



## Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

01/01/2008 to 03/31/2008

### Monongahela National Forest

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#### Projects Occurring Nationwide

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| <b>Aerial Application of Fire Retardant</b><br>EA   | - Fuels management                | Completed  | Actual: 10/11/2007 | 10/2007 | Christopher Wehrli<br>202-205-1332<br>fire_retardant@fs.fed.us |
| <b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to continue the aerial application of fire retardant to fight fires on National Forest System lands. An environmental analysis will be conducted to prepare an Environmental Assessment on the proposed action.   |                                   |  |                    |         |  |
| <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/fire/retardant/index.html">http://www.fs.fed.us/fire/retardant/index.html</a>  |                                   |  |                    |         |  |
| <b>Location:</b> UNIT - All Districts-level Units. STATE - All States. COUNTY - All Counties. Nation Wide.  |                                   |  |                    |         |  |
| <b>National Forest System Land Management Planning - Proposed Rule</b><br>EIS   | - Regulations, Directives, Orders | In Progress:<br>DEIS NOA in Federal Register 08/31/2007<br>Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 01/2008 | Expected:02/2008   | 02/2008 | Gina Owens<br>202-205-1187<br>gowens@fs.fed.us                 |
| <b>Description:</b> The Agency proposes to publish a rule at 36 CFR part 219 to finish rulemaking on the land management planning rule issued on January 5, 2005 (2005 rule). The 2005 rule guides development, revision, and amendment of land management plans. |                                   |  |                    |         |  |
| <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/emc/nfma/2007_planning_rule.html">http://www.fs.fed.us/emc/nfma/2007_planning_rule.html</a>  |                                   |  |                    |         |  |
| <b>Location:</b> UNIT - All Districts-level Units. STATE - All States. COUNTY - All Counties. LEGAL - All units of the National Forest System. Agency-wide.   |                                   |  |                    |         |  |

#### Monongahela National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)

#### R9 - Eastern Region

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| <b>Proposed reauthorization of 14 existing special use permits.</b><br>CE   | - Special use management | Completed | Actual: 12/12/2007 | 12/2007 | Laura Hise<br>304-636-1800<br>lhise@fs.fed.us |
| <b>Description:</b> Requests for renewal have been received for the Carr and Alt cultivation; the Ullom, Holbrook, Sharp, and Cutlip/Shaw road ROWs; DelMarva communication use; Jonas and McCarty sheds; WVDNR liming; Webster Co. 4H dam; Army training, and Gbr Youth Camp |                          |           |                    |         |   |
| <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Monongahela National Forest All Units. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Nicholas, Pendleton, Pocahontas, Randolph, Tucker, Webster. Various existing locations across the Forest..   |                          |           |                    |         |   |

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| <b>Monongahela National Forest Cheat/Potomac Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R9 - Eastern Region</b>      |  |  |                    |                         |  |
| <b>Allegheny Power Proposed Nine Line</b><br>CE<br><br><b>*NEW LISTING*</b>  | - Special use management   | Developing Proposal<br>Est. Scoping Start 01/2008  | Expected:03/2008   | 04/2008                 | Laura Hise<br>304-636-1800<br>lhise@fs.fed.us  |
|  | <b>Description:</b> Proposal to install one pole, one anchor guy, and 1,935 feet x 10 ft of 7200 volt underground power line in the same right-of-way that is being considered for gas pipeline installation.              |  |                    |                         |  |
|  | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cheat Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Tucker. Northwest of Leadmine, WV off County Route 5 and within the proposed right-of-way for Horseshoe Run Services, LLC.'s Nine Pipeline. |  |                    |                         |  |
| <b>Allegheny Wood Product Easement</b><br>EIS  | - Special use management   | In Progress:<br>DEIS NOA in Federal Register 12/23/2005<br>Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 01/2008 | Expected:01/2008   | 04/2008                 | Bill Shields<br>(304) 636-1800 (287)<br>comments-eastern-monongahela-potomac@fs.fed.us   |
|  | <b>Description:</b> Proposal to grant an easement for private access to an isolated parcel in Blackwater Canyon.   |  |                    |                         |  |
|  | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cheat Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Tucker. Olson Opportunity Area 16.102, Canyon-Rim OA 13.009, Mozark OA 16.103, and Canaan Mountain OA 16.202.                               |  |                    |                         |  |
| <b>Berry Energy, Inc. Gas Well B-800 Project</b><br>CE   | - Minerals and Geology   | Completed  | Actual: 11/02/2007 | 11/2007                 | Linda Tracy<br>304-636-1800, ext 275<br>comments-eastern-monongahela-cheat@fs.fed.us     |
|  | <b>Description:</b> Use of National Forest System lands for drilling of exploratory gas well (approx 2.5 acres) and construction of 1,100 foot access road (approx 1 acre).  |  |                    |                         |  |
|  | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cheat Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Tucker. LEGAL - US Tract 1. McGowen Mountain Area of Tucker County, approximately 3 miles SSE of Parsons, WV..                              |  |                    |                         |  |
| <b>Gandy Creek Dispersed Horse Camp</b><br>EA  | - Watershed management<br>- Recreation management  | In Progress:<br>Scoping Start 03/01/2004<br>Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 04/2008             | Expected:06/2008   | 08/2008                 | Julie Fosbender<br>304-257-4488 Ext 14<br>comments-eastern-monongahela-potomac@fs.fed.us |
|  | <b>Description:</b> Proposal to create a low level dispersed camp for recreational horse users.  |  |                    |                         |  |
|  | <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/mnf/environmental/environmental_index.htm">http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/mnf/environmental/environmental_index.htm</a>   |  |                    |                         |  |
| <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Potomac Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Randolph. Along Gandy Creek, Phares Knob Opportunity Area 53.008. |  |  |                    |                         |  |

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| <b>Hogback Project</b><br>EA  | - Vegetation management (other than forest products)<br>- Road management<br>- Forest products | In Progress:<br>215 Comment Period Legal Notice 10/10/2007 | Expected:08/2008 | 10/2008                    | Kristine Vollmer<br>304-257-4488 ext 24<br>comments-eastern-monongahela-cheat@fs.fed.us |
| <b>Description:</b> Proposal to implement vegetation management projects, including timber harvest, and associated road activities to help meet Forest Plan direction for the area.                                   |  |  |                  |                            |   |
| <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/mnf/environmental/environmental_index.htm">http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/mnf/environmental/environmental_index.htm</a>  |  |  |                  |                            |   |
| <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cheat Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Preston, Tucker. From Parsons north to Horseshoe Run, in northern Tucker and southern Preston Counties, West Virginia..                |  |  |                  |                            |   |
| <b>Horseshoe Recreation Area</b><br>CE  | - Recreation management<br>- Facility management   | In Progress:<br>Scoping Start 04/05/2005                   | Expected:01/2008 | 03/2008                    | Carol Whetsell<br>304-478-3251 ext 105<br>comments-eastern-monongahela-cheat@fs.fed.us  |
| <b>Description:</b> Proposal to update old facilities and provide new facilities accessible to those with disabilities at the Horseshoe Recreation Area.  |  |  |                  |                            |   |
| <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/mnf/environmental/environmental_index.htm">http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/mnf/environmental/environmental_index.htm</a>  |  |  |                  |                            |   |
| <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cheat Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Tucker. 1 mile SW of Lead Mine, along Horseshoe Run.   |  |  |                  |                            |   |
| <b>Lower Clover Wildlife Savannah and Openings</b><br>CE  | - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants  | Developing Proposal<br>Est. Scoping Start 02/2008          | Expected:04/2008 | 05/2008                    | Theresa Evans<br>304-478-2000 ext.136<br>comments-eastern-monongahela-cheat@fs.fed.us   |
| <b>Description:</b> Proposal to create a 10 acre savannah for wildlife and expand existing wildlife openings by 3 acres. These areas would be planted with grass and forb species to provide forage and ground cover. |  |  |                  |                            |   |
| <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/mnf/environmental/environmental_index.htm">http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/mnf/environmental/environmental_index.htm</a>  |  |  |                  |                            |   |
| <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cheat Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Tucker. Within the Lower Clover watershed.   |  |  |                  |                            |   |

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| <b>Nine Pipeline</b><br>CE  | - Special use management   | In Progress:<br>Scoping Start 03/05/2007 | Expected:01/2008   | 05/2008                    | Linda Tracy<br>304-636-1800, ext 275<br>comments-eastern-<br>monongahela-<br>cheat@fs.fed.us |
|   | <b>Description:</b> Construction, operation, and maintenance of 1.52 miles of natural gas pipeline, along with associated waterline and telephone line on National Forest System lands.  |  |                    |                            |  |
|   | <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/mnf/environmental/environmental_index.htm">http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/mnf/environmental/environmental_index.htm</a>   |  |                    |                            |  |
| <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cheat Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Tucker. Cheat/Potomac Ranger District, Tucker County, West Virginia. |  |  |                    |                            |  |
| <b>Renewal of Timberline permit.</b><br>CE  | - Special use management   | In Progress:<br>Scoping Start 07/06/2007 | Expected:04/2008   | 04/2008                    | Laura Hise<br>304-636-1800<br>lhise@fs.fed.us  |
|   | <b>Description:</b> Proposed reauthorization for use of non-system trails on the Forest: Salamander Run, a connector trail from Salamander Run to what used to be referred to as "FR 80" and the segment of "FR 80" on NFS lands.  |  |                    |                            |  |
|   | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Potomac Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Tucker. National Forest System lands adjacent to Timberline Four Seasons Resort's land near Dolly Sods Wilderness..   |  |                    |                            |  |
| <b>Renewal of existing outfitter/guide permits</b><br>CE  | - Special use management   | Completed                                | Actual: 12/12/2007 | 12/2007                    | Laura Hise<br>304-636-1800<br>lhise@fs.fed.us  |
|   | <b>Description:</b> The following permits need to be renewed in 2008: Inner Quest, Inc; Hocking College; Blackwater Outdoor Experiences; Garrett College, Greater Manchester YMCA; and Eagle's Nest Outfitters. Uses include backpacking, canoeing, rock climbing, biking. |  |                    |                            |  |
|   | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cheat Ranger District, Potomac Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Grant, Pendleton, Tucker. Various locations on the Forest..  |  |                    |                            |  |
| <b>WV Trauma and Emergency Care System Telecommunication Facilities</b><br>CE<br><br><b>*NEW LISTING*</b>   | - Special use management   | In Progress:<br>Scoping Start 11/19/2007 | Expected:01/2008   | 02/2008                    | Laura Hise<br>304-636-1800<br>lhise@fs.fed.us  |
|   | <b>Description:</b> Proposal to install a communications building and tower on Stuart Knob, east of Elkins, WV.  |  |                    |                            |  |
|   | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cheat Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Randolph. Stuart Knob, east of Elkins, WV, and north of Bowden, WV..  |  |                    |                            |  |

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| <b>Wild and Wonderful LLC</b><br>CE | - Special use management   | Completed       | Actual: 12/12/2007 | 01/2008                 | Laura Hise<br>304-636-1800<br>lhise@fs.fed.us |
|                                     | <b>Description:</b> Proposal to outfit and guide hiking and backpacking on existing roads and trails of the Cheat/Potomac Ranger District. Some use in wilderness is proposed.                             |                 |                    |                         |   |
|                                     | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cheat Ranger District, Potomac Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Pendleton, Randolph, Tucker. Trails within and around the Otter Creek and Dolly Sods Wildernesses. |                 |                    |                         |   |

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| <b>Monongahela National Forest</b>                              | <b>Gauley Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>  |  |                  |         | <b>R9 - Eastern Region</b>   |
| <b>Fisherman's Trail Bridge Construction</b><br>CE              | - Recreation management   | On Hold                                  | N/A              | N/A     | Tim Henry<br>(304) 799-4334<br>comments-eastern-monongahela-gauley@fs.fed.us |
|   | <b>Description:</b> Proposed construction of a trail bridge to cross the Cranberry River to access the Fisherman's Trail from FR 76   |  |                  |         |  |
|   | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Gauley Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Webster. LEGAL - U.S. Tract #372. Fisherman's Trail #231, terminus at Cranberry River.  |  |                  |         |  |
| <b>Gauley District Spruce Habitat Enhancement Project</b><br>CE | - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants   | In Progress:<br>Scoping Start 08/06/2007 | Expected:02/2008 | 03/2008 | ODell Tucker<br>304-799-4334 Ext. 19<br>otucker@fs.fed.us                    |
|   | <b>Description:</b> Manually reduce the basal area of 18-20 year old sapling and pole sized red spruce on 60 acres to encourage growth of codominant red spruce; create snags on 340 acres (up to 15 snags/acre) in stands adjacent to the 18-20 year old red spruce. |  |                  |         |  |
|   | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Gauley Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Pocahontas. The project area is within Pocahontas county, adjacent to county road 29/4 and FR 731 and FR 232.   |  |                  |         |  |

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| <b>Kennison Mountain Trail Bridge Construction</b><br>CE | - Recreation management  | On Hold  | N/A              | N/A                     | Tim Henry<br>(304) 799-4334<br>comments-eastern-monongahela-gauley@fs.fed.us |
|  | <b>Description:</b> Proposed construction of a trail bridge to cross the Cranberry River to access the Kennison Mountain Trail from FR 102   |  |                  |                         |  |
|  | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Gauley Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Pocahontas. LEGAL - US Tract #372. Kennison Mountain Trail @244, terminus at Cranberry River.  |  |                  |                         |  |
| <b>Lower Williams EIS</b><br>EIS                         | - Vegetation management (other than forest products)<br>- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants  | In Progress:<br>DEIS NOA in Federal Register 07/13/2007<br>Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 05/2008 | Expected:04/2008 | 01/2009                 | ODell Tucker<br>304-799-4334 Ext. 19<br>otucker@fs.fed.us                    |
|  | <b>Description:</b> Vegetation Management in MP 3.0 to create early successional forest habitat and permanent openings, reduce the amount of competition between trees for light and water resources, and regenerate shade-intolerant species and diverse forest age classes                     |  |                  |                         |  |
|  | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Gauley Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Webster. The project area is within the Williams River watershed near Dyer, West Virginia, in Webster County. The project area includes every part of the Williams River watershed that is included w/in MP 3.0. |  |                  |                         |  |
| <b>Lower Williams Terrestrial Liming Project</b><br>EA   | - Minerals and Geology<br>- Watershed management   | In Progress:<br>Scoping Start 07/06/2007<br>Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 02/2008             | Expected:03/2008 | 02/2009                 | ODell Tucker<br>304-799-4334 Ext. 19<br>otucker@fs.fed.us                    |
|  | <b>Description:</b> The Gauley Ranger District of the Monongahela National Forest (MNF) is proposing to apply lime to an estimated 2,400 terrestrial acres in the Lower Williams EIS project area.   |  |                  |                         |  |
|  | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Gauley Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Webster. The Lower Williams River Soil Liming Project Area consists of 14,397 acres within the Webster County between the mouth of the Williams River and the Three Forks of Williams watershed. .               |  |                  |                         |  |

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| <b>Music Run Wildlife Opening Maintenance Project</b><br>CE | - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants  | In Progress:<br>215 Comment Period Legal<br>Notice 08/31/2007 | Expected:01/2008 | 02/2008                    | ODell Tucker<br>304-799-4334 Ext. 19<br>otucker@fs.fed.us |
|   | <b>Description:</b> The proposal is to enhance 20 acres of wildlife openings. The enhance activities would include re-vegetating grassy openings with native species and eliminating non-native vegetation, using tractor(s) and other mechanical equipment. |   |                  |                            |   |
|   | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Gauley Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Nicholas. The project area is within Nicholas County off of county road 94/4 near Forest Road 907. All enhancement work would occur on National Forest System.               |   |                  |                            |   |

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| <b>Monongahela National Forest</b> | <b>Greenbrier Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>   |   |                  | <b>R9 - Eastern Region</b> |  |
| <b>Ramshorn</b><br>EA              | - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants<br>- Vegetation management (other than forest products)<br>- Road management<br>- Grazing management<br>- Fuels management<br>- Forest products  | In Progress:<br>Scoping Start 04/26/2007<br>Est. 215 Comment Period Legal<br>Notice 05/2008 | Expected:07/2008 | 09/2008                    | Kristine Vollmer<br>304-257-4488 ext 24<br>comments-eastern-monongahela-greenbrier@fs.fed.us |
|                                    | <b>Description:</b> Proposal to implement vegetation management projects, including timber harvest and associated road activities, along with grazing allotment management, to help meet Forest Plan direction for the area. |   |                  |                            |  |
|                                    | <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/mnf/environmental/environmental_index.htm">http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/mnf/environmental/environmental_index.htm</a>   |   |                  |                            |  |
|                                    | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Greenbrier Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Pocahontas. Approximately three miles east of Greenbanks Observatory..   |   |                  |                            |  |

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| <b>Monongahela National Forest District)</b> | <b>Marlinton/White Sulphur Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b> |  |  | <b>R9 - Eastern Region</b> |  |
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| <b>Monongahela National Forest District)</b>                         | <b>Marlinton/White Sulphur Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one</b>   |   |                                  |                         | <b>R9 - Eastern Region</b>                                |
| <b>Marlinton Range Grazing Allotments</b><br>EA                      | - Grazing management  | Completed   | Actual: 09/28/2007<br>09/28/2007 | 11/2007                 | ODell Tucker<br>304-799-4334 Ext. 19<br>otucker@fs.fed.us |
|  | <b>Description:</b> Maintenance and improvements to four range grazing allotments on the Marlinton/White Sulphur Ranger District  |   |                                  |                         |   |
|  | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Marlinton Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Pocahontas. All four allotments proposed for NEPA analysis are located in Pocahontas county within a 10-15 miles of the Marlinton Ranger Station.                            |   |                                  |                         |   |
| <b>Middle Mountain Savannah Stewardship End Result Project</b><br>EA | - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants   | Completed   | Actual: 09/28/2007<br>09/28/2007 | 01/2008                 | ODell Tucker<br>304-799-4334 Ext. 19<br>otucker@fs.fed.us |
|  | <b>Description:</b> Creation of five savannah areas, on approximately 27 acres, by removing stumps and piling debris from the harvested trees.  |   |                                  |                         |   |
|  | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Marlinton Ranger District, White Sulphur Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Pocahontas. Anthony creek and Knapp creek watersheds about 10 miles south of Minnehaha Springs, WV, along Middle Mountain Trail (Trail 608).. |   |                                  |                         |   |
| <b>Shock Run Prescribe Burn Expansion Project</b><br>EA              | - Fuels management<br>- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants   | In Progress:<br>Scoping Start 06/04/2007<br>Est. 215 Comment Period Legal<br>Notice 12/2007 | Expected:08/2008                 | 01/2009                 | ODell Tucker<br>304-799-4334 Ext. 19<br>otucker@fs.fed.us |
|  | <b>Description:</b> The Marlinton RD is proposing to expand the Rx burning area beyond the boundaries of six timber sale harvest units from the 2000 Shock Run Timber Sale EA.  |   |                                  |                         |   |
|  | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Marlinton Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Pocahontas. The project area is approx. 17 miles NE of Marlinton, WV and borders SR 84 to the south and SR 92 to the west..  |   |                                  |                         |   |
| <b>Snowshoe Hare</b><br>CE   | - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants   | In Progress:<br>Scoping Start 12/19/2006  | Expected:01/2008                 | 02/2008                 | ODell Tucker<br>304-799-4334 Ext. 19<br>otucker@fs.fed.us |
|  | <b>Description:</b> Wildlife habitat improvement project for snowshoe hare.   |   |                                  |                         |   |
|  | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Marlinton Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Pocahontas. Upper Williams Watershed, Pocahontas County.   |   |                                  |                         |   |

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| <b>Upper Williams Watershed Improvement</b><br>EA | - Watershed management  | In Progress:<br>Scoping Start 12/19/2006<br>Est. 215 Comment Period Legal<br>Notice 02/2008 | Expected:08/2008 | 09/2008                 | Thomas Cain<br>304-636-1800 x289<br>tcain@fs.fed.us |
|   | <b>Description:</b> Improve watershed conditions through stream improvement projects including road storage, road abandonment, placement of large woody debris, planting in riparian corridors, construction of stream structures, and armoring of drainage channels. |   |                  |                         |   |
|   | <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Marlinton Ranger District. STATE - West Virginia. COUNTY - Pocahontas. Upper Williams Watershed.  |   |                  |                         |   |

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