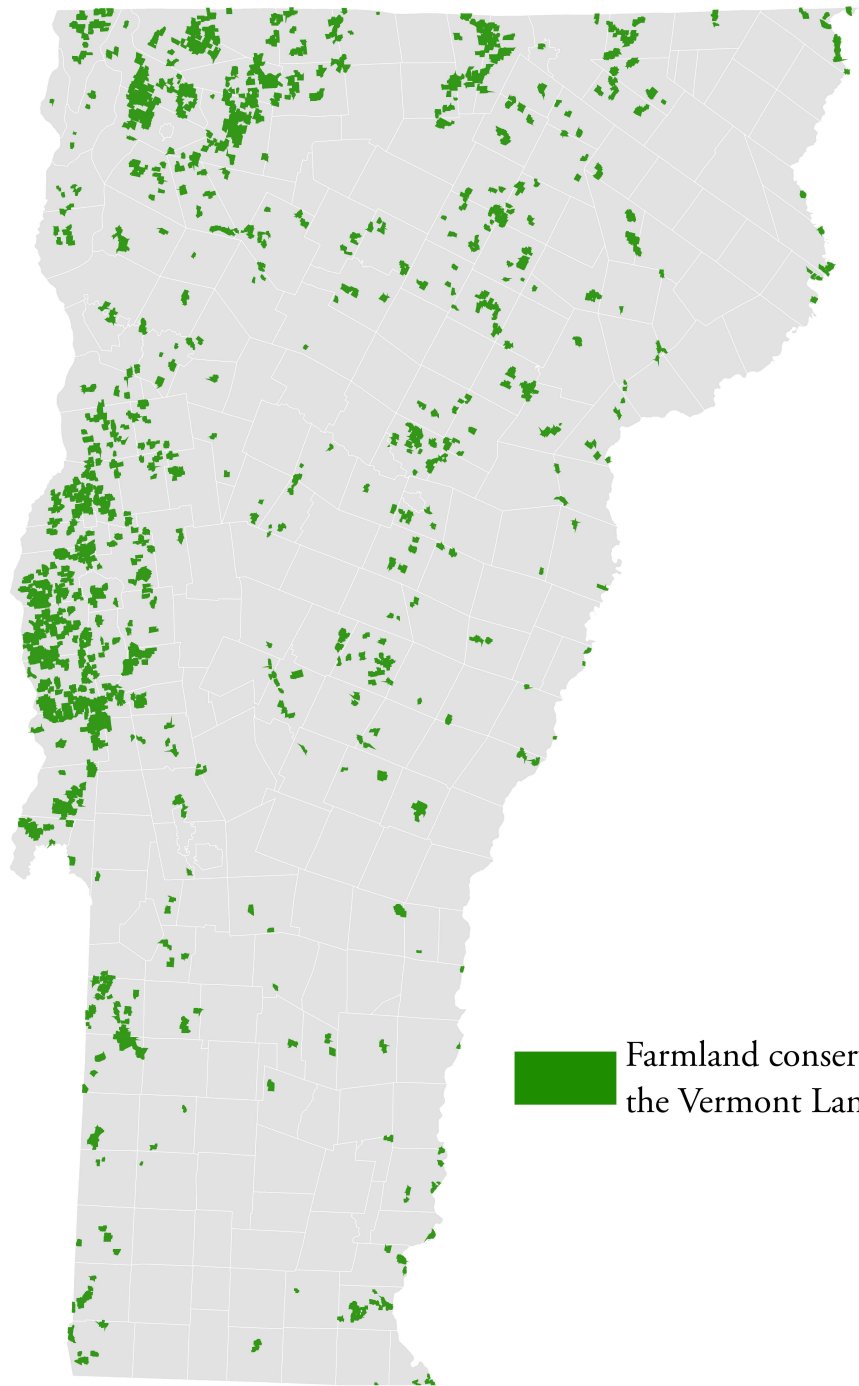
*Testimony for the Vermont
Tax Structure Commission
Monday, September 23rd 2019*

We live in a time of rapid and accelerating change...

- Agricultural Economy
- Intergenerational Transfer of Land
- Climate Change
- Changing relationship to Land
- Demographic Shifts

Our Vision, Today

Vermont's communities and working landscape will be **vital, resilient, and connected.**



 Farmland conserved with
the Vermont Land Trust

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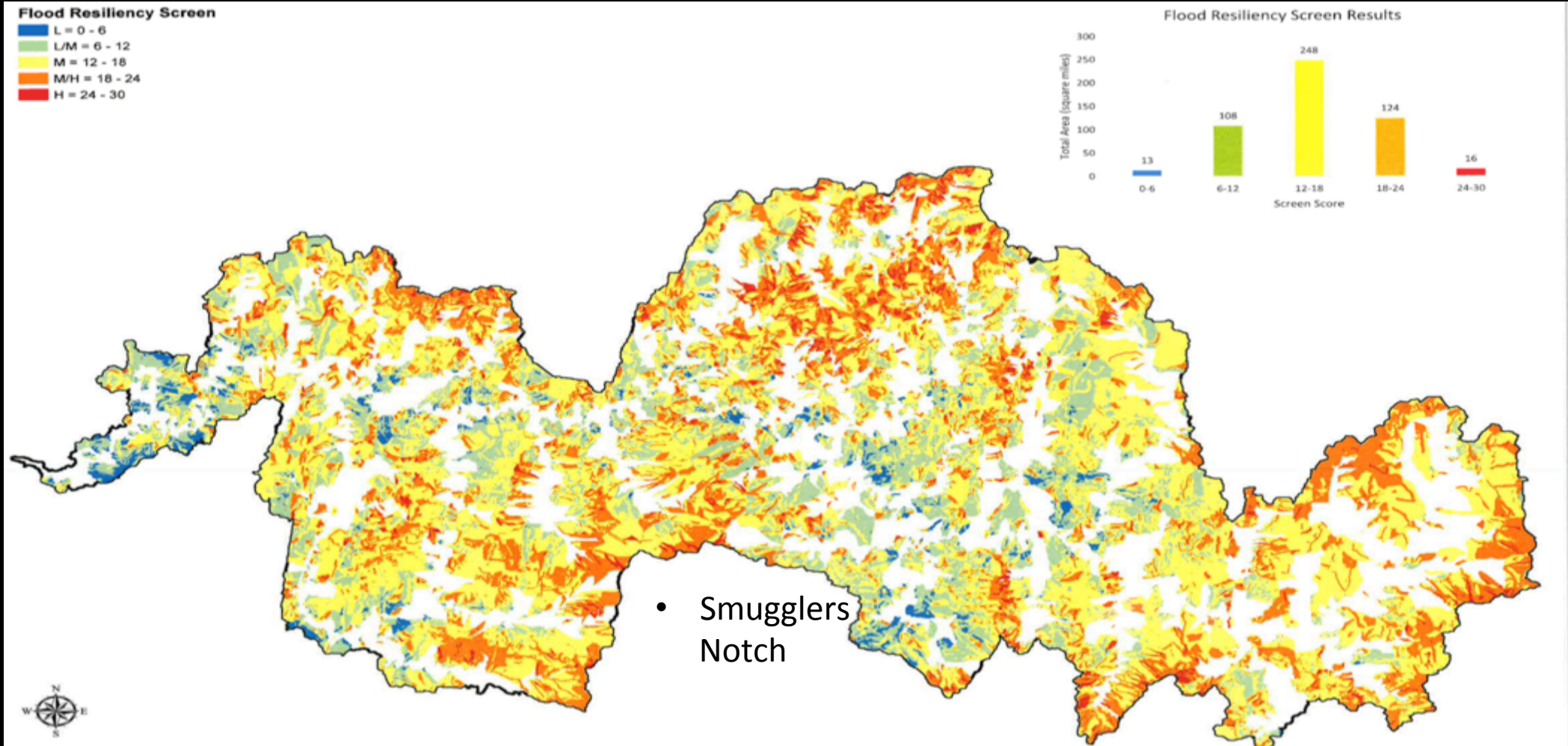
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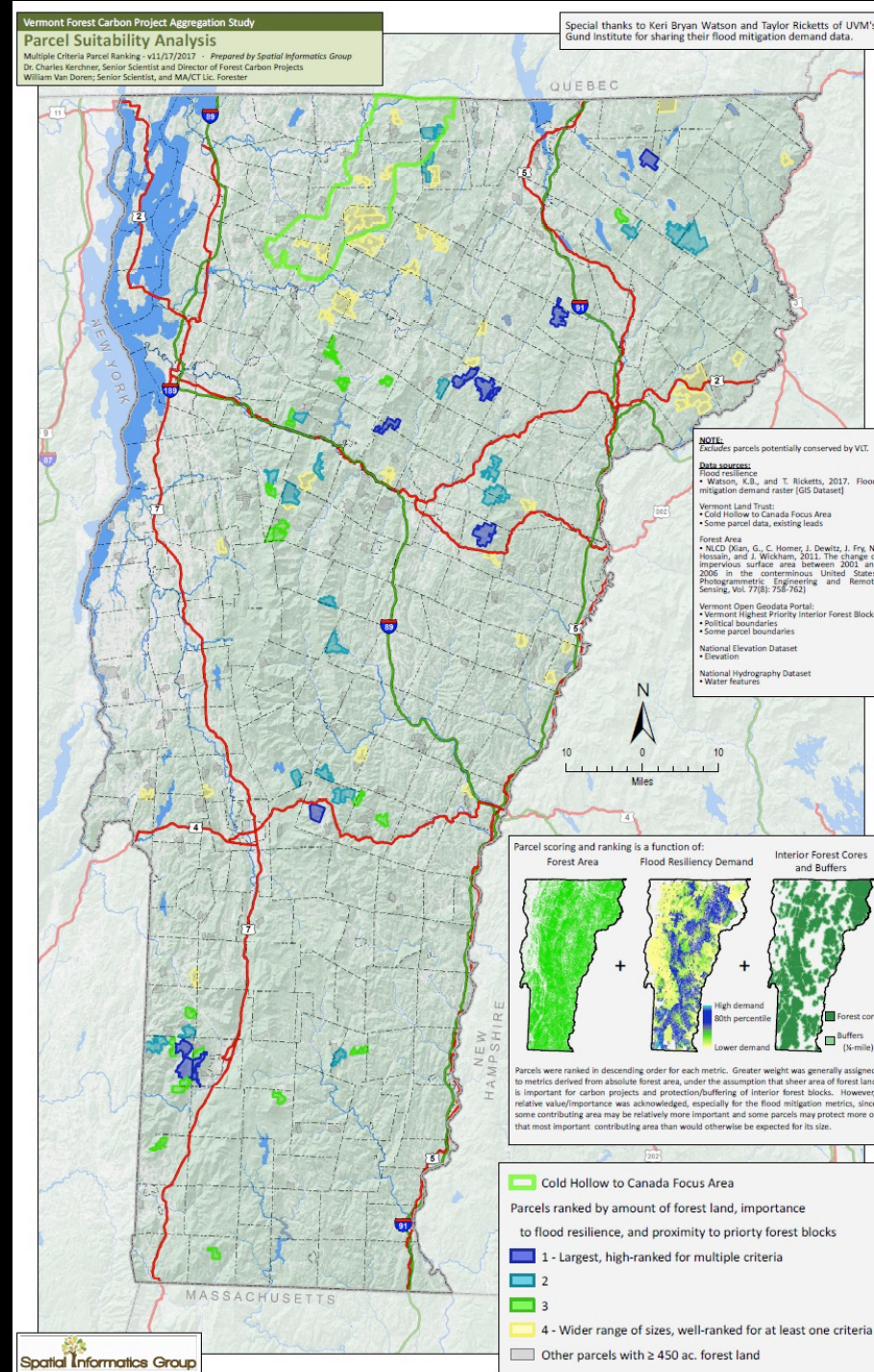
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If you have come
to help me you are
wasting your time.
But if you have
come because your
liberation is bound
up with mine, then
let us work together.

ABORIGINAL
ACTIVISTS
GROUP
QUEENSLAND, 1970s

VERMONT GOAT COLLABORATIVE



WELCOME



