

Forest Stewardship Management Plan

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County: **Athens County** Township/Village/City: **Carthage Township**

Parcel ID Number(s): **F010010055600**

Location: **Section 28 (Fraction 34), Township 5 North, Range 12 West**
Located on Young Road (Township Road 107)

Forest Stewardship Acreage:	57 acres (Stands 1 and 2)	Non-forest Stewardship Acreage*:	4 acres (Stand 3)
Total Property Acreage:	62.450 acres	* Non-forest acres for which stewardship recommendations are made.	

This plan has been prepared to qualify the landowner's forestland for the programs checked below:

<input type="checkbox"/> Ohio Forest Tax Law	<input type="checkbox"/> American Tree Farm Program
<input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (CAUV)

Property coordinates (Intersection of the old cabin road [purple on the USGS topographic map] with Young Road):

Latitude: 39.2386° North	Longitude: 81.9328° West
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Forest Stand Map

Stand 1 42 Ac.

Native oak-hickory woods

Stand 2 15 Ac.

Old-field or early-successional woods

Stand 3 4 Ac.

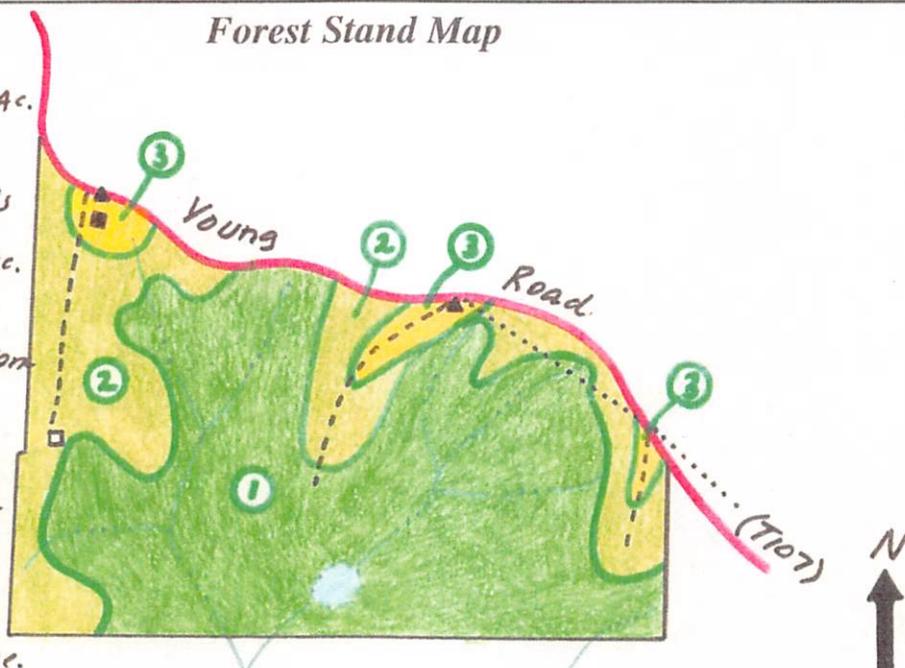
Old fields not yet reverted to woods

Stand 4 1.5 Ac.

Utility right-of-way

62.450 Acres Total

57 Acres of Woods



Key

Section, township, or county boundary	Stand boundary	Buildings Current
Property boundary	Stand number	Former
Public road	Stream	Oil/gas well or facility
Private road, trail or path	Lake or pond (approx. location)	Oil tank
Utility right-of-way	Wetland	Cemetery
Parcel boundary	High point	Other features
Parcel label	Ailanthus or tree-of-heaven	
	Pine or other conifers	

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: 10-31-2013

Schedule of Management Activities

Year	Stand	Area (Acres)	Recommendations
2013-2018	All	62.450	Locate and mark your property boundary lines using boundary-marking paint applied to trees and fenceposts along the perimeter at a distance of no more than 50 to 60 feet between trees
2013-2023	2	15	Undertake crop tree release, thinning, and other timber stand improvement (TSI) as needed to improve the health, quality, value, and productivity of the stand
2013-2028	1	42	Undertake cull tree removal and general timber stand improvement (grapevine control, completion of group openings, cutting of firewood to improve the woods, etc.) as needed to improve the health, quality, value, and productivity of the stand
2018-2028	1	42	Have a professional forester look over the woods for the possibility of harvesting timber; when harvest time comes, sell marked timber by way of a competitive, sealed-bid sale under a sound contract with payment in full up front
Following any timber harvest	1	42	Follow up any timber harvest with continued TSI to improve the woods; trees to cut would include cull trees (X-trees) passed over by the logger, plus trees that are badly damaged by logging, spring-poles (trees bent and trapped against the ground by felled trees), and any inferior trees remaining in group openings

Before harvesting or selling timber or engaging in other intensive forest management activities, be sure to talk to a professional forester.