



Prescribed Fire in Podyjí National Park

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Arson like nature protection?



Podyjí National Park



Prescribed burning



Long way to fire...

Burning

Field work

Office work



Prescribed burning

- Several years of study
- Several years of field experiments
- Theory (safety guidelines, methodology, intervention card, etc.)
- Practical preparation (equipment and site adjustment)



Prescribed burnning

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Prescribed burning 2025

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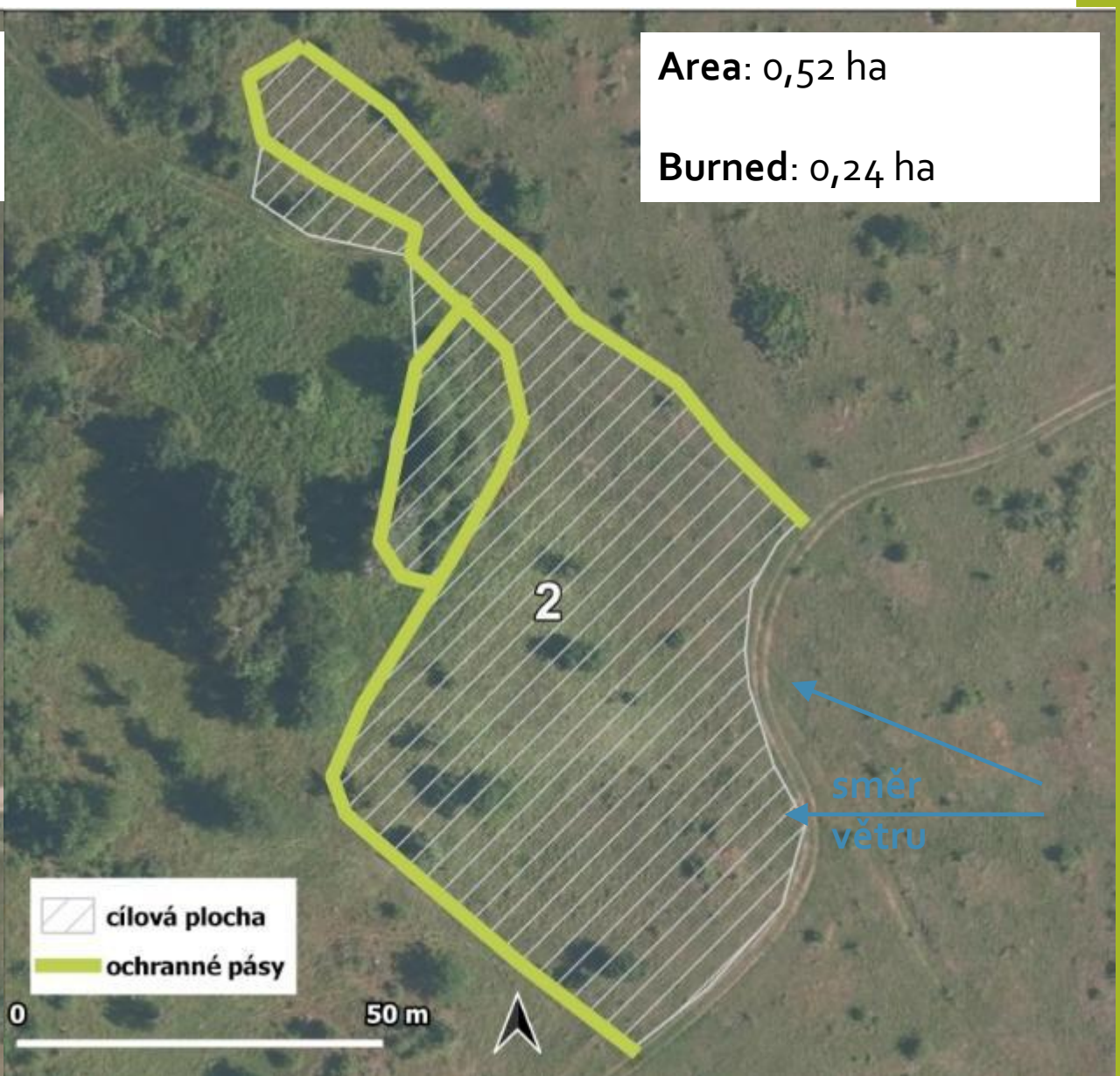
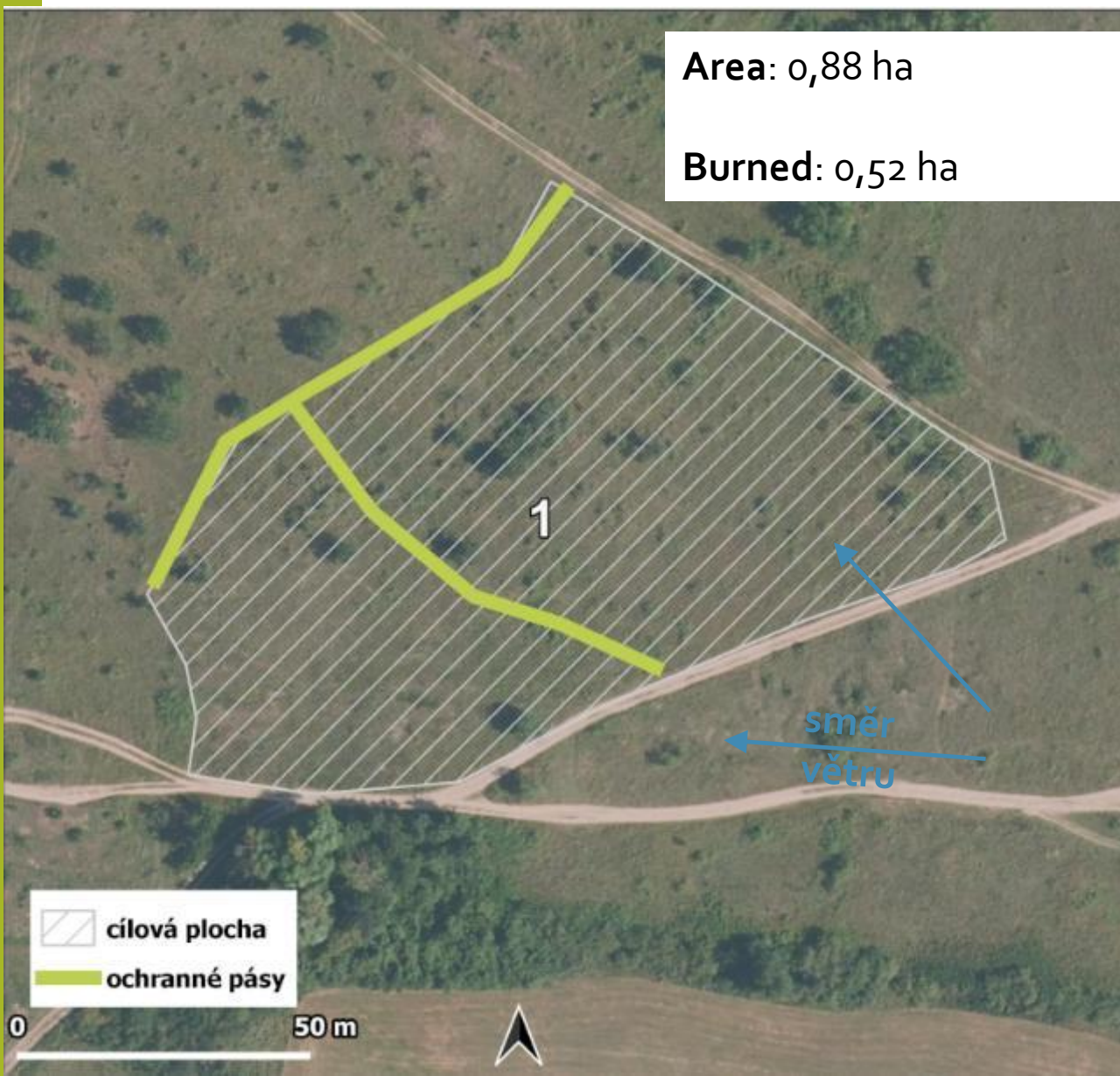
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Havraníky



Localities 2025 – detail



Prescribed burning 2026

Steppic
grassland

Light
forest

Hnanice locality (1 ha)

Photo: M. Buršík

Havraníky locality (2 ha)

Photo: T. Dvořák

Dry
meadow

Forest edge





Fire crew of Podyjí NP





Site adjustment



On-site training



Ignition



Result





After 5 minutes



After 5 minutes

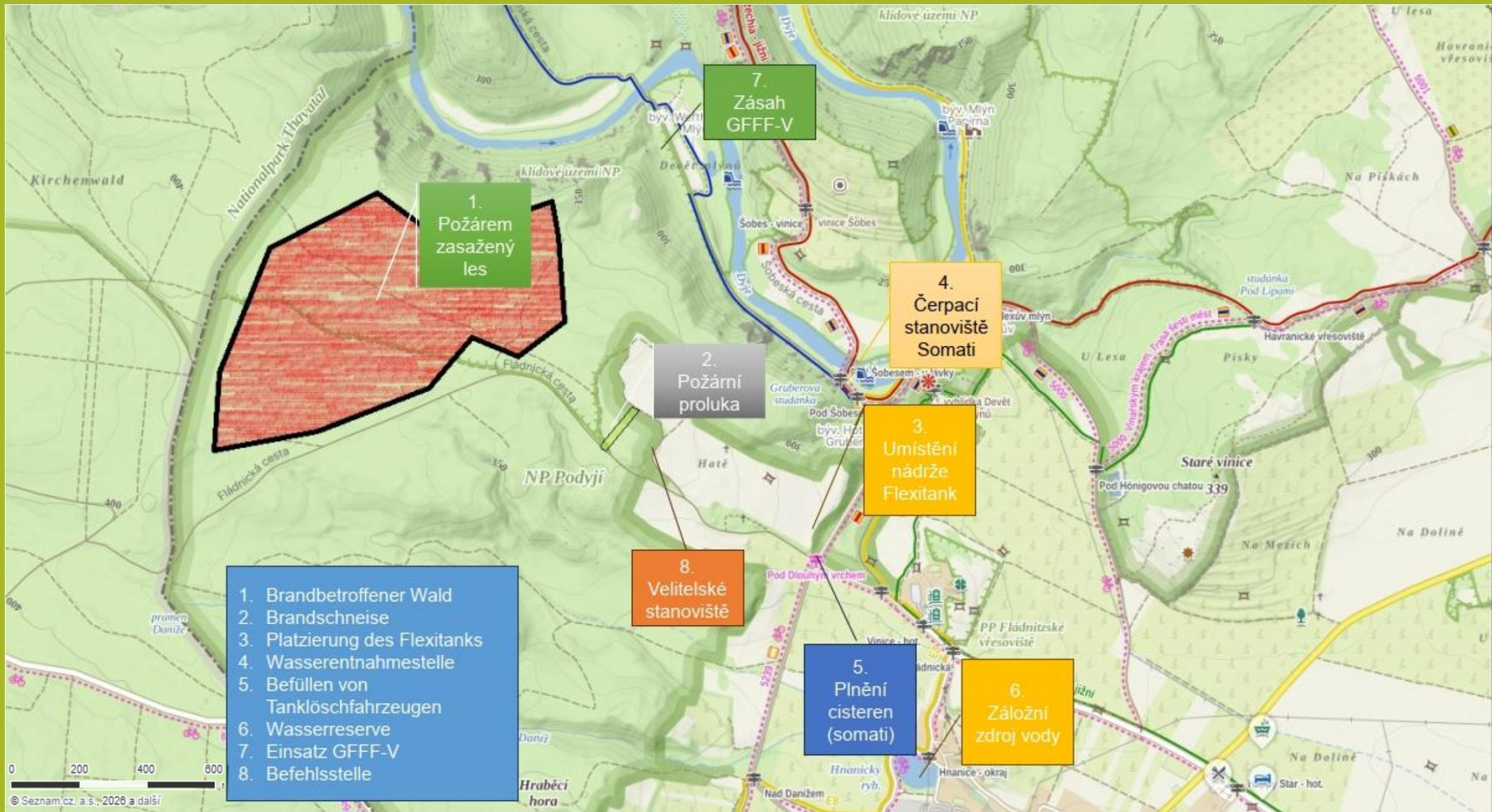


After 2 months...



Exercise of integrated rescue system units in Podyjí NP, October 2025

- The largest event in the history of NP
- Participation of all IRS units from CR + cross-border units
- Training of tactical forest firefighting procedures
- Rescue of people
- Verification of prepared documentation
- Water sources & collection
- Ground + aerial firefighting



1. Brandbetroffener Wald
2. Brandschneise
3. Platzierung des Flexitanks
4. Wasserentnahmestelle
5. Befüllen von Tanklöschfahrzeugen
6. Wasserreserve
7. Einsatz GFFF-V
8. Befehlsstelle

1. Požářem
zasažený
les

2. Požární
proluka

3. Umístění
nádrže
Flexitank

4. Čerpací
stanoviště
Somati

5. Plnění
cisteren
(somati)

6. Záložní
zdroj vody

7. Zásah
GFFF-V

8. Velitelské
stanoviště





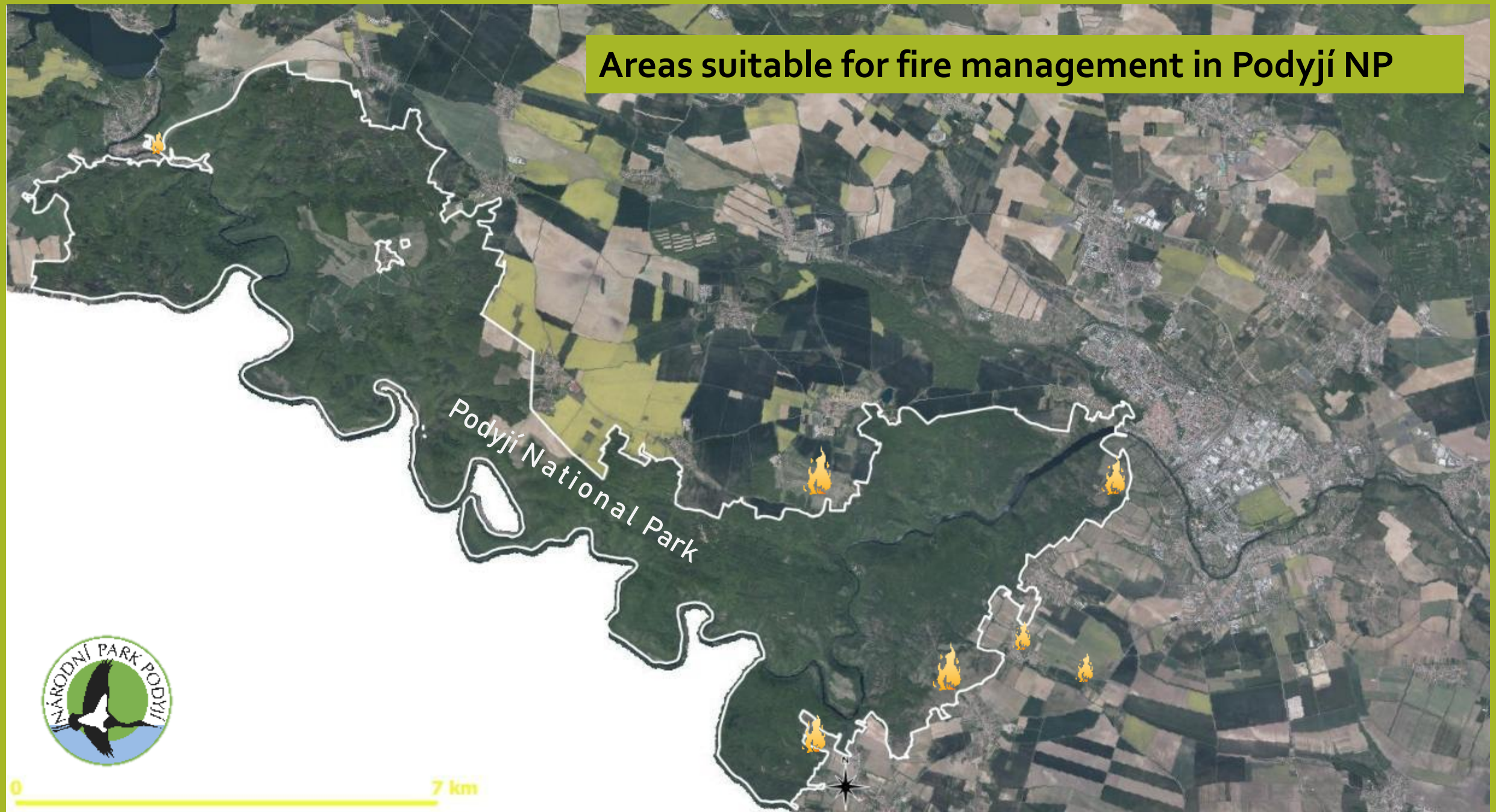
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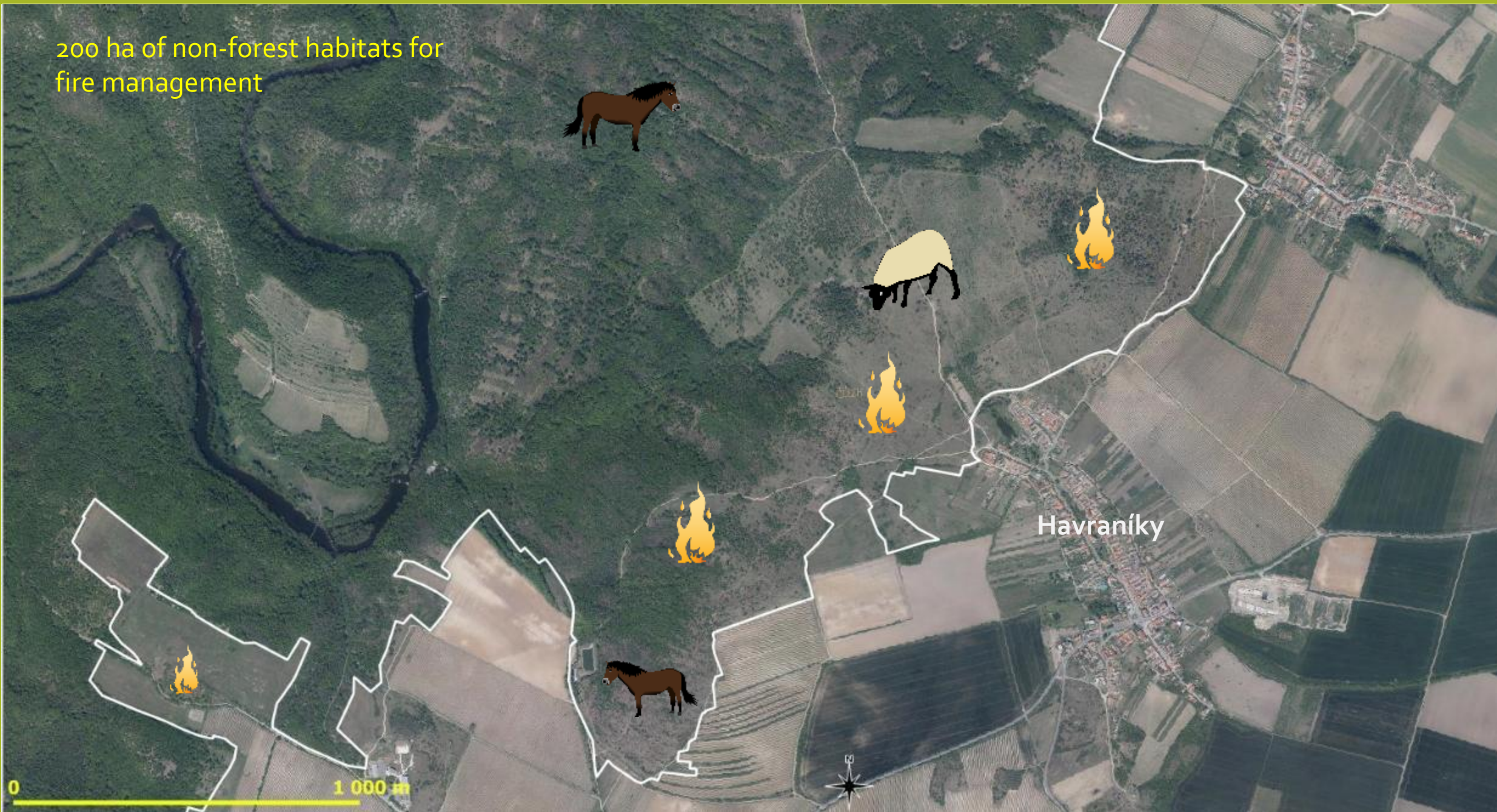


Areas suitable for fire management in Podyjí NP



0 7 km

200 ha of non-forest habitats for
fire management



0 1 000 m



Havraníky









Open woodland

March 2026



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