Drought Recovery

How Can Producers Plan to Best Recover from Drought?
Only one producer specifically talked about how to recover from drought. Focus was on dealing with mental/emotional paralysis that may come after severe drought. Mentioned by four advisors, specifically from financial aspect. Two advisors also spoke to need for letting pastures recover.
Re-Stocking

- Problem of restocking at high prices
- Question of buy more, hold back replacement heifers
- Decide when to restock
- Use opportunity to restructure operation if needed
Financial Issues

- Need five year plan
- Deal with economic reality
- May not have enough wealth to survive prolonged drought
Pasture Recovery

- Be cautious
- Rate of recovery determines economic recovery; rate is determined by how much/little pastures are damaged
Emotional

- Prepare for emotional paralysis (post traumatic stress syndrome) relating to devastation, finances and getting back into the game
- Learn from others
Is this it?