

Woodland Stewardship Management Plan

Owner James Michael & Jana L Milligan
Address 4040 Lyon Drive
Columbus, Ohio 43220

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County Athens Township/Village/City: Bern Township
Parcel(s): D010010004501, D010010004708, D010010004709, D010010004807,
D010010012104, D010010012106, D010010012404, D010010004507,
D010010004711, D010010012405, D010010012100, D010010012102, &
D010010012200

Location: 14400 Tick Ridge Road
Amesville, Ohio 45711

Woodland Stewardship Acreage: 633.4 Non-woodland Stewardship Acreage*: _____
Total Property Acres 639.575 * Non-woodland acres for which stewardship recommendations are made.

This plan was written to qualify the landowner's woodland for the programs checked below:

- Ohio Forest Tax Law American Tree Farm Program
 Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP) Current Agricultural Use Valuation

Property coordinates (report in WGS 84, decimal degrees.)

Longitude: -81.893079 Latitude: 39.390127

Landowner Objectives

1. The production of maple sap to be used in the syrup making process.
2. Productively grow quality timber.
3. Provide habitat for a diversity of wildlife.
4. Improve the health and productivity of the forest.

General Woodland Description

This is a large property that the landowners have acquired over the years. The primary use of the property is the collection of maple sap for syrup production. There has been control of wild grape and Ailanthus done on the property, but there are still issues with non-native invasive plants on the property. The property has a history of timber harvesting by the current and previous landowners. The forest type across much of the property is upland central hardwoods.

Inventory Method: Point Sampling *It should be noted that the timber inventory is rather light in some parts of the property. The recommendations in the stands were not greatly influenced by the inventory values. In small stands especially, the standard error can be rather wide. The tract summary is at the end of this plan and gives a more accurate representation of the timber volumes across the property. Note the stand names are not sequential because additions and deletions of stands were made during the process of writing the plan.

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Owner's Information:

Owner: James Michael & Jana L Milligan

Farm Bill Program: 2018 Farm Bill

Signed: _____

Date: _____

County: Athens

Case Number: 05-1462

Contract Number & Item Number: 745E342302Q

Preparer's Information:

Prepared by: Jake Peer, ACF

TSP Number & Expiration Date: TSP-21-23497 6/28/2024

I, as a TSP for NRCS Farm Bill Programs, certify that services provided: comply with all Federal, State, Tribal, and Local laws and requirements; meet applicable program requirements and recommended planned practices are based on NRCS conservation practice standards and specifications; are consistent with and meet the conservation program goals and objectives for which the program contract was entered into by the client; and incorporate alternatives that are both cost effective and appropriate to address the resource issues.

Signature: _____

Jake Peer, ACF

Date: March 15, 2024

Peer Family Forestry Consulting, LLC

3829 Washington South Road

Mansfield, OH 44903

740-801-0458, jake@peerfamilyforestry.com

NRCS Representative Signature: _____

Date: _____

This plan is valid for the period beginning 3/15/2024 and ending 3/15/2034

Plan Status: New

CPA 106 Forest Management Plan Template FFY23

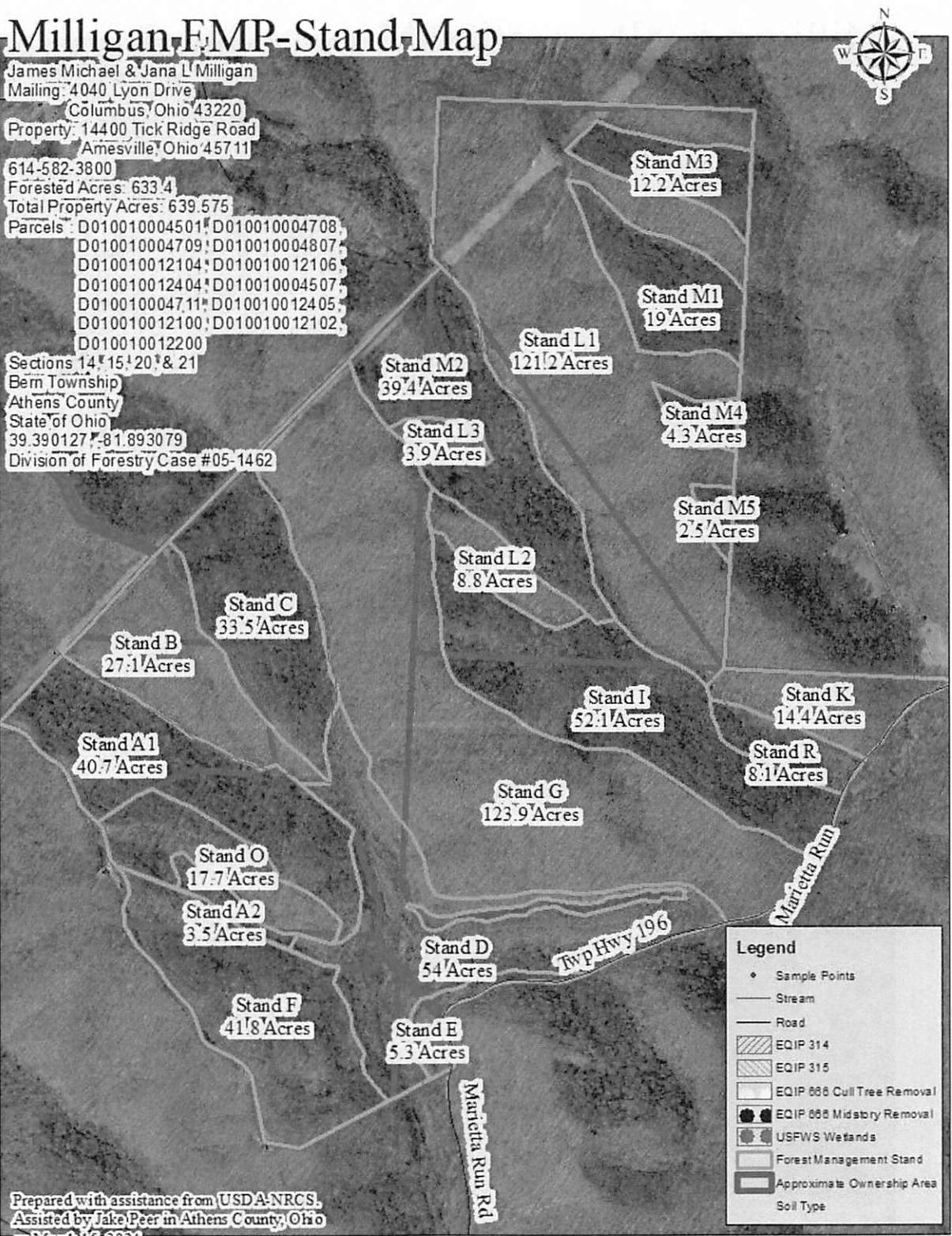
Woodland Stand Map

Milligan FMP-Stand Map

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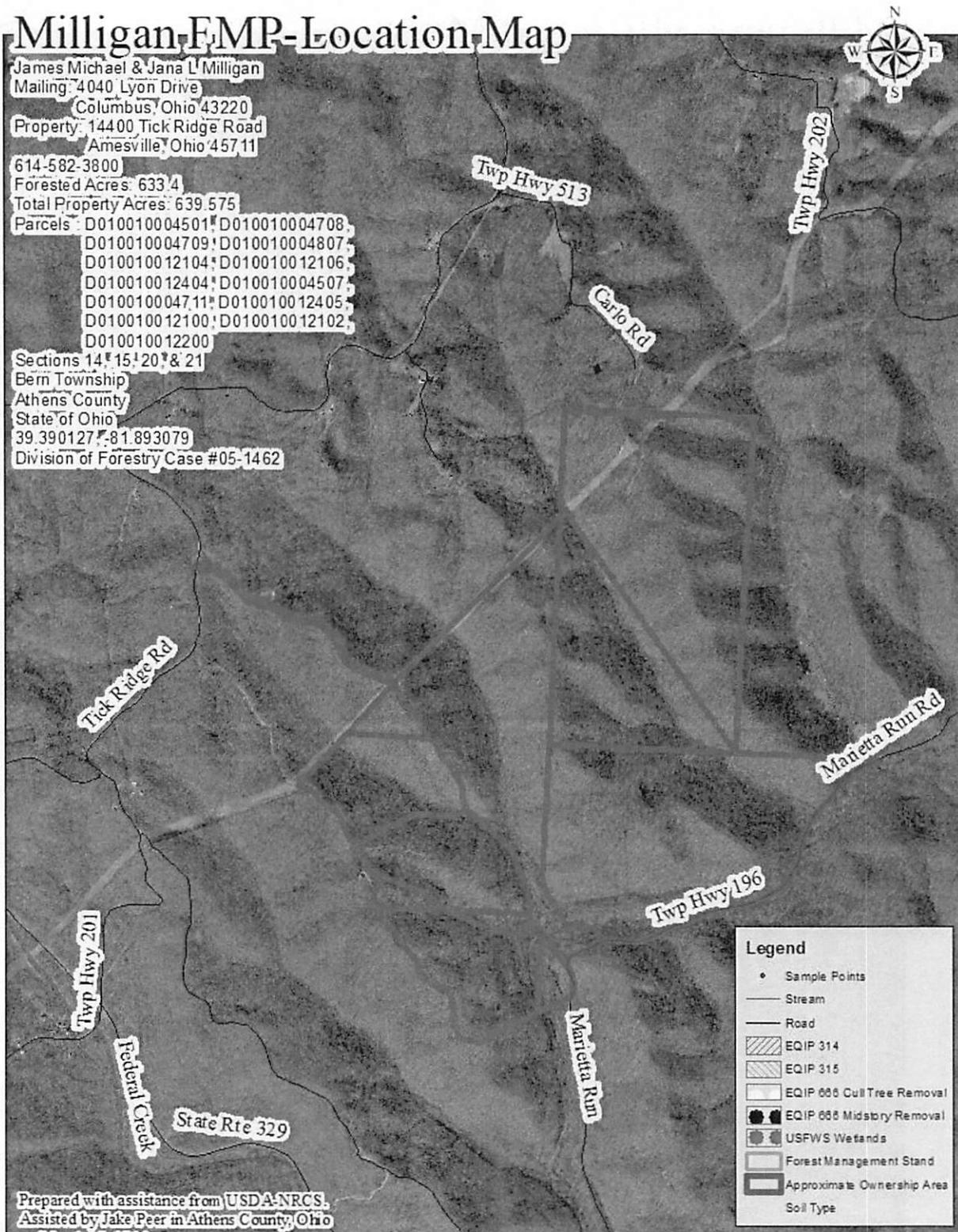
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Management Activity Schedule

Year(s) Suggested	Mgmt. Unit	Required Task?	Acres	Recommendations (include EQIP/CSP practice code and name if applicable)
2024-2026	D&G	<input type="checkbox"/>	~22.0	The landowner has applied for EQIP funding for ~22.0 acres of Removal of Invasive Woody Understory, 314, north of the pond in Stands D&G. If approved and completed, this can be deducted from the recommended work in those stands.
2024	G	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<1	Have a Division of Forestry Forest Health Specialist look at the oak mortality in early summer and respond appropriately.
Any 3-Year Period.	L,M	<input type="checkbox"/>	211.3	Consider controlling the non-native invasive plants along with most of the wild grape according to the information provided. Removal of Invasive Woody Understory, 314.
Any 5-Year Period.	L,M	<input type="checkbox"/>	On Trails	Consider controlling the Japanese stiltgrass according to the information provided. Herbaceous Weed Treatment, 315.
After Invasives	L,M	<input type="checkbox"/>	211.3	Consider removing or deadening the poorly formed and undesirable trees to prevent them from producing more undesirable trees. Forest Stand Improvement-Cull Tree Removal, 666.
Any 3-Year Period	D	<input type="checkbox"/>	54.0	Consider controlling the non-native invasive plants along with most of the wild grape according to the information provided. Removal of Invasive Woody Understory, 314.
Any 5-Year Period	D	<input type="checkbox"/>	On Trails	Consider controlling the Japanese stiltgrass according to the information provided. Herbaceous Weed Treatment, 315.
Any 5-Year Period	F	<input type="checkbox"/>	41.8	Consider controlling the Japanese stiltgrass according to the information provided. Herbaceous Weed Treatment, 315.
After Invasives	F	<input type="checkbox"/>	41.8	Consider thinning out the spicebush and pawpaw in this stand as it is competing with sugar maple regeneration. Forest Stand Improvement, 666.
Ongoing	All	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All	Monitor for new infestations of non-native invasive plants.
Ongoing	All	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	All	Maintain your ownership area with red or yellow boundary marking paint.
2034	Whole Property	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Next Site Visit – Woodland reviews are recommended at least once every five years, and plan updates once every ten years, based upon the date of the last woodland evaluation conducted by your forester

***This property is very large, and it is unlikely that all the management recommendations from the stand level information will be able to be completed in ten years. I listed the items that should be given priority in the Management Activity Schedule. It is also worth noting that doing the recommended oak management is strongly encouraged several years prior to any harvest activities in Stands B or G.**

Before entering a timber sale agreement, or conducting other forestry work that is not listed in your activity schedule, contact your forester first to ensure compliance with your approved woodland stewardship management plan.