His Home is Being Destroyed

Only 5% of Manitobas burrowing owls are left NATURI



Can you imagine losing your home and having nowhere to go?

Dear Holli,

A lonely Manitoba burrowing owl

This burrowing owl is one of under twenty left here in Manitoba, 95% of Manitoba's burrowing owl population has disappeared because of habitat loss. He may be one of the last burrowing owls to call Manitoba home if his habitat is not protected.

Loss of critical grassland habitat

Burrowing owls are only one of many species that rely on the great plain's ecosystem here in Manitoba as their home. Recent studies have shown that the grasslands of the great plains have lost more habitat than the Amazon Rainforest has in Brazil. In Canada, 70% of the great plains have been lost to development, and that number will only continue to grow if no action is taken.

It's not to late to save his home

It is not too late to protect the burrowing owls home in Manitoba. Nature Conservancy Canada has protected more than 197,684 acres (80,000 hectares) of Grassland here in Canada. With your help, we can protect even more grasslands in Manitoba and save the home of the burrowing owl.

His future is in your hands

This owl is now relying on people like YOU to save his home. Your <u>donation</u> will help protect grassland habitat here in Manitoba and save species like the burrowing owl. Thank you.

With much gratitude,

C. Grenier
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President & CEO
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P.S Your donations are the reasons many grassland species have already started to make a comeback, such as the pronghorn antelope, wild plains bison and the swift fox. **Donate today and help us add the burrowing owl to this list.**