

## 2. Property Map, Area, & Description

### Area

<b>Total:</b>		<b>87.123 Acres</b>
In three parcels:	D010010008303	0.723 Acres
	D010010006700	66.4 Acres
	D010010007100	20.0 Acres

**Agricultural Fields** (Pasture field and pasture woods): **17.6 Acres** (Stand 4)  
(Note: The boundaries of pastureland on the attached property map/forest stand map are based on the previous forest stand map, dated September 10, 2007.)

**Timber Land** (Land on which timber-producing trees dominate, i.e., oak, hickory, maple, poplar, ash, cherry, pine, etc.): **63.7 Acres** (Stands 1-3)  
38.2 Acres (Stand 1)  
12.9 Acres (Stand 2)  
12.6 Acres (Stand 3)

**Woodland** (Land on which non-timber-producing trees or species of trees dominate, i.e., dogwood, hawthorn, boxelder, sassafras, etc., or on which stocking levels are not adequate for designation as timber land): **0 Acres**

**Other Land:** **5.223 Acres**  
Homesite & other woods: 1.623 Acres (Stand 5)  
Utility area: 0.7 Acres (Stand 6)  
Other open ground: 2.9 Acres (Stand 7)

**Pond:** **0.6 Acres**

### Note

See the attached property map/forest stand map and the previous forest management plan, dated September 10, 2007, for further information.

# 1. Objective

The Ohio Revised Code (ORC 5713.30), regarding Current Agricultural Use Value (CAUV), defines “land devoted exclusively to agricultural use” to include land “devoted exclusively to . . . the production [,] for a commercial purpose [,] of timber.” Landowners enrolling their forestland in CAUV accept commercial production as their goal. For purposes of this plan, “commercial production of timber” is defined as management that promotes the growth, health, and reproduction of commercial timber species and the quality, value, and productivity of the forest.

## Statement of Objective

I/We, George T + Carol J MOONE, hereby affirm my/our objective to manage my/our forestland for the production, for a commercial purpose, of timber. For purposes of this plan, commercial timber production is defined as management that promotes the growth, health, and reproduction of commercial species and the quality, value, and productivity of the forest.

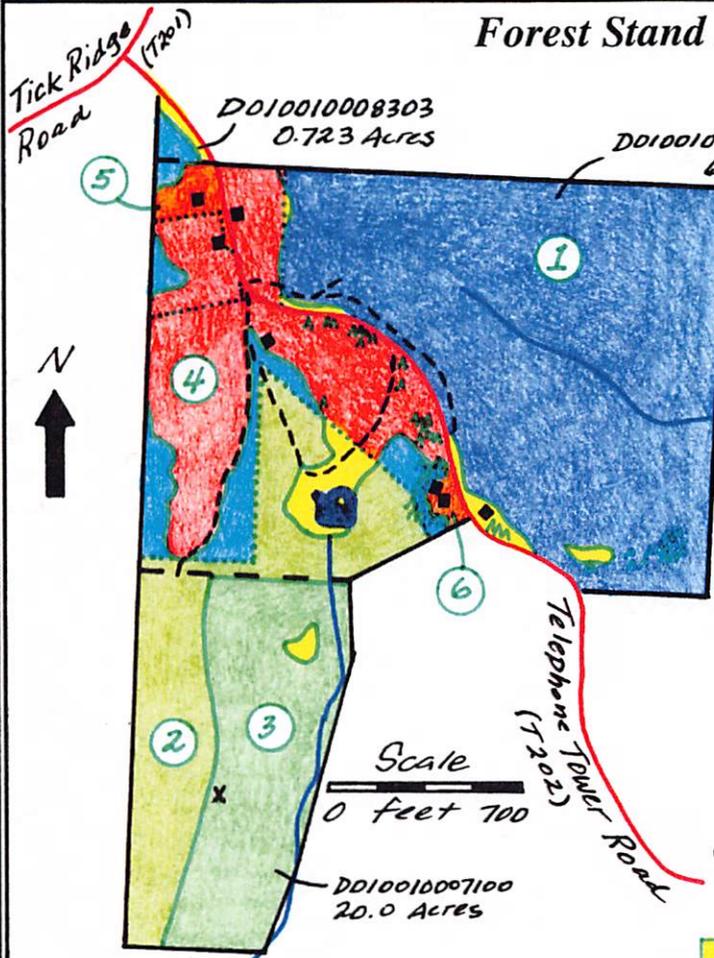
I/We understand that this management plan is to guide me/us in meeting that objective and agree to implement the plan to the best of my/our knowledge and ability. I/We understand also that this plan can be altered or amended to conform to changing conditions in the forest or to changes in my/our non-timber related objectives.

George T. Moore 10/24/2016  
Signature and date

Carol J Moore 10/24/2016  
Signature and date

# Forest Stand Map

GEORGE T. & CAROL J.  
MOONE PROPERTY  
Sec. 16 & 17, T7N, R12W  
Athens Co., Bern Twp.  
87.123 Acres  
Total



- Stand 1 - Mixed hardwoods  
38.2 Ac.
- Stand 2 - Old-field/early-successional hardwoods  
12.9 Ac.
- Stand 3 - Oak-hickory woods  
12.6 Ac.
- Stand 4 - Pasture field and pasture woods  
17.6 Ac.
- Stand 5 - Homesite and other woods  
1.623 Ac.
- Stand 6 - Utility area and other woods  
0.7 Ac.
- Stand 7 - Other open ground  
2.9 Ac.

Terence E. Hanley Oct. 20, 2016  
63.7 Acres of Forestland  
23.423 Acres of Non-forestland

Key Note: Pasture boundaries are based on the previous property map of Sept. 10, 2007.

Section, township, or county boundary	Stand boundary	Buildings
Property boundary	Stand number	■ Current (Does not include small bldgs.)
Public road	Stream	X Former
Private road, trail or path (Does not include all roads & trails on the property.) Utility right-of-way	Lake or pond (0.6 Acres)	Oil/gas well or facility
Parcel boundary	Wetland	Oil tank
Parcel label	High point	Cemetery
	Ailanthus or tree-of-heaven	Other features
	Pine or other conifers	..... Pasture fence
		■ Pasture woods & other woods

Note: Not all features shown in the key are necessarily found on the map. Stand boundaries and stand acreage figures are approximate. This stand map is based on ground checks, aerial photographs, topographic maps, and/or other maps. Map drawn by Terence E. Hanley. Date: Oct. 20, 2016

## 5. Schedule of Implementation

<i>Years</i>	<i>Stand(s)</i>	<i>Area (Acres)</i>	<i>Activity</i>	<i>Notes</i>
2016-2021	All	86.40	<b>Mark property boundary lines</b> using oil-based (or equivalent), brush-type paint applied to trees and fenceposts along the perimeter at a distance of no more than 50 or 60 feet between marks.	Work to commence in Nov. 2016
2016→	Wherever needed	—	<b>Maintain and improve roads and trails</b> for good access to the woods and to act as firebreaks.	
2016→	All forest stands		<b>Exclude livestock from the woods</b> by maintaining good fences and gates.	
2016-2026	Wherever needed	Wherever needed	<b>Eradicate the worst non-native, invasive plant species</b> , including ailanthus or tree-of-heaven and autumn-olive.	
2016→	Wherever needed	Wherever needed	<b>Cut and control other non-native, invasive plant species</b> , including Japanese honeysuckle and multiflora rose, so as to promote the growth and regeneration of native plants, especially timber- and mast-producing trees.	
2016-2026	2-3		<b>Cut and control wild grapevines that are growing on timber- and mast-producing trees.</b> You can leave grapevines that are growing on scrub trees, and you can leave poison-ivy and Virginia creeper vines, as they do little if any harm to trees.	

2016-2026	1-3		<p><b>Within the next 10 years, evaluate the need for timber stand improvement (TSI) work, specifically weeding, thinning, crop tree release, and cull tree removal in all stands. Consult with a professional forester or well qualified forestry technician as needed.</b></p>	
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The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) has funds available for work in the woods, including invasive species control, grapevine control, and timber stand improvement (TSI). There are special funds available for management of oak forests. If you are interested, contact:

**District Conservationist  
Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS)  
USDA Service Center  
69 South Plains Road  
The Plains, Ohio 45780  
(740) 797-9686**

and/or:

**Cameron Bushong, Service Forester  
Ohio Division of Forestry  
Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR)  
29371 Wheelabout Road  
McArthur, OH 45651  
(740) 274-4934**

You can also talk to the service forester about the possibility of converting your forestland from CAUV to the Ohio Forest Tax Law (OFTL) program. Finally, you might look into the possibility of CAUV classification for your pastureland.