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Sent: Tuesday, November 1, 2022 3:57 PM
To: Ali Tretheway
Subject: RE: Timber Harvesting - Levy County
Attachments: How Many Tons of Wood are on an Acre of Land.pdf; How Much Money is an Acre of Timber Worth.pdf; Levy Timber Parcels 2022.png; Forestry Vendor Lists Gilchrist-Levy 2022.pdf

Good afternoon,

I made a site visit to the four parcels today. The pine trees on the site are experiencing reduced levels of growth due to overcrowding and the general level of forest health is declining. The trees are predominantly 20-22 year-old sand pine that are suitable for pulpwood and/or biomass. My suggestion is to utilize a logger that has conventional logging (pulpwood) and chipping (biomass) capabilities. This will maximize revenue and leave the site clean with little mechanical site preparation to do prior to replanting (\$300 - \$400 per acre). I would expect total revenue to be in the \$800 to \$1,000 per acre range, with almost all of the value coming from pine pulpwood. Pine Pulpwood is used locally to make tissue and paper products, biomass chips are used at Gainesville's GRU biomass facility to generate electricity. I will let you know if I get a more accurate estimate later this week.

The attached forestry vendor list includes several local timber buyers that can give you a better valuation estimate that will be based on current market conditions and mill specifications. Also attached is some general information on timber volume and valuation. Please let me know if I can provide any further assistance, including a map showing more accurate acreages of the pines.

Sincerely,

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There is no definitive time-line, the sooner the better. The Board would like your professional opinion.

Thank you,

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Good afternoon,

I would be glad to look at the listed parcels. However, I will be deployed to Collier County with Ian recovery efforts over the next several weeks. What is the timeline that you need some input back?

Sincerely,

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Good Afternoon Mr. Mackenzie,

The Levy County Board of County Commissioners requested that I contact the County Forester regarding several parcels that we are wanting to harvest. They would like you to review the parcels we have slated for this timber harvest to see what the estimated value of the cut is, should we replant (if so, how much would that cost), and also there was some discussion on bio-mass (I am not an expert in that term, so I don't know what that entails). The parcels are: 0340302600, 0340301800, 0340302000, 0340700100. All four parcels together are approximately 107 acres and abut each other and also around the landfill that is owned by the County. I've attached pictures of the parcels in question. Any help with this will be much appreciated. If you have any questions, or if I should be contacting someone else, please let me know.

Thank you,

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How Many Tons of Wood are on an Acre of Land?

Posted by [Nathan Thomas](#) Forest2Market.com on August 13, 2018

“How many tons of wood are there on an acre of land?” Irrespective of location, it’s one of the most common questions foresters hear on an almost-daily basis, and it’s also one that’s difficult to properly define, as there is simply no absolute answer. Regardless of who’s asking, my go-to answer to this question as a consulting forester has always been, “It varies considerably.”

Consumers of wood raw materials want to know the answer to this question so they can maximize efficiencies and seek out the most affordable resources, and timberland owners want to know so they can get a general estimate of how much their timber is worth. Like all resources, the law of supply and demand drives the volume and value of timber.

At a very high level, an acre of timber is an acre of timber. But regional differences in species mix, growth rates, terrain and a host of other factors oftentimes mean there is a considerable disparity in the volume, and therefore the value, of wood on an acre of land. For instance, we recently published a blog post that analyzes the difference in [chip and pulpwood price trends](#) between the US South and the Pacific Northwest.

But in the US South specifically, the factor that has the single largest impact on the volume of wood per acre is the predominant species of trees on the land: pine vs. hardwood.

When cruising a stand of timber, the volume of natural hardwood can be the toughest factor to determine due to large variations in the number of trees per acre, the tremendous inconsistency in tree sizes and the variance in quality based on the species. Even mixed stands of timber (both pine and hardwood) can have large variations due to the size of the trees, the density of trees, and the percentage of the area that is covered by pine vs. hardwood.

Landowners in the US South that actively manage the timber on their properties typically manage for the growth of pine—usually the *slash* and *loblolly* varieties. While this minimizes diversity and significantly improves the ability to accurately determine stand volume, there is still plenty of variation due to a few important factors:

- **Forest Type:** A plantation-style managed property has more fixed density across the stand, depending on the desired spacing; a natural-style property is regenerated without actively planting trees, which

oftentimes leads to a much higher density of trees and more variable spacing across the stand.

- **Soil Quality:** Lower-quality soils generally result in slower tree growth, smaller tree size and lower tree quality.
- **Management Regimes:** Tree spacing will contribute to individual tree growth and timber quality over the life of the stand. Density can be controlled on a plantation-style stand, as the trees are planted in rows to improve access for timberland managers, and the rows result in higher tree density: 7' x 10' rows (trees planted every 7' in rows that are spaced every 10') = roughly 620 trees per acre, and 10' x 10' = roughly 435 trees per acre.
- **Silvicultural Applications:** Mechanical or chemical site preparation, chemical release spray, prescribed burns, weed and pest control management can all result in improved survival rates and faster growth for planted pine seedlings.
- **Type of Harvest:** Thinning vs. clearcut: thinnings remove only a portion of the stand's smaller trees to make more room for the other trees to grow larger, and clearcuts remove all of the trees on the stand. A pre-commercial thinning on a natural timber stand will result in greater variance in the number of trees per acre at the time of a second (commercial) thinning. Also, the total number of thinnings, volume harvested during each thinning, and the timing of each thinning in the total growth cycle will affect the overall volume on the stand.

When combining all of the above factors, it is evident that many influences contribute to the overall volume of wood on any given stand of timber in the US South.

What Does the Data Say?

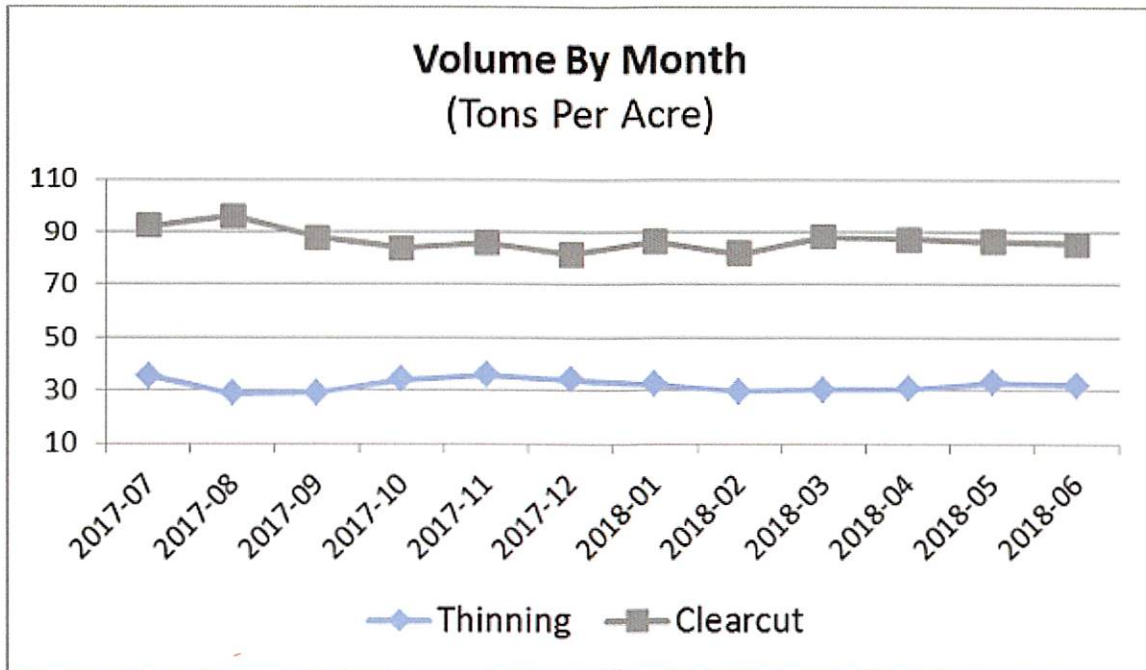
It's important to note that the sizes of the trees removed during thinnings and clearcuts are quite different. In general, the size of pine logs fall into the following categories: trees that are 5"-7" diameter at breast height (DBH) are considered "pulpwood;" logs that are 8"-11" are considered "chip-n-saw;" logs that are 12"+ in diameter are considered "sawtimber." As logs get larger, the per-ton value of the trees increases; sawtimber that has a DBH of 18" is more valuable than 12" sawtimber, for instance.

Harvest Type

Forest2Market's transaction-based data from actual timber sales throughout the US South over the last year (7/17 - 6/18) helps us answer the larger question. Clearcut harvests will remove trees in all three categories noted above, whereas thinnings will remove only pulpwood and smaller logs that

fall into the chip-n-saw category. Detailed data by harvest type, predominately from pine stands, demonstrate that:

- Clearcut harvests generate roughly 80-105 tons of timber per acre
 - Average clearcut tons per acre: 87
- Thinning harvests generate between 25-40 tons of timber per acre
 - Average thinning tons per acre: 32

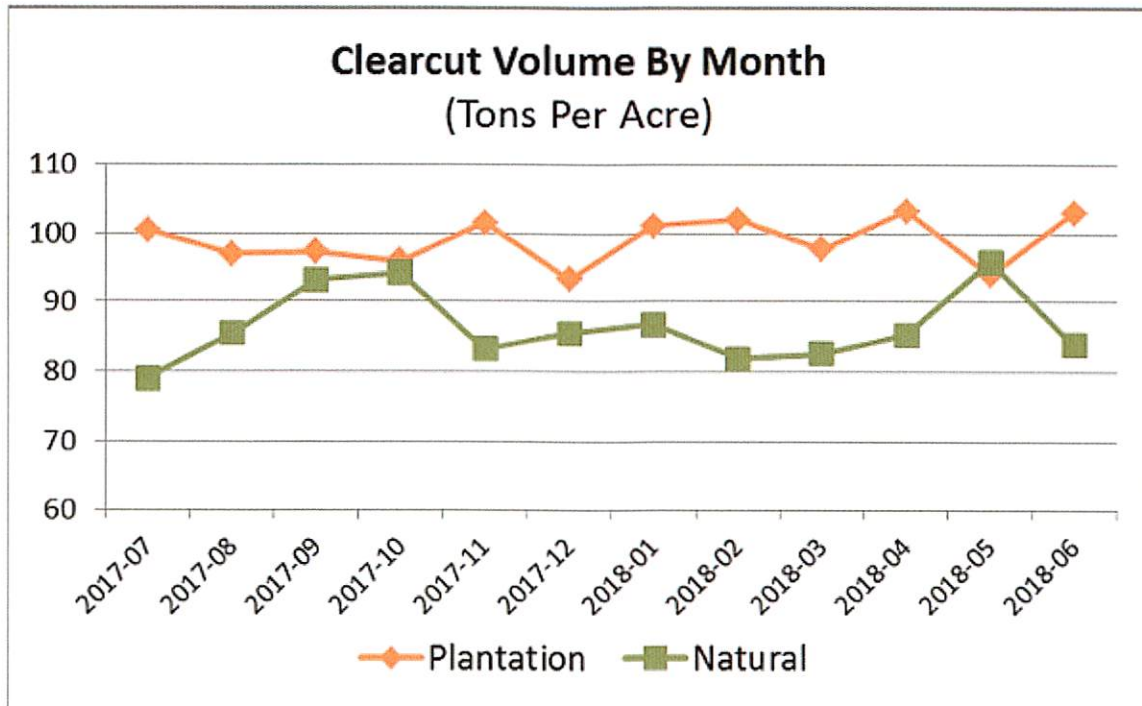


Timberland Type

Timberland type also plays a significant role in the total tons per acre at harvest. Plantations typically maintain a higher volume per acre because they are harvested before growth begins to slow down drastically (35+ years old). On stands that are thinned and harvested at a younger age, there is less mortality because they experience less hardwood competition due to silvicultural prescriptions. Forest2Market data from timberland type demonstrate that:

- Average volume of natural pine clearcut: 86 tons per acre
- Average volume of plantation pine clearcut: 99 tons per acre

The following chart specifies the volume trend for both natural and plantation pine.



A trained forester is essential to help determine an accurate amount of wood on an acre of timberland. In the follow-up installment to this blog post, I will dig deeper into this common question and analyze actual timber prices in conjunction with tons of wood per acre. Combining Forest2Market's direct market pricing data and harvest volume information will help to illustrate the real value of an acre of timber.

How Much Money is an Acre of Timber Worth?

Posted by [Nathan Thomas](#) Forest2Market.com on September 24, 2018

The first pieces of information landowners need when they decide to sell their timber are 1) an understanding of how much merchantable timber is growing on the stand they intend to harvest and 2) an understanding of the real market value of that timber. In the first installment of my two-part series on the data needed prior to a timber sale, I answered the most common question foresters hear on a regular basis: "How many tons of wood are there on an acre of land?" That blog post generated lots of attention and while it's a topic of general interest, it's really an indirect way of asking what everyone *really* wants to know: "How much money is an acre of timber worth?"

Just like the first question, my go-to answer as a forester has always been, "It varies considerably." As an additional qualification for the second question, I would also add one important caveat that universally applies to all property values: Location, location, location. The law of supply and demand drives timber prices and demand is heavily influenced by location, surrounding mill types and the volume and type of timber products that are consumed in a given area. The volume and type of products that are available on a tract of timber will therefore determine the value per acre.

Landowners in the US South who manage their land for timber predominately manage for the growth of pine. These pine stands, whether they are regenerated naturally or planted, most often go through even-aged management where the majority of the trees present are the same age (+/- a couple of years). Even-aged plantation pine stands typically experience 1-2 intermediate commercial thinnings (though some may require pre-commercial thinning), and one final commercial harvest, or clearcut. When following this model, thinnings typically remove smaller trees at earlier ages and clearcuts remove the remainder of the larger trees at later ages.

The sizes of the trees removed during thinnings and clearcuts are quite different and therefore differ in value. In general, pine logs fall into one of the following categories: trees that are 5"-7" diameter at breast height (DBH) are considered "pulpwood;" logs that are 8"-11" are considered "chip-n-saw;" logs that are 12"+ in diameter are considered "sawtimber." As logs grow larger, the per-ton value of the trees generally increases. Log quality can impact this, however. Lower-quality trees may be used in a less-expensive product class even though they reached the necessary DBH, so they command a lower price as a result.

What Does the Data Say?

As I noted in the first blog post, a number of factors determine timber stand volume and quality and, ultimately, the price of the trees on a stand: forest type, soil quality, management regimes, silvicultural applications and harvest type. These factors combine to affect forest growth rates and individual tree quality, which also contribute to a landowner's decision to either thin or clearcut a stand of timber. For example, younger stands that contain high-quality timber may be clearcut if the trees reach a certain quality earlier in their growth cycle, making the value of the younger timber equal to, or higher than, potential future values of older timber.

For this blog post, I analyzed US Southwide prices for plantation pine on a per-acre basis by harvest type (thinning vs. clearcut) and age class (≤ 15 years old, 16-20 years old, 21-25 years old and 26+ years old). I also analyzed US Southwide prices for natural pine by harvest type (concise age class data is unavailable for these harvests).

Plantation Pine Stands

First thinnings of timber between the ages of 15-20 bring lower prices due to the smaller trees that are removed; only pulpwood and smaller logs that fall into the chip-n-saw category are harvested at this time. However, second thinnings in the 21-25 age class typically remove more than just pulpwood, including larger chip-n-saw logs and smaller-diameter sawtimber. Both products command a higher price per ton than pulpwood, which raises the price per acre. Thinnings in stands that are 26+ years old are less common and oftentimes result in removing less volume per acre, which causes a decrease in the price per acre.

Clearcuts, on the other hand, typically carry a higher price per acre due to the average size of the trees that are removed. Most landowners prefer to clearcut their timberland when it is in the 26+ age class, since a majority of the trees have reached the higher-value sawtimber category. However, it is important to bear in mind that a clearcut will remove *all* of the standing timber on a tract of land, which, even in the case of a managed forest in the 26+ age class, will include both pulpwood and chip-n-saw logs. This mixture of harvested timber products will ultimately affect the price per acre.

US South Plantation Pine Values per Acre

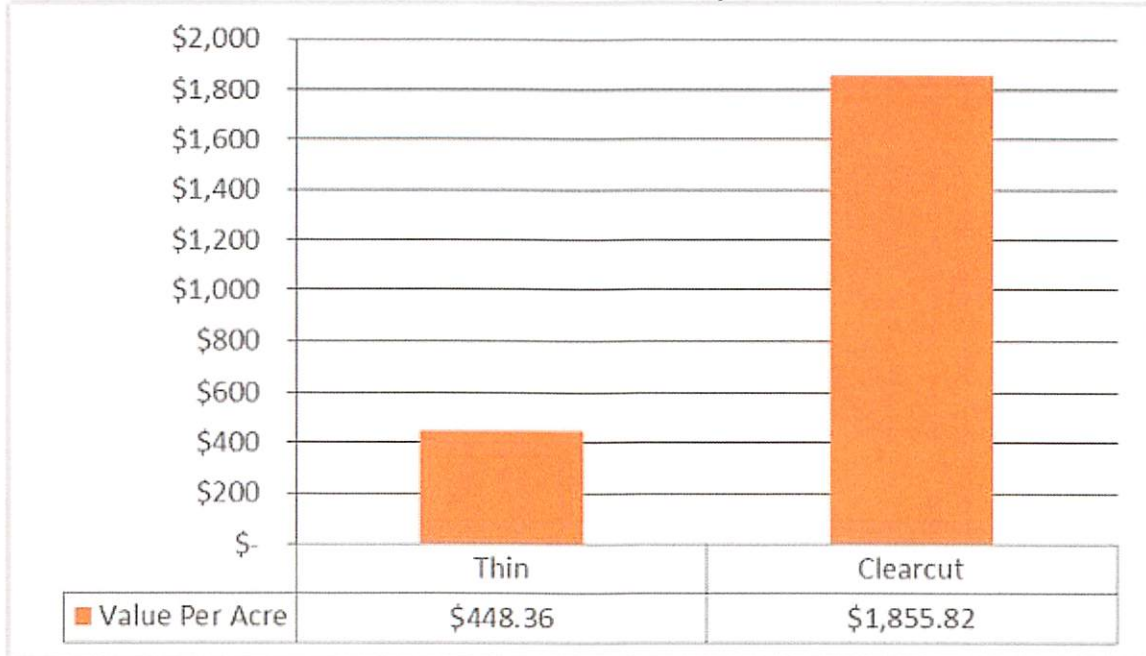


Natural Pine Stands

Even without the individual age class data, the harvest information of natural pine stands illustrates similar price per acre ranges as the plantation pine harvest data. There are, however, a couple of considerations to keep in mind when analyzing the natural pine data:

1. Naturally-regenerated stands of pine timber often have a higher density of trees than do plantations. During thinnings on natural stands, more material is therefore typically removed, resulting in an increase in volume and price per acre.
2. The clearcut price per acre on natural pine stands is slightly higher due to the presence of some hardwood sawtimber that is harvested along with the pine during a clearcut, which carries a higher price than pine in the current market. Older timber stands also typically allow for larger trees, which can affect the total stand volume or the price per tree. The increased timber volumes combined with a mix of hardwood sawtimber will result in a higher price per acre.

US South Natural Pine Values per Acre



As I also noted in the first installment, a trained forester is essential to help determine an accurate amount of merchantable wood—and insight into the local market—that exists on an acre of timberland. Prices for timber products can vary considerably even from county to county in a specific region based on demand.

To assist landowners, foresters and institutional investors in making sure they get market prices for their timber, Forest2Market’s direct market price data and specific harvest volume information provide the most complete and accurate timber pricing service in the southern US. Our timber price database is continually updated and contains comprehensive sales data from actual timber transactions across the entire region. In 2017 alone, more than 25.4 million tons of timber was added to our database representing an added \$425 million in timber sales. In total, our database contains more than 300 million tons of timber valued at more than \$6 billion.

In the end, the same resources that are required to answer the two most common questions that foresters hear are the two most important resources timberland owners require before selling their timber: a reputable, certified consulting forester who will cruise the timber tract and provide an estimate of timber inventory, and a transaction-based pricing service that provides an accurate view of local market prices by product. Landowners who rely on these resources when selling their timber yield higher returns.

Consulting Foresters - Gilchrist & Levy Counties

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|---|--|-------------------------------------|--|---|
| A.W. Powers Forestry, Inc. Site Prep, herbicide & fertilizer application Reforestation Timber Sales & Harvesting Timber Inventory and Appraisal Timberland Management & Plans Timber Marking | 2800 S.E. 26th Place Trenton, FL 32693 | (352) 463-1300 | A.W. Powers powersforestry@aol.com | |
| American Forest Management Site Prep, herbicide & fertilizer application Reforestation Timber Sales & Harvesting Timber Inventory and Appraisal Forestry Real-Estate & Appraisal Timberland Management & Plans Timber Marking | 13570 NW 101 Drive Suite 500 Alachua, FL 32615 | 386-518-6344x16 352-443-2439 (m) | Mark Hammond mark.hammond@afmforest.com | |
| Jowett & Wood, Inc. Consulting Site Prep, herbicide & fertilizer application Prescribed burning Reforestation Timber Sales & Harvesting Timber Inventory and Appraisal Timberland Management & Plans Timber Marking | P.O. Box 2194 High Springs, FL 32655 | 352-303-4008 (386)454-4443 | Ralph Jowett rforester@aol.com | |
| Forestland Management Inc. Site Prep, herbicide & fertilizer application Prescribed burning Reforestation Timber Sales & Harvesting Timber Inventory and Appraisal Timberland Management & Plans Timber Marking | 14616 SW 151st Ave. Brooker, Florida 32622 | 352-214-2909 | Ray Horne rhorne1964@earthlink.net | |
| The Forestry Company Site Prep, herbicide & fertilizer application Prescribed burning Reforestation Timber Sales & Harvesting Timber Inventory and Appraisal Forestry Real-Estate & Appraisal Timberland Management & Plans Specialty Services Timber Marking | 12222 S. County Rd 325 Hawthorne, FL 32640 | 850-584-8887 850-843-1192 | Don Curtis, Jr. drcurtisjr@hotmail.com | 40 acre minimum for services involving machinery |
| Southern Forestry Consultants, Inc. Site Prep, herbicide & fertilizer application Prescribed burning Reforestation Timber Sales & Harvesting Timber Inventory and Appraisal Timberland Management & Plans Timber Marking | 105 West Anderson St. Monticello, FL 32344 | (850)997-1065 (850)997-6254 | David Lewis sfci_1@bellsouth.net | |
| Shiver Forestry Site Prep, herbicide & fertilizer application Reforestation Timber Sales & Harvesting Timber Inventory and Appraisal Timberland Management & Plans Timber Marking | Lake City, FL | (386)752-6606 | Joe Shiver | |
| F&W Forestry Service Site Prep, herbicide & fertilizer application Forestry Real-Estate & Appraisal Reforestation Timber Sales & Harvesting Timber Inventory and Appraisal Timberland Management & Plans Timber Marking | 4631 NW 53rd Ave Suite 102 Gainesville, FL 32653 | (352) 377-2924 | Bryan Croft bcroft@fwforestry.com | |
| Forest Environmental Solutions LLC Site Prep, herbicide & fertilizer application Prescribed burning Reforestation Timber Sales & Harvesting Timber Inventory and Appraisal Timberland Management & Plans Timber Marking | PO Box 145 Dade City, FL 33526-0141 | 352-206-8776 | Joe Gocsik joe@fesfl.com | |

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A consulting forester is an *independent professional* who manages forests and markets forest products for private woodland owners.

ACF consulting foresters are required to have a bachelor degree and five years experience in practical forestry administration. They must adhere to strict ACF ethical practices and meet continuous education requirements.

Landowners may verify credentials and search for ACF foresters here:

[ACF](http://www.acfforesters.com)

Site Prep / Tree Planter List - Levy and Gilchrist Counties

| VENDOR | ADDRESS | CONTACT | WEB PAGE/NOTES | PRACTICES |
|---|--|---|---|---|
| Ward Batton | | (352) 494-7730 | | Prescribed Burning Pasture Burning |
| Allen Yesh | | Cell: 601-227-1382 Home: 352-463-7735 | Small Tracts Only (25 ac or less) | Hand Planting |
| Usher Land & Timber | PO Box 843 Chiefland, FL 32644 | Eric Handley 352-949-1058 #1 handlej11@gmail.com | | Mechanical Site Preparation |
| Danny Lane Ranch Services, LLC | P O Box 589 Newberry, FL 3266 | Mobile (352) 258-1534 btrtater@gmail.com | Small to moderate sized jobs | Raking Pile Burning |
| Mathews Land Clearing & Excavation | Williston | Carl Mathews 352-339-1590 | | Ponds Cleaned Stumps Pushed Raking & Burning Leveling |
| Kevin McKenzie Jr. | PO Box 3002 High Springs, FL 32655 | Mobile (352) 222-7682 kmac1253@live.com | Small to moderate sized jobs | Raking Pile Burning |
| Mizell Development | 45120 Dorman Place Callahan, FL 32011 | (904) 545-0611 adam@mizelldevelopment.com | Large Tracts Only (80 ac and larger) | Mechanical Site Preparation |
| Cane Crosby | 2969 SW CR 307A Trenton FL | 352-538-4130 kcrosby1993@gmail.com | | Hand Planting Longleaf Machine Planting |
| Suwanne River Forestry, Inc. Contact: Paul Thomas | 1205 SW Wester Dr Lake City FL 32024 | Phone: 386-965-9822 zyxthomas@comcast.net | | Bed, chop Machine, Hand & V-Blade Plant Mow, Rake, Burn |
| Ruby & Steven Swett LLC | P.O. Box 369 St James City, FL 33956 | Contact: Wes Swett Phone: 305-804-9727 rby756@hotmail.com | Over 30 years Experience | Hand Planting Boundary Painting Backpack Herbicide Hack & Squirt Basal Bark Spray |
| Larry Lewis | 16616 94 Ave Alachua FL 32615 | 352-535-5613 | 8 ft mower width | Mowing(BushHog) Firelines |
| JAB AG & Land Services | | 386-623-1491 jaburns55@gmail.com | Family owned and operated since 2000. Serving a multi-county area. | Brush Removal Roadway Grading Culvert Installation |
| Sherrod Ward | | 386-935-0721 | | MOWING |
| Donald Durrance | | 352-221-5187 | | MOWING |

Red River Specialties: 386-935-4722, Live Oak, FL (herbicide)

Please note that inclusion of a vendor on this list does not imply endorsement or warrant suitability. Please exercise due diligence in vendor selection.

Timber Buyer List

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|---------------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
| A&H Logging, Inc. | PO BOX 986 Williston FL 32696 | Office: (352) 528-3868 Mobile: (352) 817-0872 | aandhfarm@centurylink.net | Upland Timber & Whole Tree Chipping |
| A. L. Baxley and Sons, Inc. | 1542 East Hwy. 329 Citra FL 32113 | Phone 1 (352)629-5137 Phone 2 (352)368-7174 FAX (352)629-1438 | glndvs@aol.com | Upland Timber Wetland Timber |
| Agri-Timber, Inc. | 35520 Timbertop Lane Fruitland Park, Fl 34731 34479 | Phone (352) 787-1161 Mobile (352) 267-5994 | | Timber purchasing / harvesting large and small tracts Forestry mulch mowing Land clearing Aquatic vegetation management |
| Aldrich Timber Inc. | 3412 North East 9th Avenue, Ocala FL 34479 | Phone 2 (352)427-0763 FAX (352)732-0539 | | Other Products Upland Timber Wetland Timber |
| Alford Timber, Inc. | 3816 Reid Street, Palatka FL 32177 | Phone 2 (386)325-7330 | btalford@hughes.net | Upland Timber Wetland Timber |
| Jason Faircloth | Gichrist, Levy, and Marion Counties | 352-258-3284 | jasonandangie@svic.net | Small Tract Logger |
| Great South Timber & Lumber, Inc. | P.O. Box 2249 Lake City FL 32056 | Phone 1 (386)755-3048 Phone 2 (386)755-3046 | russhannon@bellsouth.net | Upland Timber |
| Greenville Timber Corporation | P.O. Box 540, Madison FL 32341 | Phone 1 (850)973-3563 Phone 2 (850)973-4107 FAX (800)533-4902 | imchamblin56@aol.com | Upland Timber Wetland Timber |
| Howell Logging, Inc. | 20253 NE 20th Street Williston FL 32696 | Phone 352-529-2070 | info@crackersawmill.com | Cypress Large Pine Custom Log Homes |
| John A. Cruce, Inc. | P.O. Box 86, Perry FL 32348 | Phone 1 (850)584-9555 Phone 2 (850)584-9755 FAX (850)672-0441 | johncruce@fairpoint.net | |
| Lake Pleasant Agritimber LLC | 502 W. Green St. Perry FL 32347 | Phone 1 (850)584-8887 Phone 2 (850)843-1100 FAX (850)223-3494 | drcurtisjr@hotmail.com | Other Products Upland Timber |
| Levings Forest Products, Inc. | POB 2758 Lake City FL 32056 | Phone 1 (386)752-2908 Mobile (386)397-5205 FAX (386)752-5815 | gatorlevings@aol.com | Other Products Upland Timber Wetland Timber |
| Loncala, Inc | 25755 NW 130th Avenue High Springs FL 32643 | Phone 1 (386)454-4831 Phone 2 (386)454-1511 FAX (352)318-0190 | tim@loncala.com | Upland Timber Fuelwood Harvesting |
| M.A. Rigoni, Inc. | 2365 North US 19, Perry FL 32347 | Phone 1 (850)584-2569 Phone 2 (850)584-7030 FAX (850)838-6178 | richard@marigoniinc.com | Upland Timber |
| Mid State Logging | PO Box 1977, Ocala FL 34478-1977 | Phone 1 (352)622-7253 Phone 2 (800)625-5420 | | Upland Timber |
| North Florida Timber Dealers, Inc. | P.O. Box 1507, Lake City FL 32056 | Phone 1 (386)752-2223 Phone 2 (386)752-6646 FAX (386)397-9187 | | Other Products Upland Timber Wetland Timber |
| Robbins Manufacturing | 13904 St. Rd. 471 Webster | Phone 1 (352)793-3874 Phone 2 (352)793-8900 | hwilson@robbinlumber.com | Upland Timber |

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| | FL | FAX (352)793-2025 | | |
| | 33597 | | | |
| Suwannee Lumber Co. | P.O. Box 5090, | Phone 1 (352)498-2427 | boggest1@windstream.net | Upland Timber Wetland Timber |
| | Cross City | Phone 2 (352)498-3363 | | |
| | FL | FAX (352)356-0259 | | |
| | 32628 | | | |
| T.W. Byrd's Sons Logging, Inc. | 11860 E US 27, | Phone 1 (386)935-3884 | bbyrd@atlantic.net | Upland Timber Wetland Timber |
| | Branford | Phone 2 (386)935-1544 | | |
| | FL | FAX (386)935-6409 | | |
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| Usher Land & Timber, Inc. | P.O. Box 843, | Eric Handley 352-949-1058 #1 | handlej11@gmail.com | Upland Timber |
| | Chiefland | | usherlt@bellsouth.net | |
| | FL | Office 352-493-4221 #2 | | |
| | 32644 | | | |
| VanWagner Timber, Inc. | 15103 NE Jacksonville Rd., | Phone 1 (352)595-2565 | | Upland Timber |
| | Citra | Phone 2 (352)266-2877 | | |
| | FL | | | |
| | 32113 | | | |
| Williston Timber Co., Inc | 4351 NE 176th Ave, | Phone 1 (352)528-5206 | | Upland Timber Wetland Timber |
| | Williston | Phone 2 (352)528-5456 | | |
| | FL | | | |
| | 32696 | | | |
| Wood Resource Recovery | Gainesville, FL | (352) 494-6918 | | Upland Timber Cypress |
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Local Loggers

Important Information

Landowners are recommended to utilize logging contractors that can provide proof of adequate insurance. Master Logger certification, a written contract, and local references are also suggested.

For additional information:

<http://floridaforest.org/programs/master-logger/>

Landowners that desire assistance with selling their timber may utilize the services of a consulting forester

What is a Consulting Forester

Association of Consulting Foresters

A consulting forester is an *independent professional* who manages forests and markets forest products for private woodland owners.

ACF consulting foresters are required to have a bachelor degree and five years experience in practical forestry administration.

They must adhere to strict ACF ethical practices and meet continuous education requirements.

Association of Consulting Foresters Search Tool:

https://www.acf-foresters.org/ACFWeb/Directory/ACFWeb/Find_a_Forester/Directory.aspx

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Whole-Tree Chipping Contractors

A & H Logging, Inc.
Art Nussell
Williston, FL
352-817-0872

M.A. Rigoni, Inc.
2365 North US 19
Perry, FL 32347
850-584-7030

Wood Resource Recovery, Inc. Gainesville, FL
(352) 494-6918

John A. Cruce, Inc.
John A. Cruce, Jr.
P.O. Box 86
Perry, FL 32348
850-584-9755
Mobile: 850-672-0441

Bielling Site Prep & Reforestation Jimmy Bielling
6074 West SR 238
Lake Butler, FL 32054
386-755-4162/ 904-219-4506

Columbia Timber Company 4424 NW 13th St,
Suite C-2, Gainesville, FL 32609
Phone 1 (352) 375-1473 Phone 2 (800) 344-1473

Ward Timber
1801 NW 177th Ave Gainesville, FL 32609
352-485-1540 – office
352-665-1761 – mobile

Note: In situations where there is a considerable amount of non-merchantable hardwood trees that need to be removed (such as in longleaf pine restoration), a logger with whole-tree chipping capability (in addition to conventional logging) may significantly reduce mechanical site preparation costs.

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Small Sawmills

| Name | Number | Email | Web Site | Market |
|-----------------------|----------------|--|---|---|
| The Florida Woodsmith | (352)870-7775 | Floridawoodsmith@gmail.com | http://www.floridawoodsmith.com/ | Cherry, Cedar and other select hardwoods |
| Cracker Sawmill | (352) 529-2070 | info@crackersawmill.com | http://www.crackersawmill.com/ | Specialize in Cypress and Southern Yellow Pine. |

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Gilchrist / Levy County Tree Services

GIBSON Tree Service

Yankeetown, FL
(352) 586-9677

Ressler's Professional Tree Service, Inc

Chiefland, FL
(352) 494-7741

Langston Tree

Trenton, FL
(352) 221-0001

Hammock Tree Service

Dunnellon, FL
(352) 266-7390

BH Tree Specialist

Inglis, FL
(352) 445-7967

Turbeville Tree Services

Morrison, FL
(352) 528-3791

Trenton Tree Service

Bell, FL
(352) 231-6402

Duron Williamson's Tree Services

Branford, FL
(352) 318-3610

Possible Small Quantity Timber Buyers

Southern Fuel Wood
Pat Post
P.O. Box 1319
Newberry, FL 32669
352-472-4324

Ron Rudd Sawmill
352-538-5098

Chad Cordwin
Cordwin Sawmill
(352) 591-3642

Recommendation: Ask if an ISA Certified Arborist is on staff

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Pine Straw Vendor List - Levy and Gilchrist Counties

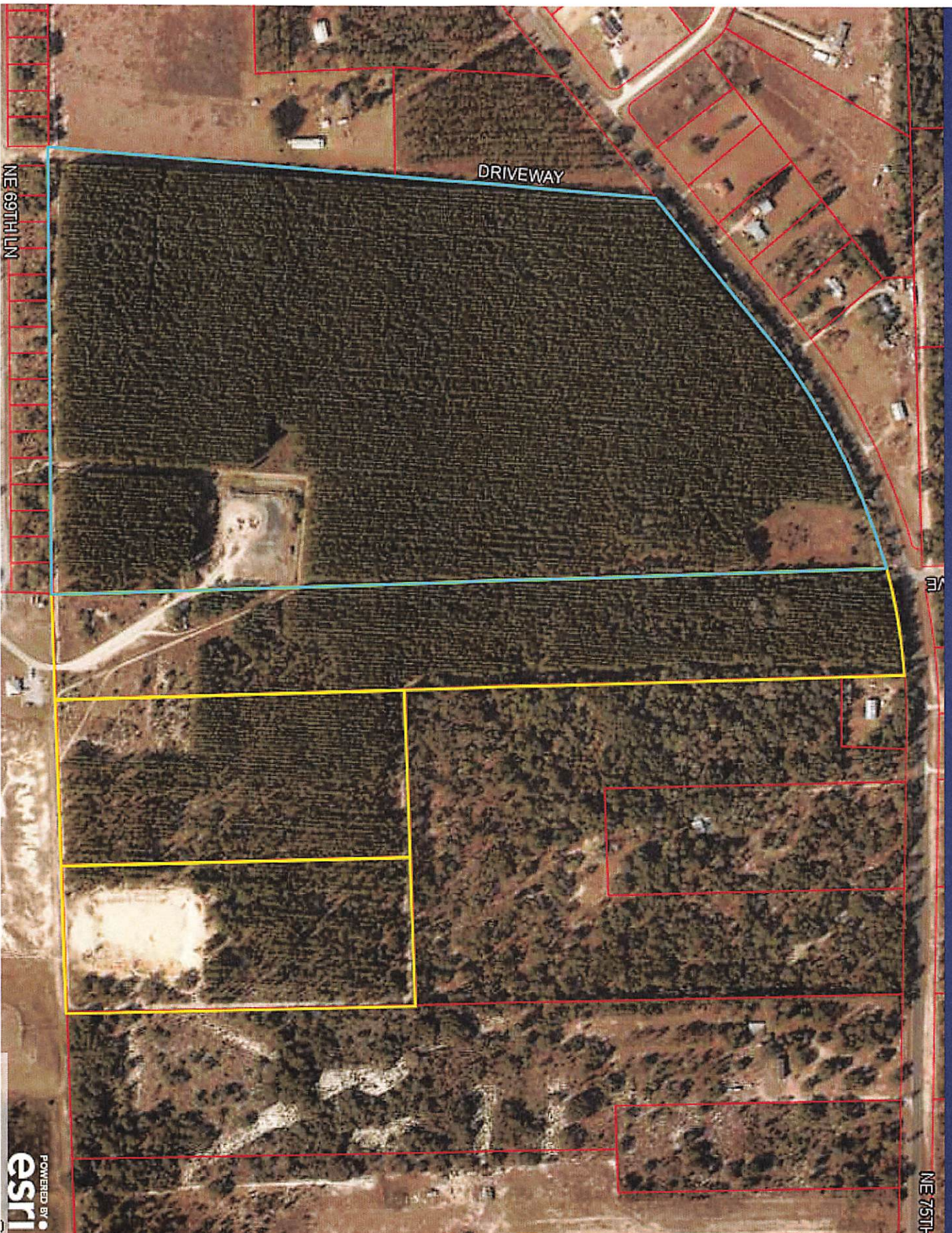
| VENDOR | ADDRESS | CONTACT | WEB PAGE/NOTES | PRACTICES |
|-----------------------|---|---------------------|---|------------|
| Custom Pine Straw | 3862 NE Co Rd 340 High Springs FL 32643 | 386-935-6933 | http://custompinestraw.com/ | Pine Straw |
| Standridge Pine Straw | 4150 NW 50 Ave Chiefland, FL 32626 | <u>352-493-2418</u> | http://www.standridgepinestraw.com/ | Pine Straw |
| Warren Pine Straw | 7327 Hwy 27 S Branford, FL 32008 | 386-935-0693 | | Pine Straw |

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FLORIDA TREE SEEDLING NURSERIES 2020 - 2021

| Nursery Name & Location | Contact Person/Phone No./ E-mail/Web address | Seedlings Produced | Orders Accepted Beginning.... | Seedlings Available For Pickup Beginning... |
|---|--|---|----------------------------------|--|
| Andrews Nursery P O Drawer 849 Chiefland, FL 32644 | (352) 493-6096 | Contrainerized and Bare Root Longleaf Pine Improved Bare Root Slash Pine | July 1st | 9850 NW 42nd Ct. Chiefland, FL 32626 |
| Blanton's Longleaf Container Nursery 1091 NE Daylily Ave. Madison, FL 32340 | Jay Blanton, Jason Blanton (850) 973-2967 Office) (850) 566-1884 (Jay) (850) 566-7175 (Jason) blantonsnursery@earthlink.net | Containerized Longleaf (Improved and Natural Stand) Containerized Slash (Improved 2nd and 3rd Gen.) Containerized Loblolly (Improved 2nd and 3rd Gen) Potted 3 gallon longleaf | Year Round | November 1 |
| Buckeye Nursery, Inc. P.O. Box 450 Perry, FL 32348 | Clinton Keen/Erica Lee 1-800-838-2218 (850) 838-2680 www.buckeyenursery.com | Bare Root Seedlings BuckeyeSelects (2.0 Gen Slash from selected families) BuckeyeChoice (2.0 Gen slash - Orchard Blend) BuckeyeStandard (1.5 Gen Slash) Loblolly (2.0 Gen RR) | May | Late November |
| Central Florida Lands & Timber Nursery 3087 N. CR 53 Mayo, FL 32066 | Matt Buchanan (386) 294-1211 www.cflatnursery.com | Potted Tree Seedlings (1 - 20 gallons) Baldcypress, Pondcypress, Redcedar, Numerous hardwood species | Year Round | Year Round |
| Dwight Stansel Farm & Nursery 5553 164th Street Wellborn, FL 32094 | Carol Stalvey/Dwight Stansel/Bobby Feeney (386) 963-2827 dsfntte@windstream.net | Bare Root Seedlings 2nd Generation Slash, Improved Loblolly Longleaf, Redcedar, Numerous Hardwood Species | April 15th | Late November |
| Native Forest Nursery 11306 HWY 411 S. Chatsworth GA, 30705 | Ashley Thurman www.nativeforestnursery.com ashley@nativeforestnursery.com | Containerized Loblolly & Shortleaf Pine Ohio Buckeye in #1 and #3 Bare root: 50+ hardwood species & 8 pine species Including Bald and Pond Cypress 2 nd gen and 3 rd cycle Loblolly | Year round | Mid-December depending on weather conditions and dormancy Containers available year round. |
| Superior Trees, Inc. P.O. Drawer 9400 Lee, FL 32059 | Alan Webb/T. J. Jones (850) 971-5159 superiortrees@centurylink.net | Bare Root Seedlings Improved Rust Resistant Slash, Improved Rust Resistant Loblolly, Longleaf, Sand, Baldcypress, Pondcypress, Numerous Hardwood Species, Containerized Longleaf, Potted Tree Seedlings | May 1st | Container Available now. Bare Root Available Mid October |
| Chestnut Hill Nursery 15105 NW 94th Ave, Alachua, FL 32615 | (386) 462-2820 | Dunstan Chestnut, Fruit Trees & Berries, Oaks & Pollinators | | |

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Results:

Parcel ID - 0340700100
 Address - 7521 NE 106
 Owner - LEVY BOCC
 Acres - 64.63
 Property Use - 8600 -
 COUNTY

Sale Date - 2/1/1993
 Sale Price - 44000
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Parcel ID - 0340302000
 Owner - LEVY BOCC
 Acres - 20.1
 Property Use - 8600 -
 COUNTY

Sale Date - 4/1/1994
 Sale Price - 24300
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Parcel ID - 0340301800
 Owner - LEVY BOCC
 Acres - 11.21
 Property Use - 8600 -
 COUNTY

Sale Date - 4/1/1994
 Sale Price - 30800
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Parcel ID - 0340302600
 Owner - LEVY BOCC
 Acres - 11.47
 Property Use - 8600 -
 COUNTY
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