Appendix E

National Park Service U.S. Department of the Interior

Buffalo National River Harrison, Arkansas





SOLICITATION

AGRICULTURAL SPECIAL USE PERMITS (SUP)

Buffalo National River National Park Service Midwest Region

Solicitation # BUFF-MWR-1000-XXX

SOLICITATION ISSUED: November 5, 2013

BIDS DUE: November 25, 2013

Bids <u>must be received</u> by the National Park Service no later than 2:00 pm of the due date listed above and should be addressed to:

Rachel Green Norton Agricultural Special Use Permit Coordinator National Park Service Buffalo National River 402 N. Walnut St., Suite 136 Harrison, AR, 72601 870-365-2776



United States Department of the Interior

NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

Buffalo National River 402 N. Walnut, Suite 136 Harrison, AR 72601

L3015 (BUFF)

November 4, 2013

RE: Agricultural Special Use Permits #MWR-BUFF-1000-XXX

Dear Bidder:

This year as we advertise Agricultural SUP's within the Buffalo National River, you may notice an increase in the price of the permit. The new minimum bids are derived from an in-house study that looked at all aspects of each parcel of land, including acres, miles of dirt road, road conditions, soil classes and percent of forage stand available. As a result of this study, the minimum bid for some parcels will increase, some will decrease and some will remain unchanged. It has been more than twenty years since there was a price adjustment to the value of some of the fields.

We understand that the new minimum bids may be significantly more expensive than in the past, but we are required to bring prices up to date with current fair market values. We appreciate your patience and cooperation as we continue to make improvements to our Agricultural permit program.

Your participation plays a very important role in managing the landscape of Buffalo National River. Without farming, these fields would quickly turn into a mix of invasive species and overgrown thickets. Farmed fields are part of the cultural landscape at the Buffalo National River and your services help maintain a wide variety of habitat for a large number of species.

If you have any questions, please contact the Resource Management office at 870-365-2776.

Sincerely,

Kevin G. Cheri Superintendent

Kevin H. Cheri

Solicitation Opportunity for Agricultural Special Use Permits Buffalo National River

Solicitation # BUFF-MWR-1000-XXX

The National Park Service (NPS) intends to award thirty-four (34) Special Use Permits for parcels within portions of Buffalo National River in Newton and Searcy Counties. In each parcel being offered, agricultural use is limited to hay cutting. The Bid Sheet, parcel description, and maps regarding each parcel are attached to this Solicitation. Permits will not be issued solely based upon the highest bid for each parcel. The ability to perform the work, knowledge of the SUP agricultural program, and past performance will be included in the selection process.

The NPS is conducting this Solicitation for Agricultural Special Use Permits in accordance with 16 United States Code 1-4 and 36 Code of Federal Regulation Parts 1-7 (36 CFR 1-7).

In the event of any inconsistency between the terms of this Solicitation and 36 CFR 1-7, 36 CFR 1-7 will prevail. In the event of any inconsistency between the description of the terms contained in this Solicitation and the Special Permit itself, the terms of the Special Use Permit will prevail.

Bidders are responsible for undertaking appropriate due diligence with respect to this Agricultural SUP opportunity. All of the statements made in this Solicitation regarding the nature of the opportunity and its likely future are only opinions of the NPS. Offerors may not rely on any representations of the NPS in this regard.

Term and Effective Date

Each permit will be for a term of five (5) years beginning on its effective date, which is estimated to be January 1, 2014. The expiration date of each permit will be December 31, 2019.

Minimum Bids

Minimum acceptable bids are listed on the parcel information sheet (Attachment 1) and the application page (Attachment 3). Bids may vary depending on field quality and location.

Wildlife Habitat Enhancement Plans

Wildlife Habitat Enhancement Plans are designed to enhance the habitat value of agricultural fields for wildlife. Projects included in these plans are intended to increase the diversity of habitat types present for the benefit of both game and nongame species. Wildlife Habitat Enhancement Plans for selected parcels (see Attachment 3) have been developed by the NPS and the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission (AGFC). Not all fields have Wildlife Habitat Enhancement Plans. Permittees having fields with Wildlife Habitat Enhancement Plans will be required to participate in various tasks, including bush-hogging, disking, applying lime, fertilizer and seeds. Specialized equipment may be rented from district conservation offices in Boone, Marion, Newton and Searcy counties. The value of work accomplished for the Wildlife Habitat Enhancement Plan will not be deducted from the permit fee for the following year, therefore, cost should be accounted for in your bid. A site-specific Wildlife Habitat Enhancement Plan has been developed for each parcel in cooperation with the AGFC. The plan will be reviewed before each permit is renewed. Each permittee will be expected to cooperate fully with the NPS and AGFC to complete the project work.

Permit Conditions

See Special Use Permit and conditions (Attachment 4). The bidder is responsible for reviewing the Special Use Permit and specifically the terms and conditions of the permit, including any exhibits, to determine the full scope of the permittee holder's responsibilities under this permit. Soil tests are taken annually by NPS and the permit holder is responsible for applying the minimum recommended amounts of fertilizer and lime. No reimbursement will be provided to the permittee for the expense of fertilizer and lime, your estimated cost should be accounted for in your bid.

Access and Road Conditions

The condition of fields and access roads varies from location to location (See Attachment 1). Bidders are responsible for determining the condition of fields and access roads before submitting a bid and accept those conditions "as is." Some fields contain public roads and all fields are open to limited public use. Vehicle access is restricted in some fields and permit holders will be required to maintain a lock on the access gates to the restricted fields. NPS will maintain a lock on the opposite end of the gate. Agricultural permits are for the specific agricultural use only and do not authorize any other form of use by the permit holder. Road work is not to be completed by permittee without prior approval from the Superintendent or his representative.

Maps

Maps indicating the locations of available fields are attached (See Attachment 2). Fields are identified by name and tract number which is found on the bid list and on each map.

Field Viewing

It is strongly suggested that bidders view fields prior to submitting a bid. There will not be park staff available for opening gates for viewing opportunities. All parcels located behind locked access gates will have to be accessed on foot.

How to Submit a Bid

- 1. Complete Attachment 3, Solicitation Application.
- 2. Send the signed and dated Solicitation Application in a sealed envelope with the following marked on the outside of the envelope:

"AG SUP SOLICITATION PROPOSAL, MAILROOM DO NOT OPEN"
Rachel Green Norton
Agricultural Special Use Permit Coordinator
National Park Service
Buffalo National River
402 N. Walnut, Suite 136
Harrison, AR 72601

- 3. Show your name and address in the upper left-hand corner of the envelope.
- 4. The NPS must receive your bid by the time and date and at the address shown above. NPS is not responsible for mail delivery by the United States Postal Service.

Your bid will not be accepted if:

- 1. Your Bid Form was not received by the NPS by the deadline as described in this Solicitation.
- 2. Your Bid Form was not signed and dated.

Notification of Successful Bid

The National Park Service will notify the successful bidders, via certified mail, within seven (7) working days after the bid opening.

- 1. The successful bidder must submit a completed Special Use Permit (SUP) Application form (See Attachment 5) to the National Park Service at the address shown on the cover of this Solicitation within seven (7) working days from receipt of a Notice of Successful Bidder. A one-time \$50 cost recovery application fee, in the form of a check, money order or cashier's check made to the National Park Service, must be enclosed with the completed SUP form.
- 2. If the successful bidder fails to submit a completed Special Use Permit (SUP) form and pay the \$50 cost recovery application fee within the time frame specified in this Solicitation, the National Park Service may select another successfully responsive bidder for award of the SUP, or will cancel the selection.

Special Use Permit Issuance

1. Upon receipt of the completed SUP Application form and \$50 cost recovery application payment, the Service will issue the SUP for the successful bidder's signature. The bidder must sign and return the SUP to the Service within five (5) working days to the address listed below:

Rachel Green Norton Agricultural Special Use Permit Coordinator National Park Service Buffalo National River 402 N. Walnut, Suite 136 Harrison, AR 72601

2. If the successful bidder fails to submit the signed SUP within the time frame specified, then the National Park Service may select another successfully responsive bidder for award of the SUP, or will cancel the selection.

Additional Information

For information regarding field locations, access, or Special Use Permit terms or conditions, please contact:

Rachel Green Norton Buffalo National River Agricultural Special Use Permit Coordinator (870) 365-2776 Attachments:

Attachment 1: Hayfield Information and Directions

Attachment 2: Parcel Maps

Attachment 3: Application and Bid Form

Attachment 4: Sample Special Use Permit with Conditions

Attachment 5: Sample Special Use Permit Application (NPS form 10-930s)

Hay Field Parcel Information and Directions

:		Tract	Grazing or		Acres	2013 Fertilizer Recommendations		
Parcel I.D	Field Name	Number	Нау	County	M/L*	N-P-N	Minimum Bid	Directions; Physical Location**
1.	Adams Field	94-102	Ι	Searcy	70.4	Unknown	\$15.30 per acre \$1077.12 total	South on Hwy 65. Turn left on Hwy 333 towards Gilbert. Turn left at first stop sign. Continue on Tomahawk Slab Rd. Turn right on Mercy Lane. Mercy Lane veers left.
2.	Angle Fields	11-100A,B	Ι	Newton	27.6	80-50-200	\$13.95 per acre \$385.02 total	Hwy 7 S, turn right directly across from the Pruitt landing road on Newton County 2890. At the first 'T' turn left. Continue. Fields are accessible thru wooden gate on the left.
3.	Arnold Bend	03-103	Ι	Searcy	81.9	80-0-200	\$19.20 per acre \$1,572.48 total	Take Hwy 65 South. Turn into Tyler Bend Area. Take 4th left. Cross Calf Creek. Turn right at Arnold Bend Road, just past the Old Arnold Bend Cemetary. Access thru cable gate.
4.	Baker Ford	02-100	т	Searcy	26.3	80-70-200	\$16.80 per acre \$441.84 total	Take Hwy 65 South, turn right on Hwy 374 in St. Joe. At 1st fork stay left on Baker Ford Road. Fields are on the back side of the campground, thru cable gate.

^{*} Acres M/L - more or less acreage **All directions are from Harrison

Attachment #1					
Attac Directions; Physical Location**_	Hwy 65 S to Marshall. Turn left on Factory Rd (by Pizza Hut). Continue to Zach Ridge Road Intersection. Turn left. Continue straight on Zach Ridge Road. The road ends in the field.	Hwy 65 S to Western Grove. Turn right on Hwy 123. Cross Carver bridge. Turn left on Newton County 4300. NC 4300 dead ends at residence	Hwy 65 S to St. Joe. Turn right on Hwy 374. Continue right at the fork on S Woolum Road. At the next fork, take a left onto Brewer Rd. There's a cattle guard across the road. The road leads right into field.	Take Hwy 65 South to Tyler Bend. Turn right into Tyler Bend Entrance. Take the 4th road on the left. The fields will be at the bottom of the hill. Road runs through the field system.	Hwy 65 S to Western Grove. Turn right on Hwy 123. Fields are located surrounding bridge area on both sides of the highway.
Minimum Bid	\$17.10 per acre \$302.67 total	\$15.30 per acre \$38.25 total	\$18.00 per acre \$1477.80 total	\$19.80 per acre \$475.20 total	\$19.35 per acre \$1400.94 total
2013 Fertilizer Recommendations N-P-K	80-50-200	60-0-80 (2009)	80-70-200	80-0-150	80-0-150
Acres M/L*	17.7	2.5	82.1	18	72.4
County	Searcy	Newton	Searcy	Searcy	Searcy
Grazing or Ha <u>y</u>	Τ	Ξ	Ŧ	Ι	τ
<u>Tract</u> Number	92-104		10-107	05-101	86-102
.D Field Name	5. Bear Creek	6. Bolin	7. Brewer Brown	8. Calf Creek	9. Carver Complex
Parcel I.D					

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Minimum Bid	\$15.30 per acre \$1213.29 total	\$16.20 per acre \$208-98 total	\$15.30 per acre \$171.36 total
2013 Fertilizer Recommendations N-P-K	80-70-200	80-50-150	80-0-150
Acres M/L*	79.3	12.9	11.2
County	Searcy	Searcy	Searcy
Grazing or Hay	Ι	Ι	Ξ
<u>Tract</u> Number	01-127	92-102	10-105
Field Name	Cash Bend 10. Rye Bottom	Crane Bottom	Dave Manes Bluff
Parcel I.D	10.	11.	12.

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(2)	Minimum Bid		\$17.10 per acre \$432.63 total	\$17.10 per acre \$432.63 total	\$17.10 per acre \$432.63 total	\$17.10 per acre \$432.63 total
2013 Fertilizer Recommendations	N-P-K	;; ; ;	80-0-200	80-0-200	80-0-200	80-0-200
Acres		1				
Grazing or	Hay County					
<u>Tract</u> <u>Grazi</u>	Number Ha		34-105 F			
	Field Name		Dillard's Ferry	Dillard's Ferry Erbie Complex**	Dillard's Ferry Erbie Complex**	Dillard's Ferry Erbie Complex**
	Parcel I.D		13. D	13. D	13. E	13. D 14. E

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Atta	Directions; Physical Location**	Take Hwy 7 South. Turn right on Erbie Road, follow Erbie Road to low water slab; Cross slab and continue across low water slab at Cove Creek; Continue straight past Claggett house and past Erbie Church turn right at Tintersection. Entrance to fields will be next gate on the right; Tinsley field is the lower field.	Take Hwy 7 South. Turn right on Erbie road, follow road to low water slab across river; and cross low water slab on Cove Creek; turn right at intersection; cross low water slab and continue; field is on right at next gate.	Take Hwy 7 South. Turn right on Erbie Road, follow road to Parker-Hickman homestead on south side of river; turn left; go through gate at Parker-Hickman homestead; continue on to Y intersection; Turn right to gate which leads to field.
	Minimum Bid		\$13.60 per acre \$983.28 total	
2013 Fertilizer Recommendations	N-P-K	80-0-200	80-50-200	80-50-150
Acres	M/L*	17.2	12.7	14.9
	County	Newton	Newton	Newton
Grazing or	Нау	Ι	Ι	т
Tract	Number	50-100	50-106	50-112
	<u>Field Name</u>	Tinsley	Mueller	Parker-Hickman
	Parcel I.D	14C	14D	14E

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Pirections; Physical Location**	Take Hwy 7 South. Turn right on Erbie Road, follow road and cross low water slab across river; then cross low water slab on Cove Creek; turn right at intersection; cross low water slab and continue on to Y; Turn right to gate, follow road to field.	Take Hwy 7 South. Turn right on Erbie Road, follow road to low water slab; cross slab and continue across low water slab at Cove Creek; Continue straight past Claggett house and past Erbie Church; turn right at T intersection. Entrance to fields will be next gate on the right Follow road; Fuller is the upper field.	Take Hwy 65 South, turn left on Hwy 333. Take a left on Dry Creek Rd. The road leads to a residence, but the field is on the left behind a gate thru the tree line.
Minimum Bid		\$13.60 per acre \$983.28 total	\$19.80 per acre \$79.20 total
2013 Fertilizer Recommendations N-P-K	80-0-150	80-70-200	80-50-200
Acres M/L*	7.6	12.1	4
County	Newton	Newton	Searcy
Grazing or <u>Hay</u>	т	Τ	Ι
<u>Tract</u> <u>Number</u>	50-119	50-100B	09-107
Field Name	Lindsey	Fuller	15. Gilbert
Parcel I.D	14F	14G	15.

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Atta Directions; Physical Location**	Hwy 65 S to St. Joe. Turn right on Hwy 374. Continue right at the fork on S Woolum Road. At the next fork, take a left onto Brewer Rd. Take another left onto Goggins Rd or at the blue baler. Drive thru private property to cattle guard. Fields are at the bottom of the hill.	Hwy 65 S. Turn right into Tyler Bend area. Take 4th left on the entrance road, Peter Cave Road. Continue past the Arnold Bend turnoffs, up the hill. At the fork, veer left. At the next fork, stay right. At the 4 way intersection, take Getaway Rd to the left. Follow Getaway to the River Rd on the right. Veer right on the first intersection. At the second intersection, stay right. The field is the second in the area.
Minimum Bid	\$15.30 per acre \$766.53 total	\$17.10 per acre \$868.68 total
2013 Fertilizer Recommendations N-P-K	80-70-200	80-50-200
Acres M/L*	50.1	50.8
County	Searcy	Searcy
Grazing or Hay	Ι	Τ
<u>Tract</u> <u>Number</u>	01-118C	01-117
.D Field Name	16. Goggins	17. Hickman
Parcel I.D	1	

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Attachment #1				
Attac	Ullections, Physical Location	Hwy 65 S. Turn left onto Blue Ribbon Drive. Take a left on Longbottom Drive. Will end at red gate. Follow field road thru to 1st intersection and veer left. Field will be at the bottom of the hill thru old fence line.	Hwy 65 S. Turn left onto Blue Ribbon Drive. Take a left on Longbottom Drive. Will end at red gate. Follow field road thru to 1st intersection and veer right. Field will be at the bottom of the hill thru old fence line on the left.	Hwy 65 S. Turn right into Tyler Bend area. Take 4th left on the entrance road, Peter Cave Road. Continue past the Arnold Bend turnoffs, up the hill. At the fork, veer left. At the next fork, stay right. At the 4 way intersection, take Love Hensley Rd to the right. Road will end in field.
		\$16.65 per acre \$276.39 total	\$16.65 per acre \$226.44 total	\$16.20 per acre \$1534.14 total
2013 Fertilizer Recommendations	V-1	80-0-200	80-0-200	80-70-200
Acres	INI/L	16.6	13.6	94.7
,	COUNTY	Searcy	Searcy	Searcy
Grazing or	Паў	Τ	н	Ŧ
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I Location**	urn right into e 4th left, Peter past the , up the hill. At the next fork, sy intersection, he left. Follow on the right. intersection. ction, stay e at the end of	65, turn right a brown sign is like you will on CR 72 to get elds should be ite or a small ees
Directions; Physical Location**	Take Hwy 65 South. Turn right into Tyler Bend area. Take 4th left, Peter Cave Road. Continue past the Arnold Bend turnoffs, up the hill. At the fork, veer left. At the next fork, stay right. At the 4 way intersection, take Getaway Rd to the left. Follow Getaway to River Rd on the right. Veer right at the first intersection. At the second intersection, stay right. The 3 fields are at the end of the road.	From South on Hwy 65, turn right onto CR 21, there's a brown sign there on 65. It looks like you will need to make a right on CR 72 to get to Mt. Hersey. The fields should be visible through a gate or a small grove of trees
Minimum Bid	\$16.20 per acre \$511.92 total	\$15.30 per acre \$208.08 total
2013 Fertilizer Recommendations N-P-K	80-50-200	80-0-150
Acres M/L*	31.6	13.6
County	Searcy	Searcy
Grazing or <u>Hay</u>	Τ	н
<u>Tract</u> <u>Number</u>	01-115	91-107
Field Name	20. Margaret White	21. Mt. Hersey
Parcel I.D	20.	21.

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	Tract	Grazing or		Acres	2013 Fertilizer Recommendations		
<u>Field Name</u>	Number	Нау	County	M/L*	N-P-K	Minimum Bid	Directions; Physical Location**
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							Turn left on Hwy 62. Follow Hwy 62
							into Yellville. Turn right on Hwy 14.
							Follow Hwy 14 to town of Caney.
							Turn right on CR 5032, there should
							be a sign visible. Follow CR 5032
							thru Jaded Drive to Maumee. In
							Maumee, take a left on N. Maumee
						\$15.75 per acre	Rd. Fields will be on both sides of
22. North Maumee	97-102	Ŧ	Searcy	20.3	0-60-210 (2009)	\$319.73 total	road.
							Hwy 65 S to Marshall. Turn left on
							Factory Rd, by Pizza Hut. Drive to
							the 'T' and take a left on Zach Rd.
							Take the 1st right on Zach Rd. Turn
							right on Red Bluff Rd. Field will be
						\$16.20 per acre	on the right, on the upper side of
Passmore Place	95-104A	I	Searcy	7.5	60-0-80 (2009)	\$121.50 total	the road
							Hwy 65 S, turn right on Mt Hersey
							Road. At the fork take a left toward
							Cane Branch Cabin. Follow road
							down steep, curvy hill. At fork take
						\$14.40 per acre	right. Road ends in field.
27 Beddell	60-101	ı	Sparcy	11 6	80-70-110	\$167.04 total	
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Attachment #1 :*			
Attachment #1 Directions; Physical Location**	Hwy 65 S to Western Grove. Turn right on Hwy 123. Continue to Piercetown and turn right on Hwy 74. Turn right on Newton County 3981. At the fork, veer left. Road will end at residence. Field is only accessible thru private property.	South on Hwy 65. Turn right on Hwy 123 in Western Grove. After passing thru Hasty, turn right on Hasty Cutoff Rd or Hwy 3850. Cross the new bridge and turn left immediately. Fields are past the cable gate.	Hwy 43 S to Boxley. Take Hwy 21 S. Turn right on Newton Coutny 9540. Take the 1st left on NC 9541, then take a right on NC 9542. Field will be on the left.
Minimum Bid	\$16.20 per acre \$129.60 total	\$17.55 per acre \$198.32 total	\$16.20 per acre \$199.26 total
2013 Fertilizer Recommendations N-P-K	60-0-0 (2010)	80-50-150	80-0-0
Acres M/L*	∞	11.3	12.3
County	Newton	Newton	Newton
Grazing or Ha <u>y</u>	Ι	н	Ξ
<u>Tract</u> <u>Number</u>	85-110C	85-105	63-112
Field Name	Ricketts	26. Rock Creek	27. Sawmill
Parcel I.D	25.	26.	27.

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	Tract	Grazing or		Acres	<u>2013 Fertilizer</u> Recommendations		
Field Name	Number	Нау	County	M/L*	N-P-K	Minimum Bid	Directions; Physical Location**
							Hwy 65 S. Turn right into Tyler Bend
							area. Take 4th left on the entrance
							road, Peter Cave Road. Continue
							past the Arnold Bend turnoffs, up
							the hill. At the fork, veer left. At the
							next fork, stay right. At the 4 way
							intersection, take Getaway Rd to the
							left. Follow Getaway to the River Rd
							on the right. Veer right on the first
							intersection. At the second
						\$16.20 per acre	intersection, stay right. The field is
28. Slay Branch	01-127	Ŧ	Searcy	52.8	80-50-200	\$855.36 total	the first in the area.
							- - - -
							Hwy 65 S to Marshall. Turn left onto
							rwy 27. Continue to the Park
							Service sign towards south
							Maumee. Take a left on S. Maumee
						\$18.45 per acre	Road. The fields will be at the end of
29. South Maumee	97-102A	Ŧ	Marion	31.1	80-0-200	\$573.79 total	S. Maumee Rd by the river.
							South on Hwy 43 thru Ponca. Turn
							left on Hwy 74. Turn left at the top
							of the hill towards Steel Creek. Field
						¢10 00 001	is at the bottom of the hill
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30. Steel Creek	21-102	I	Newton	18.7	80-50-200	\$353.43 total	

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Hay Field Parcel Information and Directions

Attachment #1 left on Shineye Road, just before the bridge. Take the first right after the the Pruitt landing, then immediately South on Hwy 65, across BNR. Turn South on Hwy 65, across BNR. Turn Take Hwy 7 South, turn left towards bottom of hill, 2 fields are on the Hwy 65 S. Cross river and turn left Fields are near the river on both Take a right. Take the second right Shineye Road before the bridge. right at Tyler Bend Entrance. At left, south of the pavilion. One turn left again on Newton County Directions; Physical Location** 3890. Road will come to a 4-way. South on Hwy 65, turn left on into Grinder's Ferry access. Field additonal field past drive in sides of the road. parking area. gate is near vault toilet. camping. to the field. \$16.00 per acre \$20.48 per acre \$1753.09 total Minimum Bid \$368.00 total Recommendations 2013 Fertilizer 80-50-200 80-70-200 80-0-200 80-0-200 80-0-200 N-P-K Acres M/L^* 17.9 41.6 17.6 8.5 23 Newton Searcy Searcy Searcy County Searcy **Grazing** or Нау I I I I I 07-104 Number Grinder's Ferry 06-103 05-101 15-102 Tract Shineye **US 65 Fields Tyler Bend** 31 Tyler Bend Complex Field Name 32 Wallace 31A 31B 31C 31D Parcel I.D

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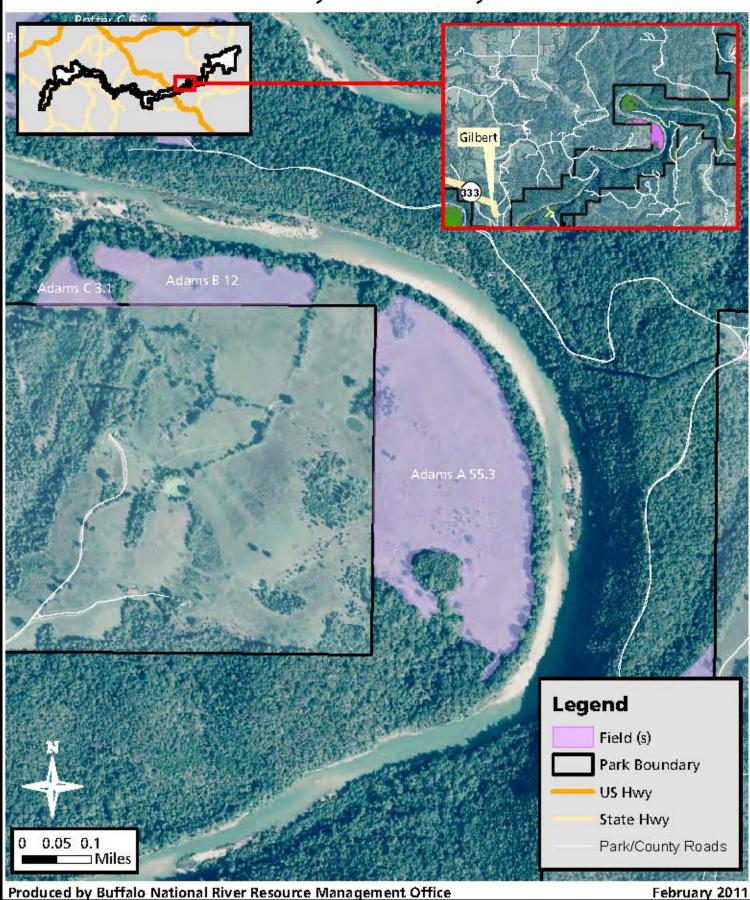
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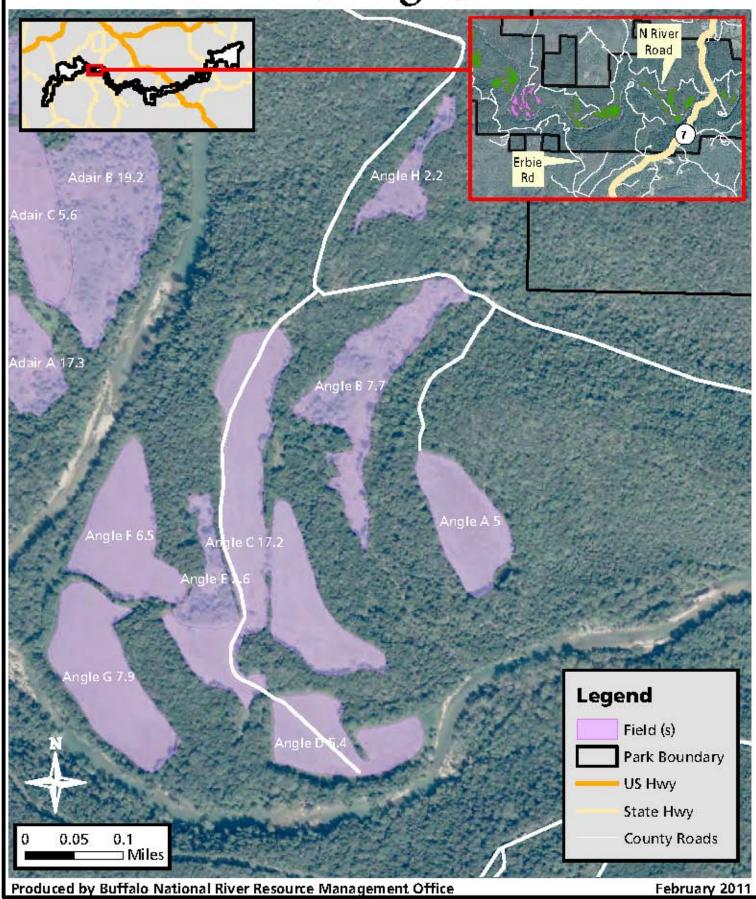
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Atta		Directions; Physical Location**	Take Hwy 65 South to Western	Grove. Turn right on Hwy 123.	Cross the Carver bridge and take the	3rd drive on the right. Small drive	going downhill.	Take Hwy 65 South to St. Joe. Turn	right on Hwy 374. At the fork, take a	right on to S. Woolum Road. Veer	right at the next fork on S. Woolum	Rd. The fields are on near the	campground.
		Minimum Bid				\$18.00 per acre	\$576.00 total					\$19.80 per acre	\$999.90 total
2013 Fertilizer	Recommendations	N-P-K					80-0-150						80-70-200
	Acres	M/L*					32						50.5
		County					Newton						Searcy
	Grazing or	Нау					I						I
	Tract	Number					86-102						57-104
		Field Name					33 Wilson						34 Woolum
		Parcel I.D					33						34

^{*} Acres M/L - more or less acreage **All directions are from Harrison

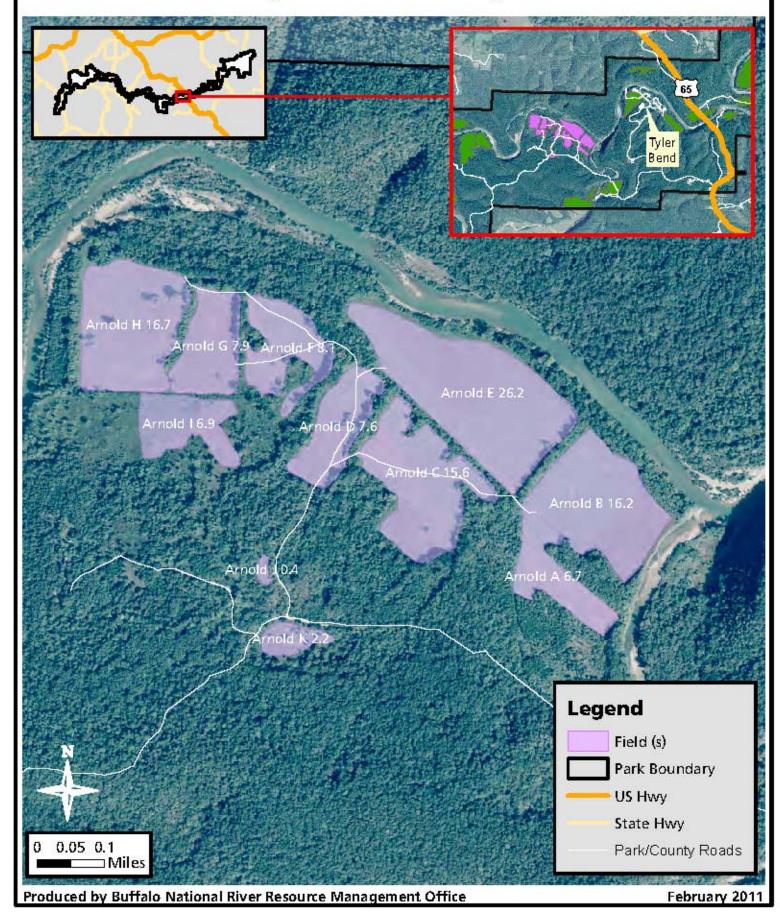
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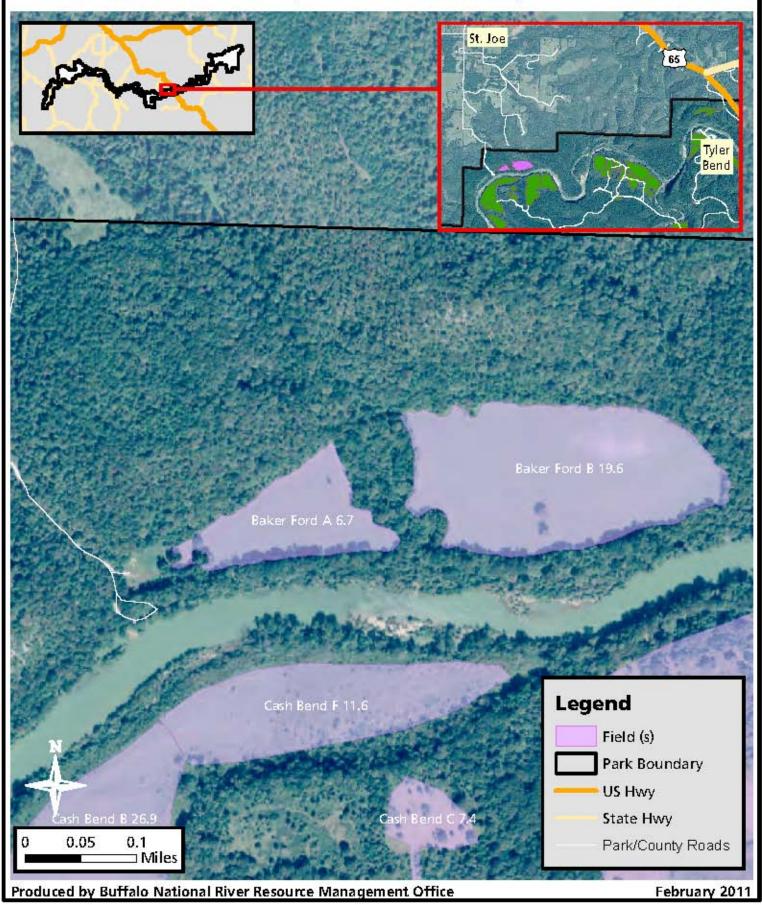
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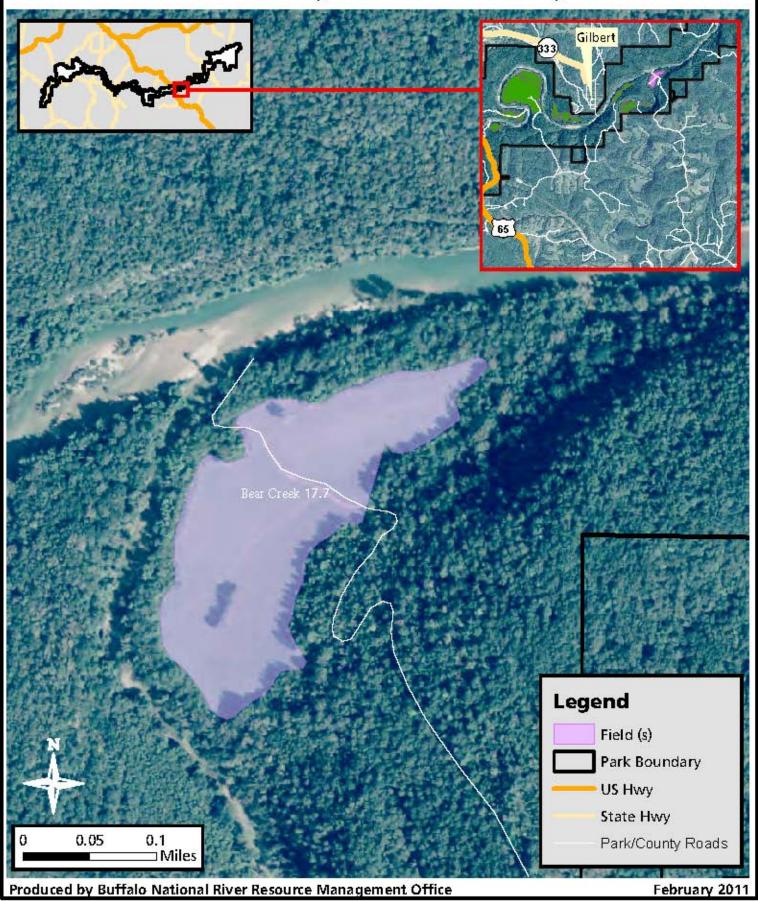
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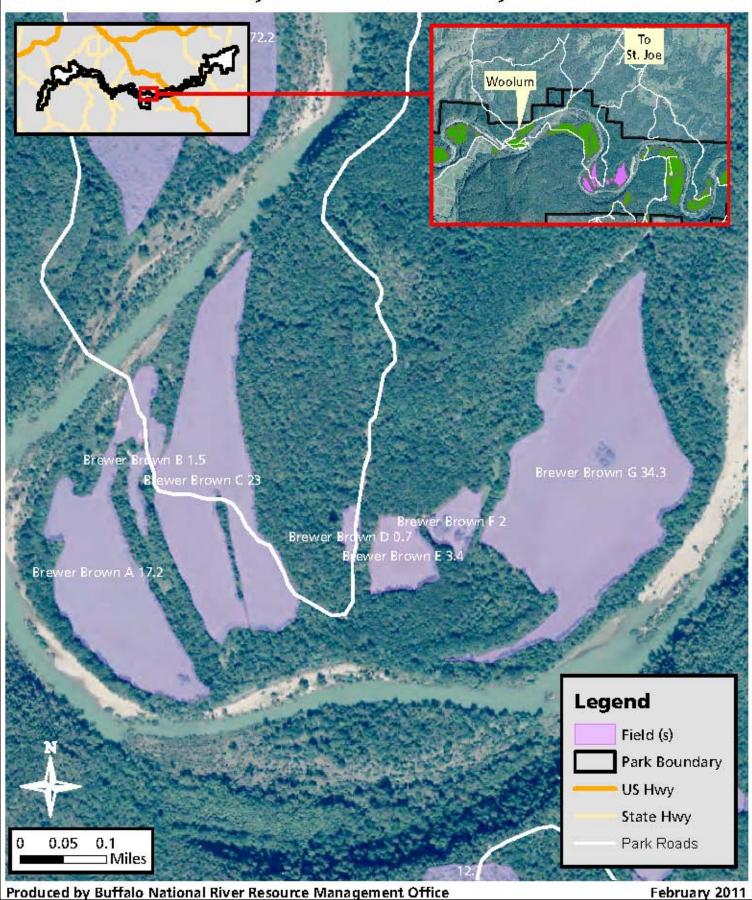
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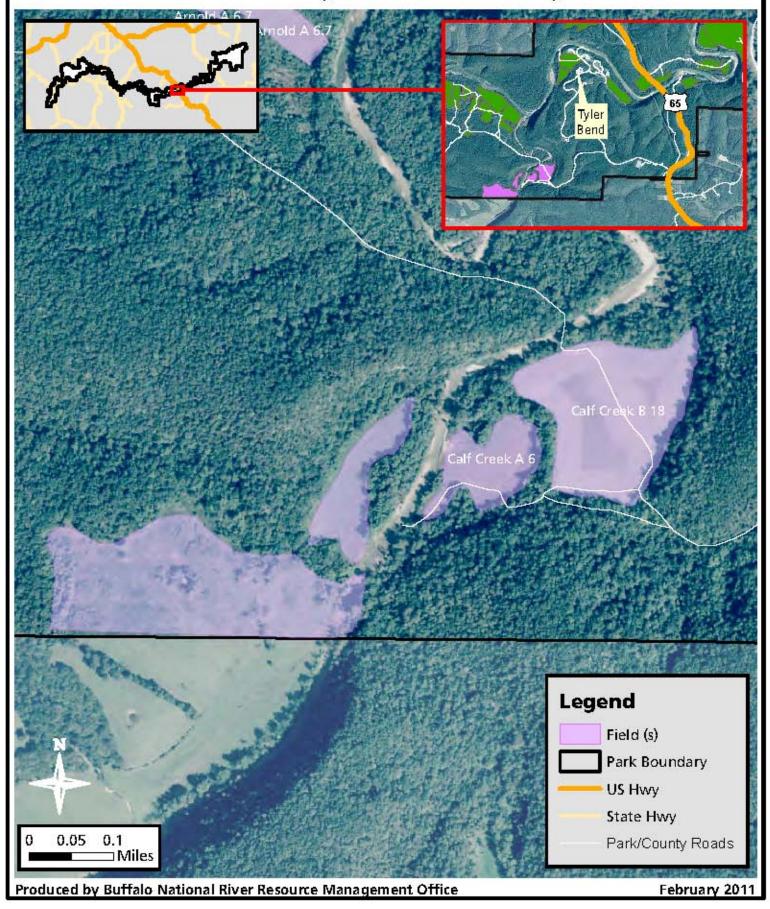
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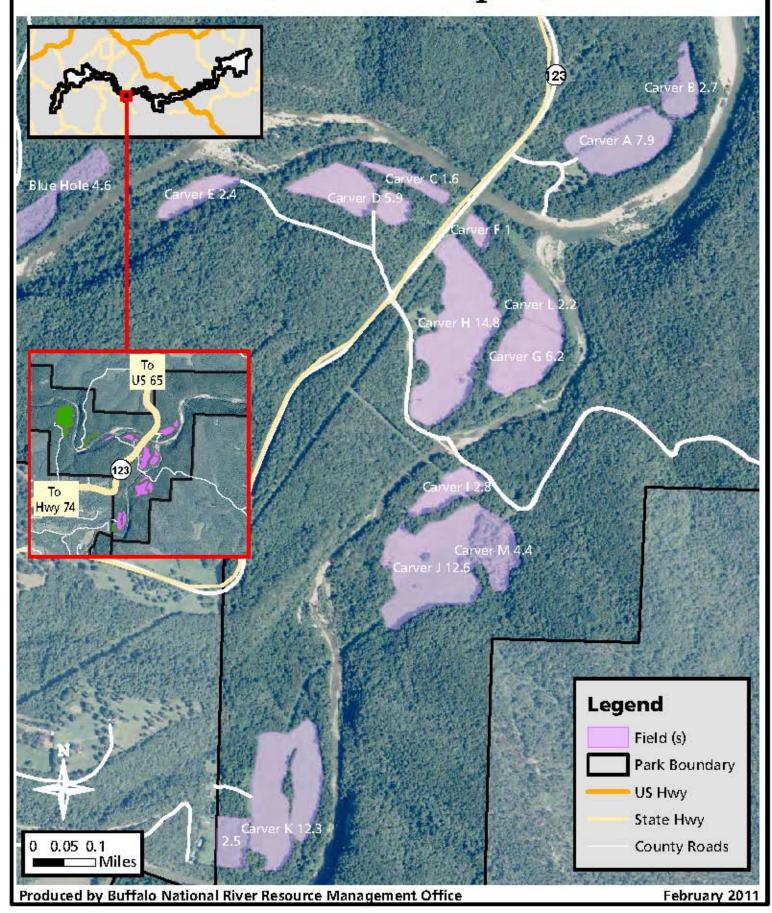
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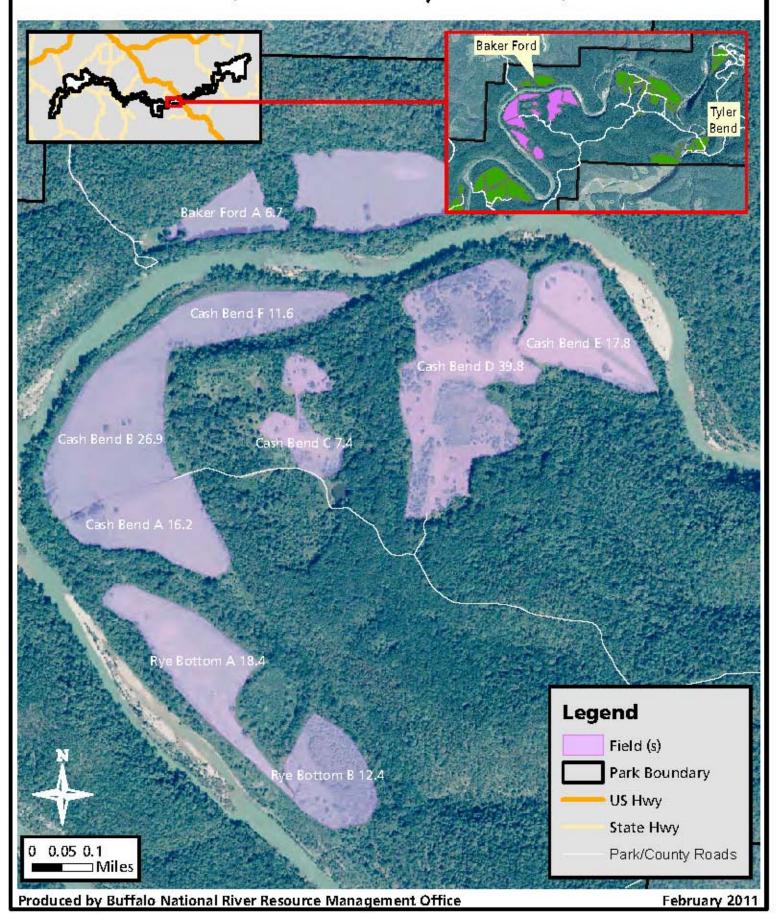
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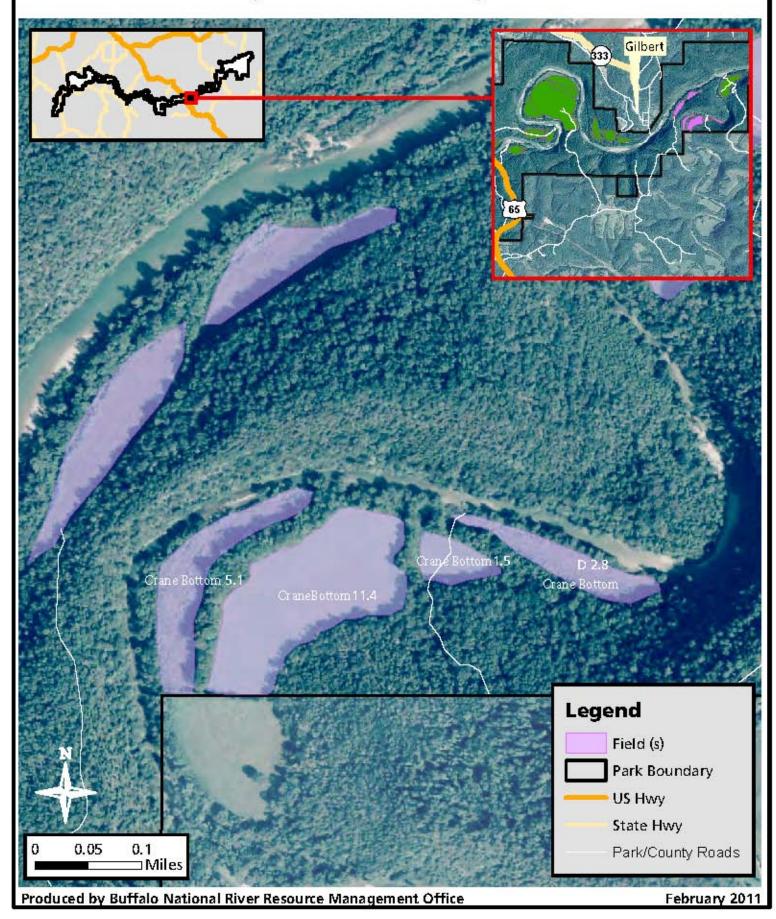
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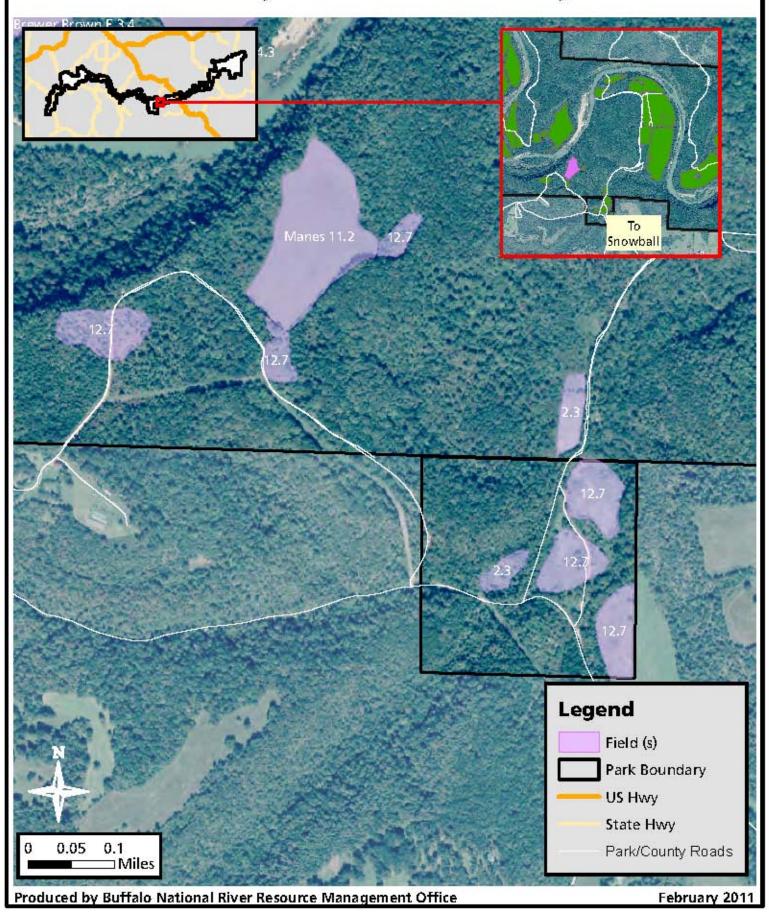
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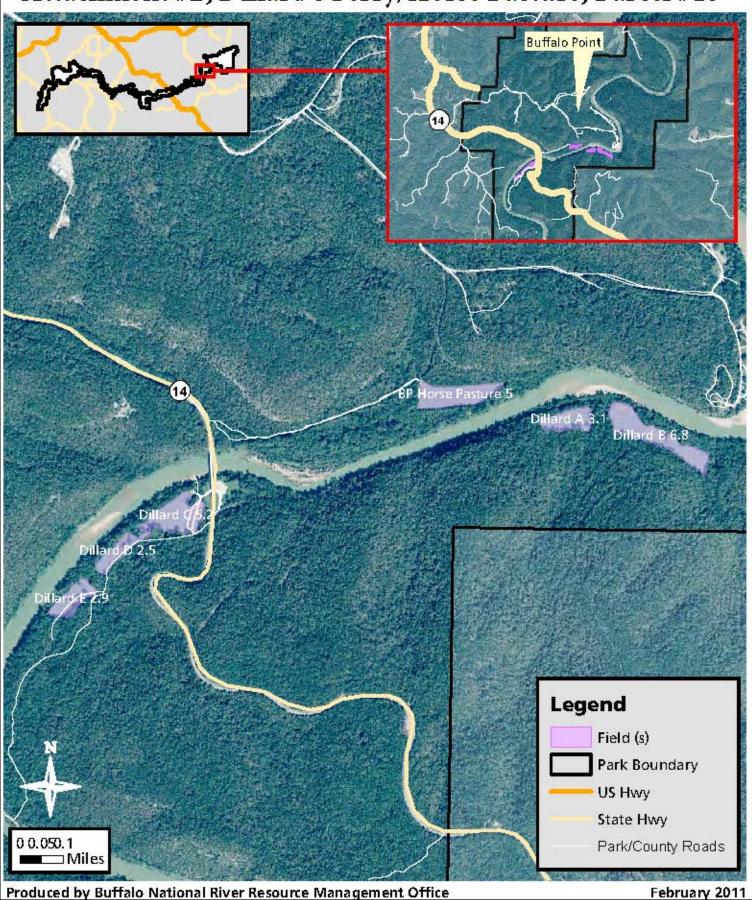
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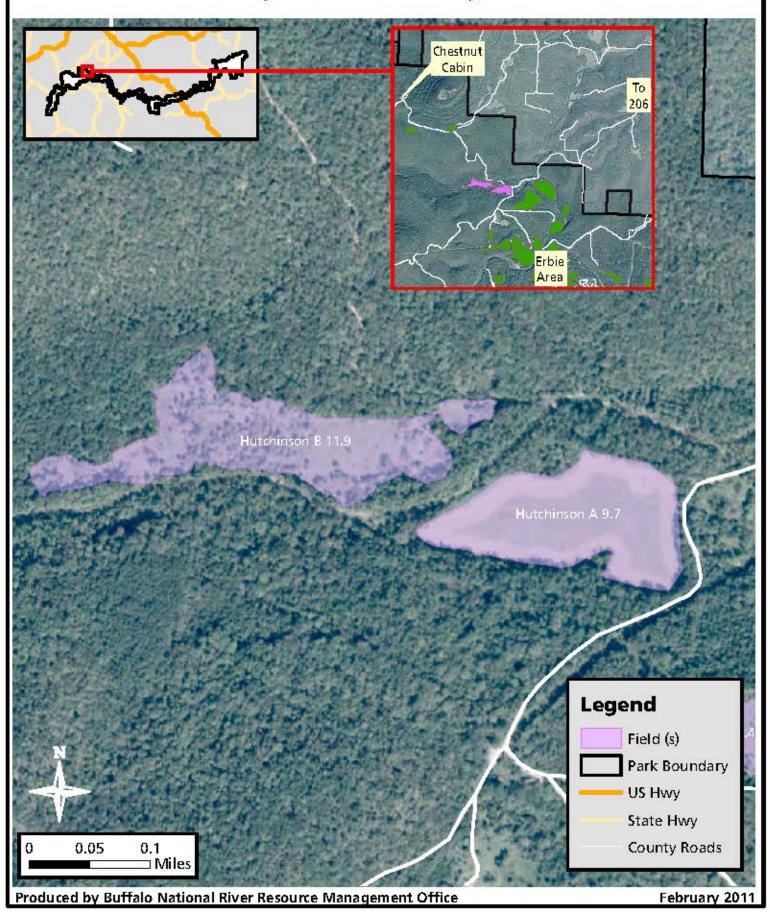
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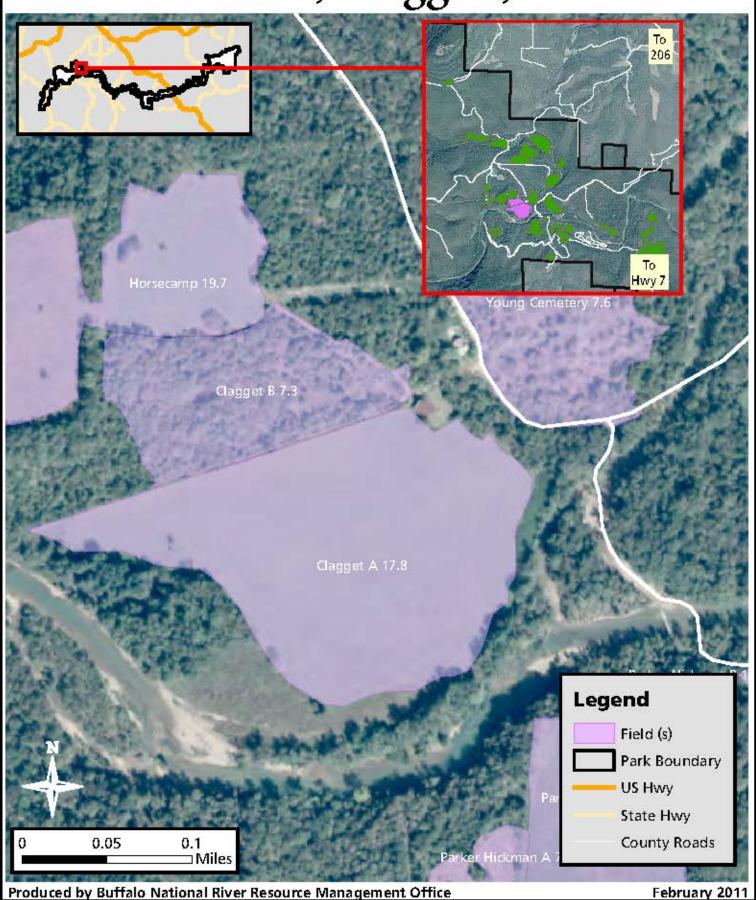
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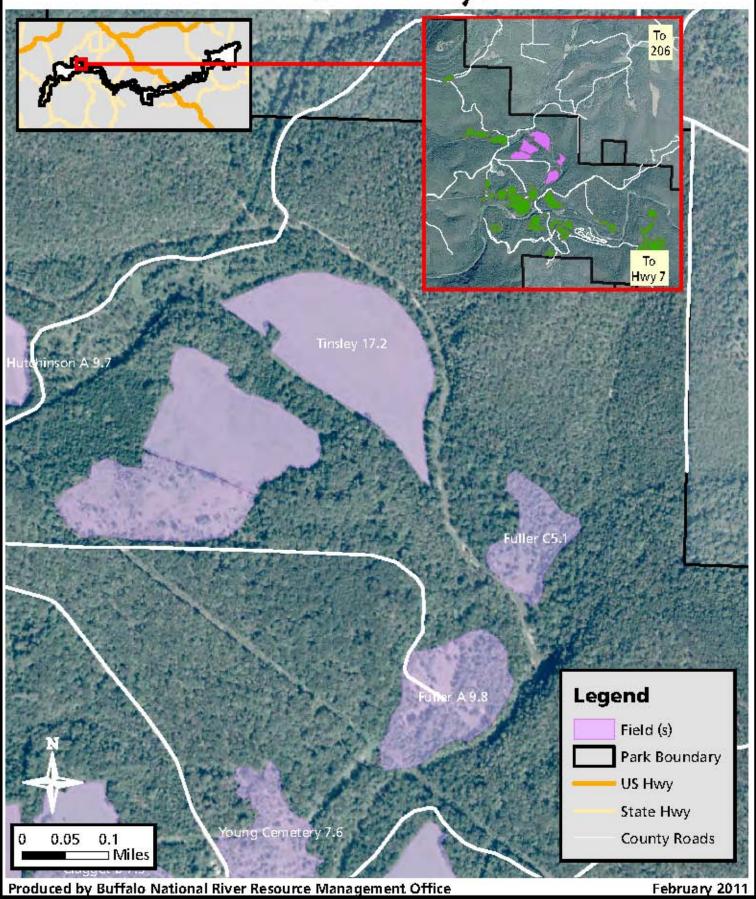
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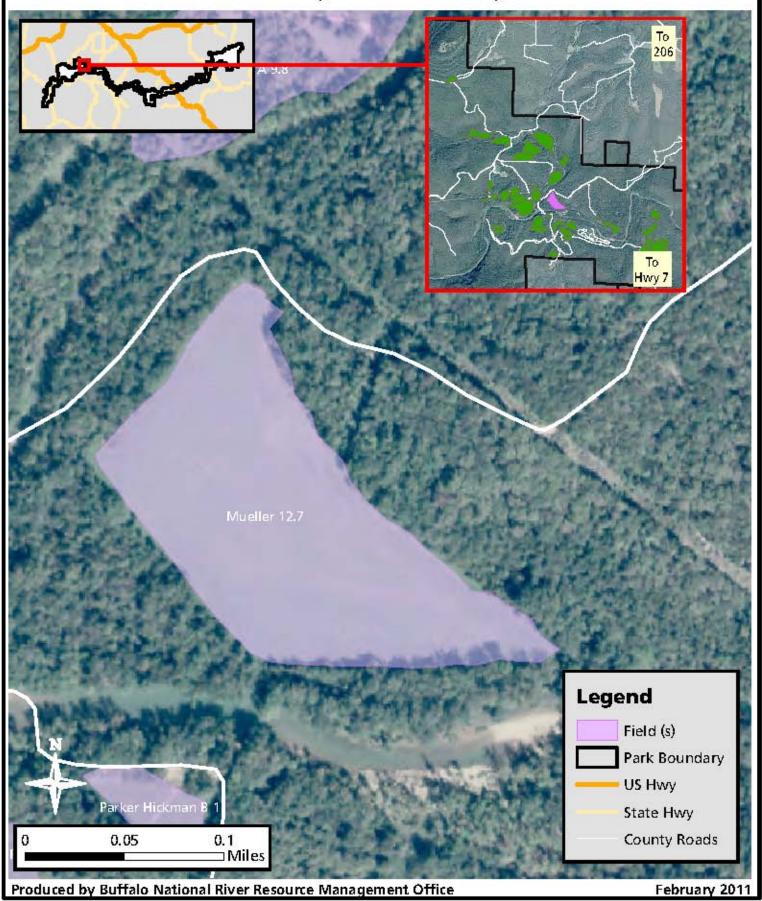
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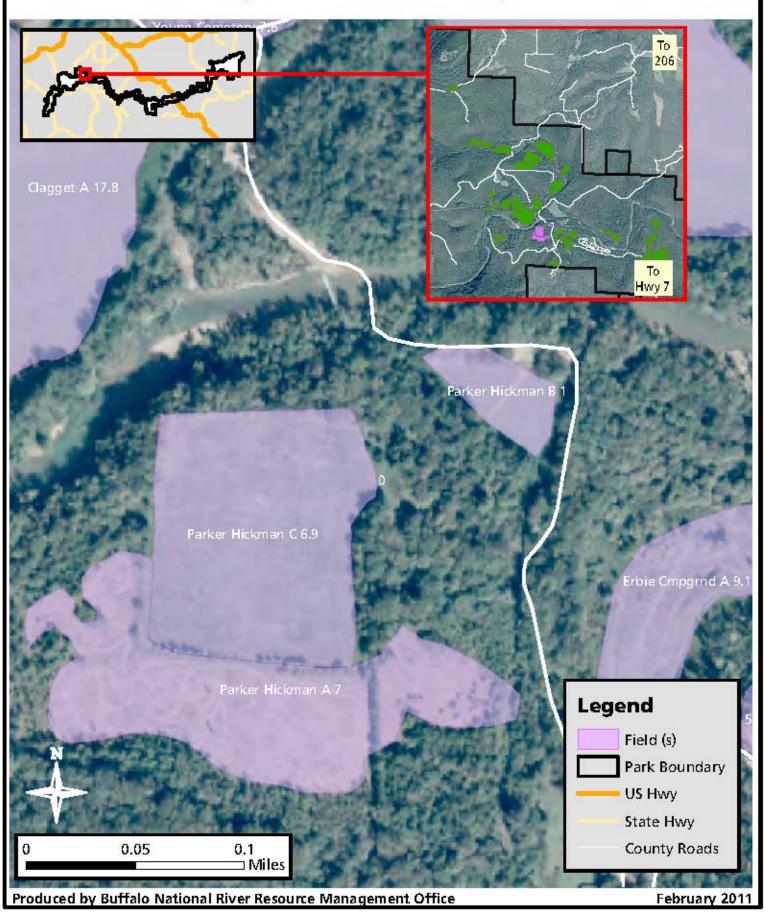
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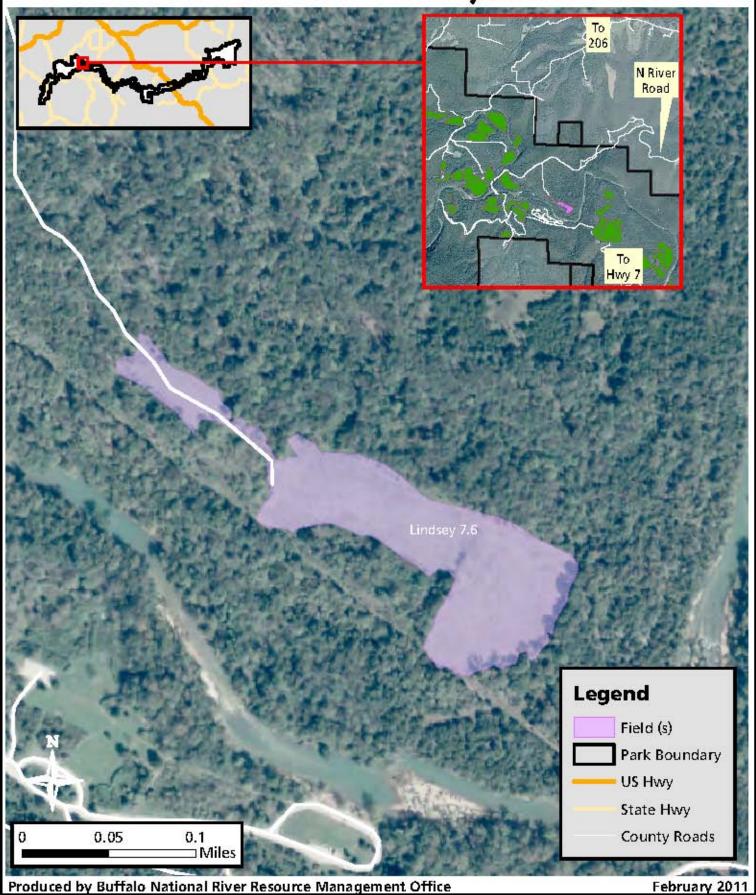
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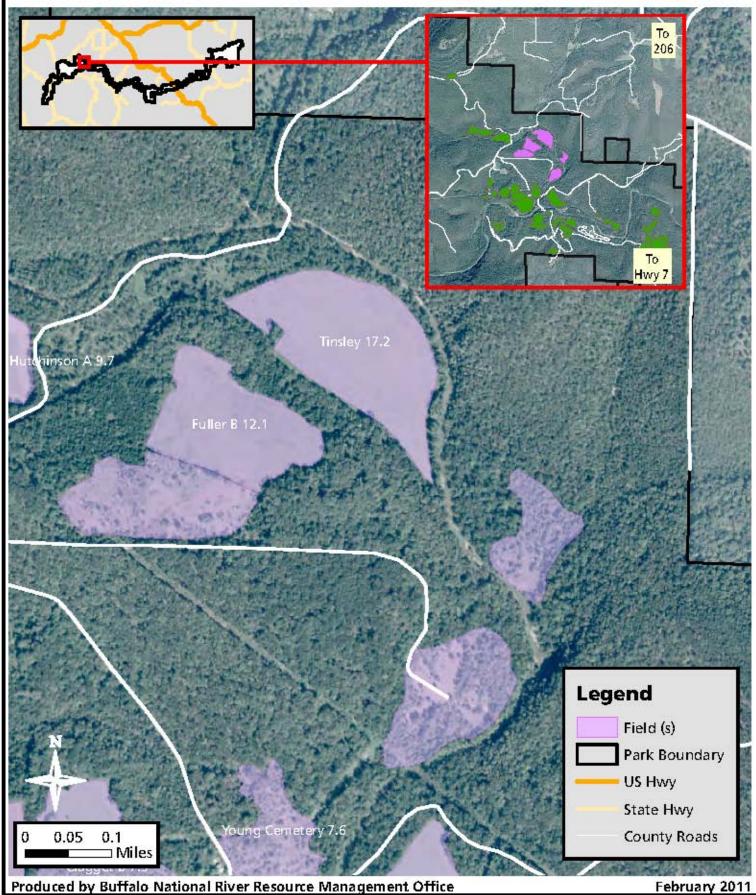
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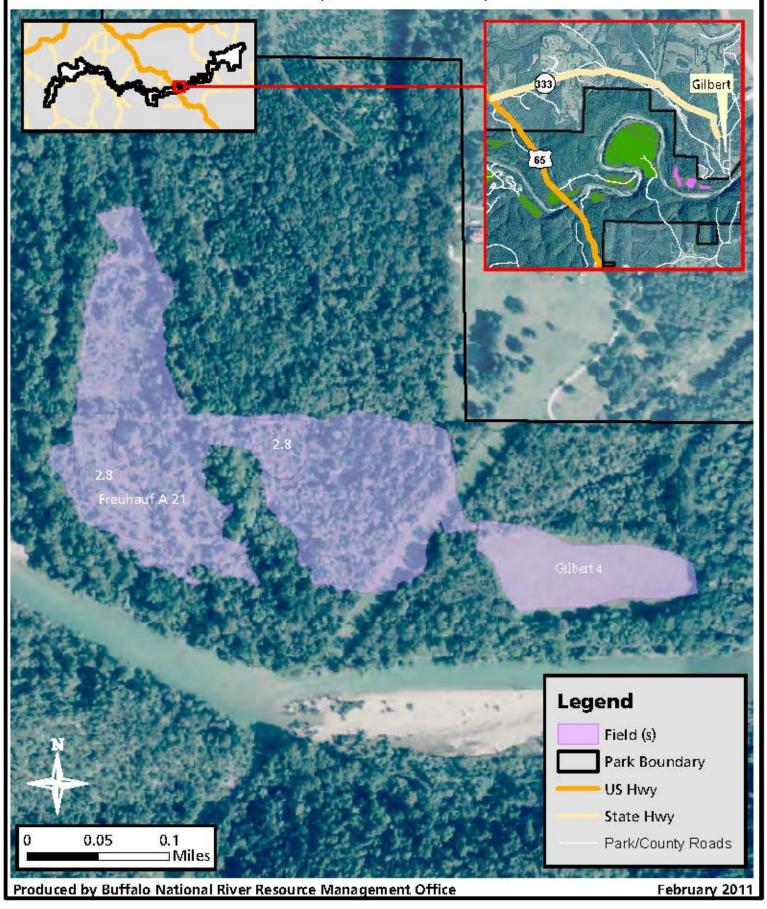
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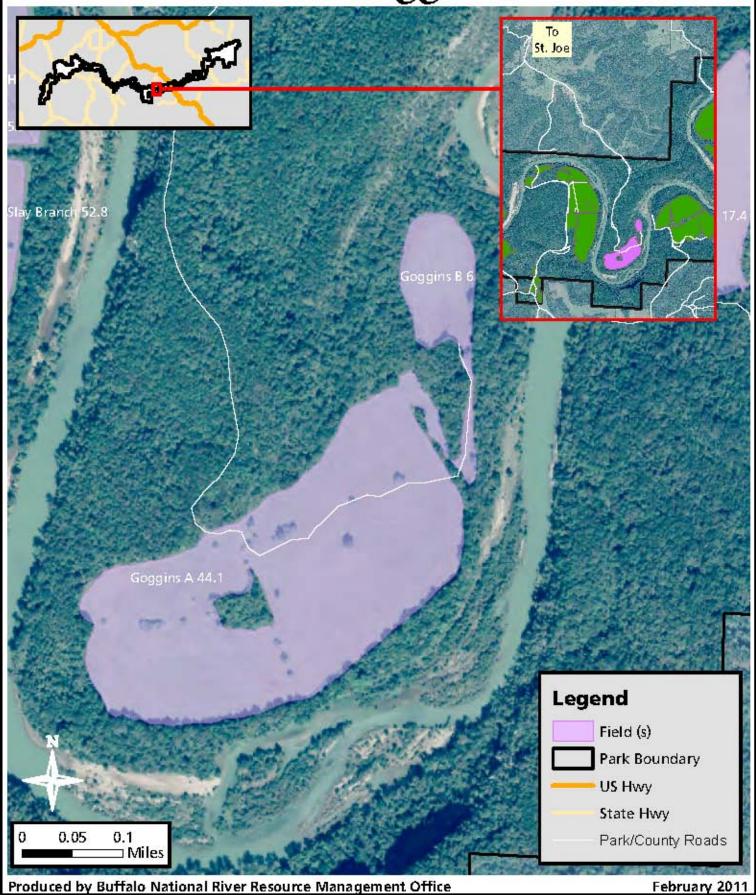
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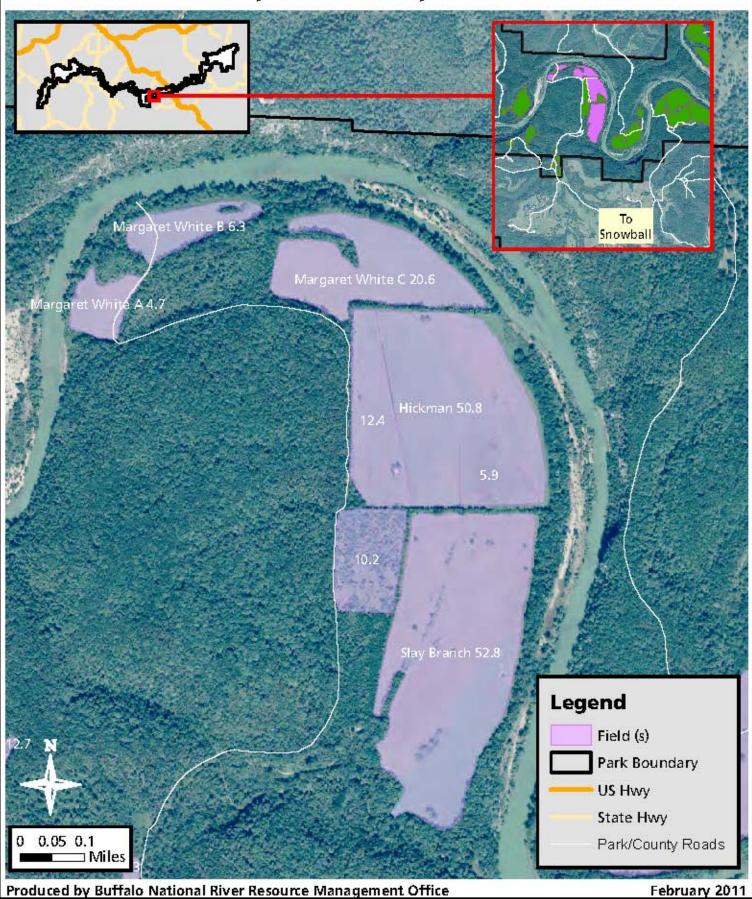
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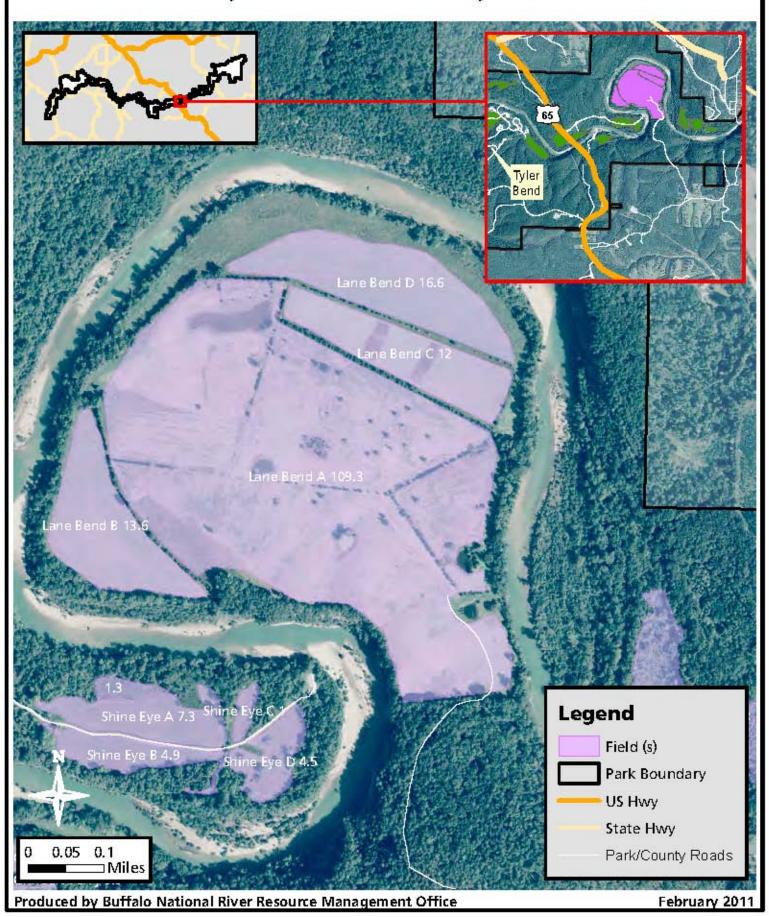
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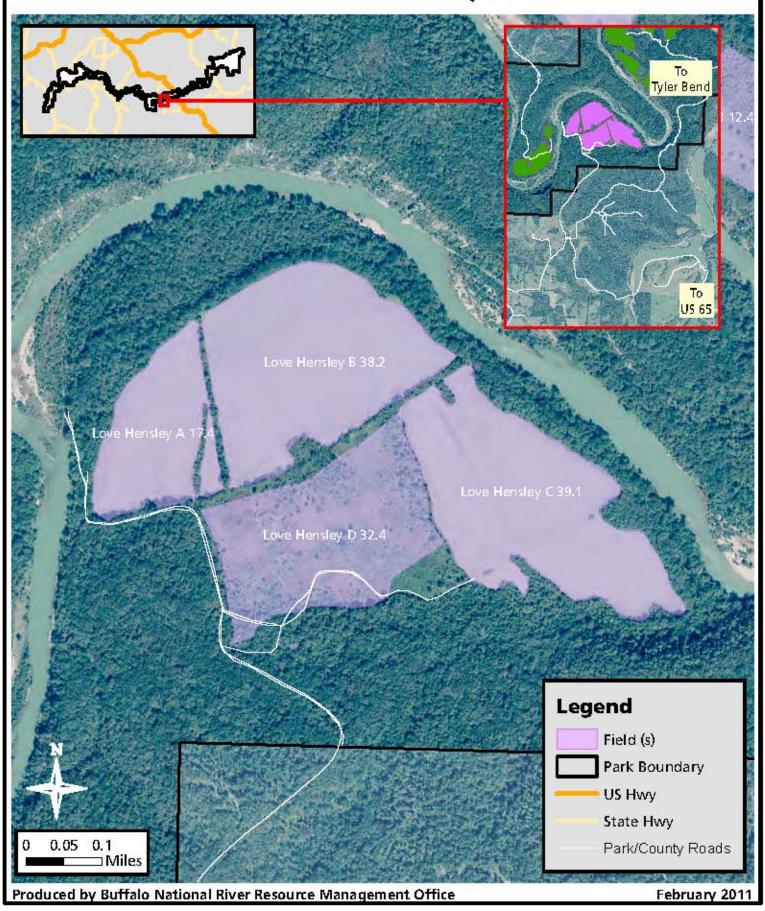
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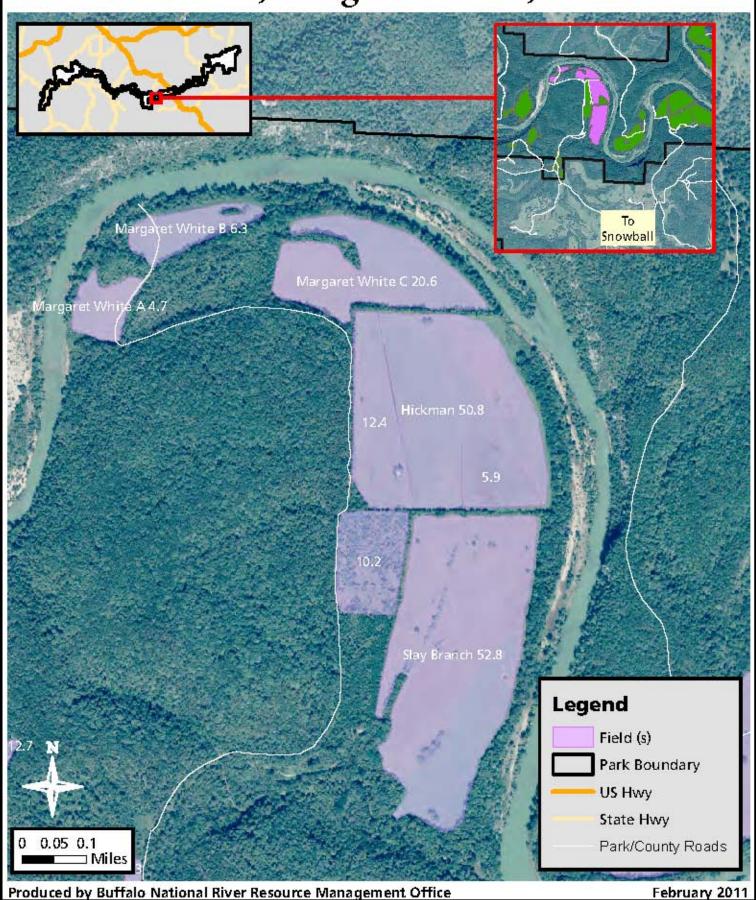
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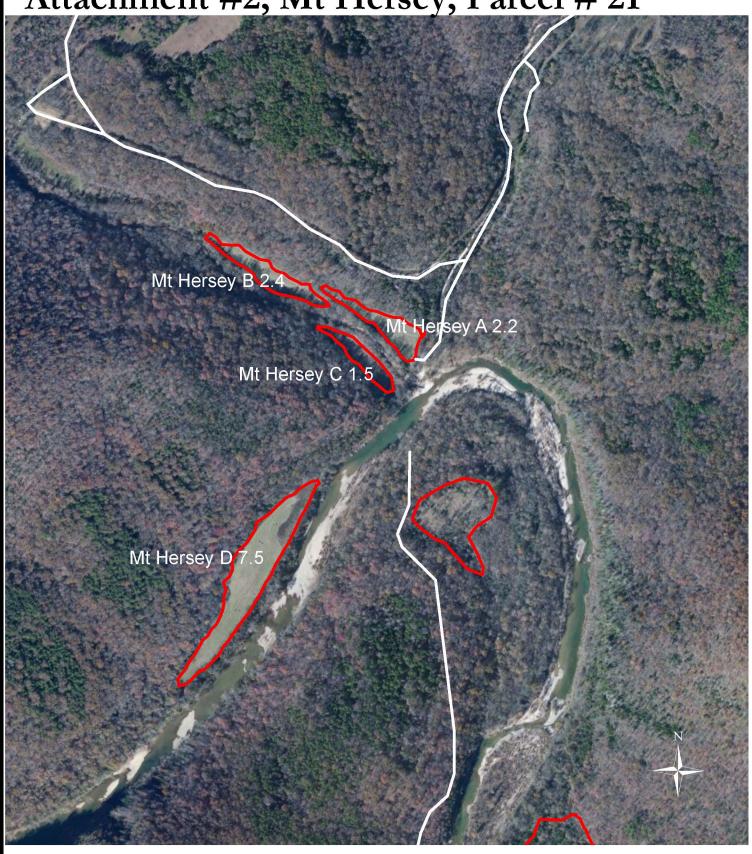
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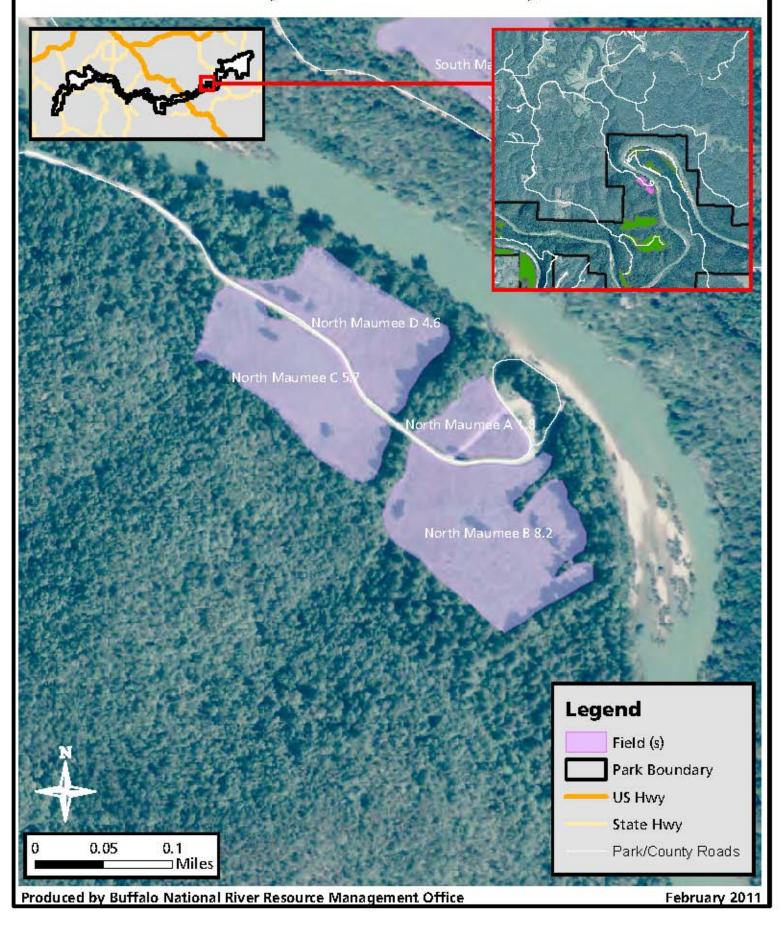
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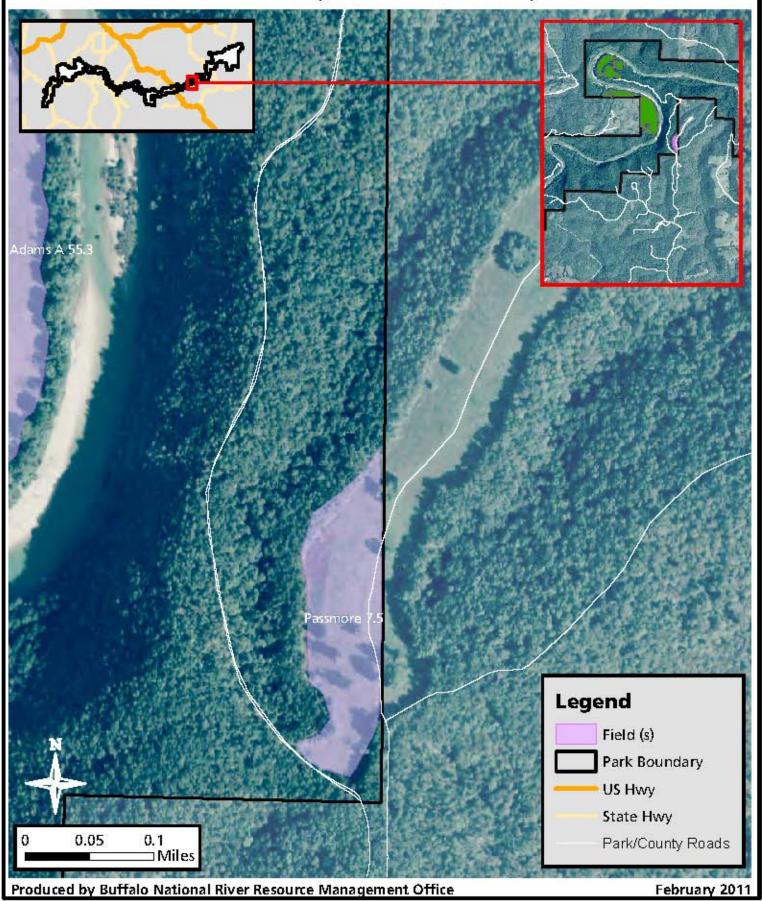
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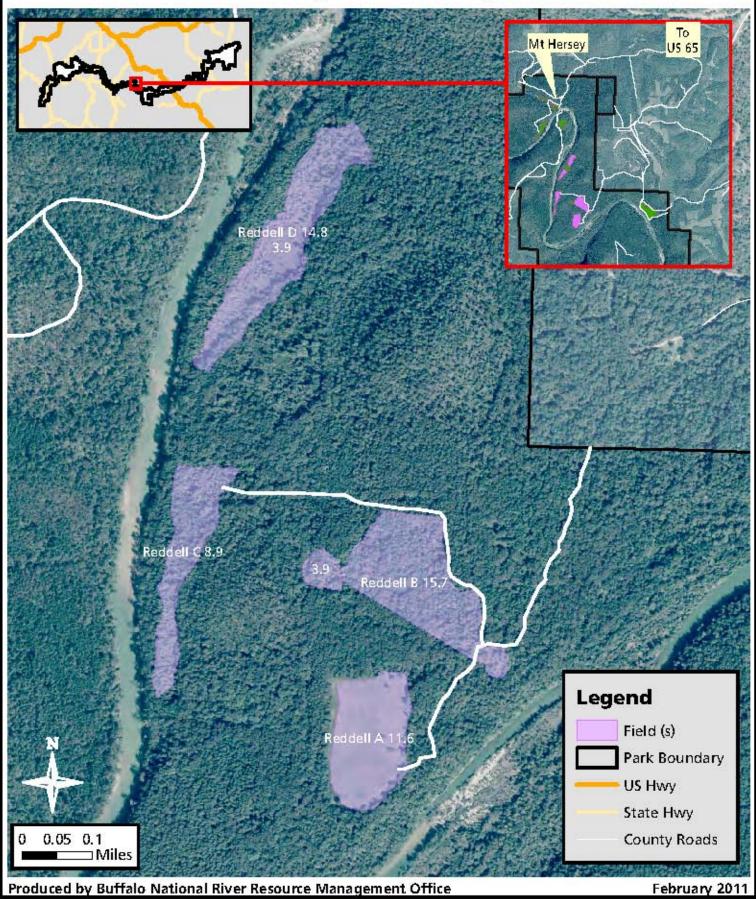
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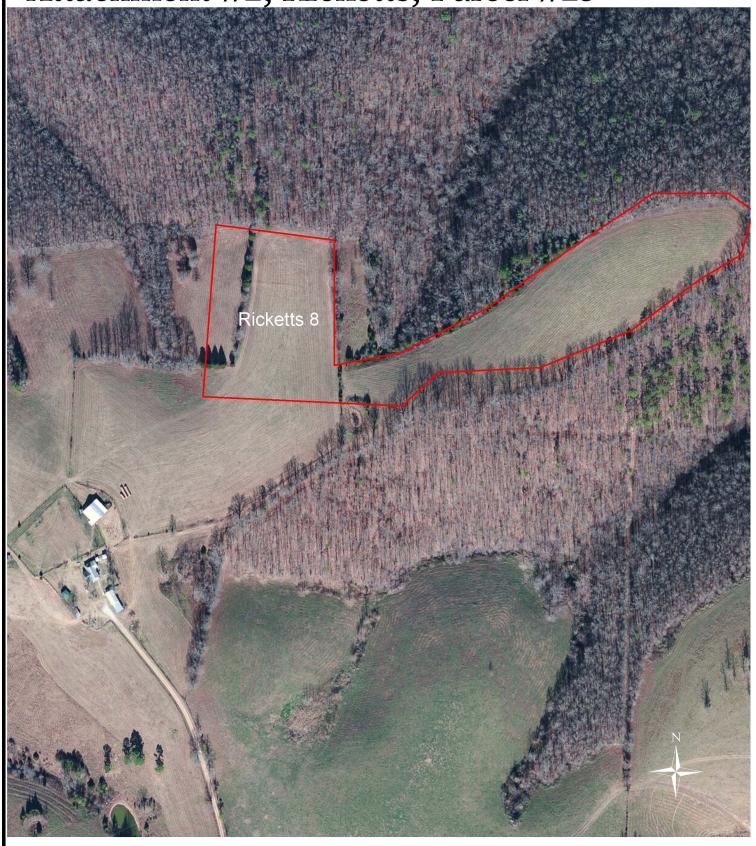
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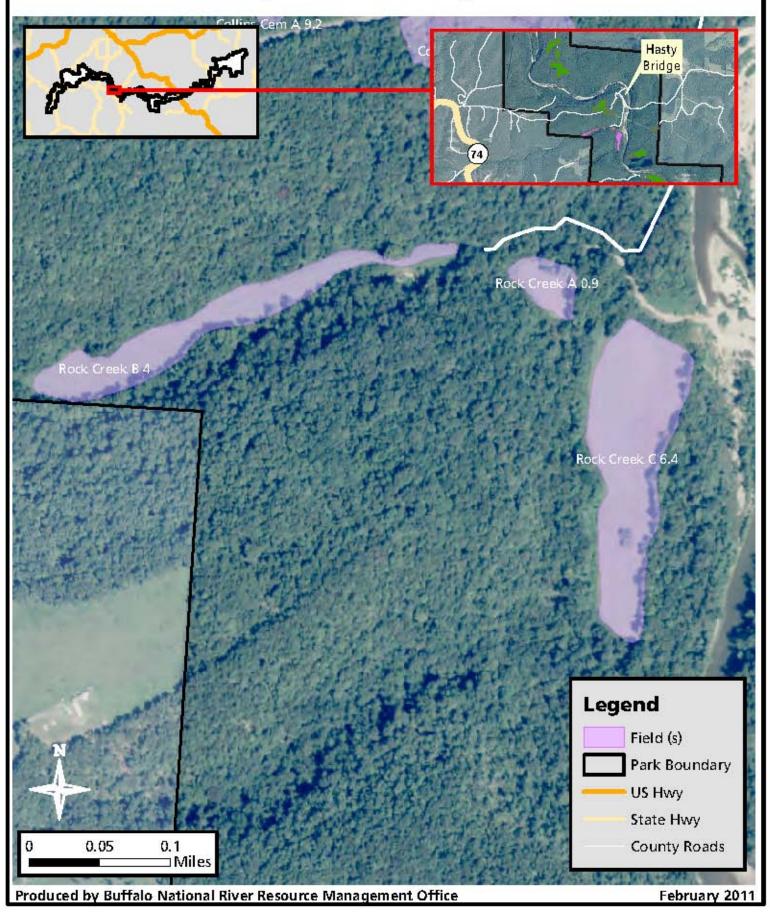
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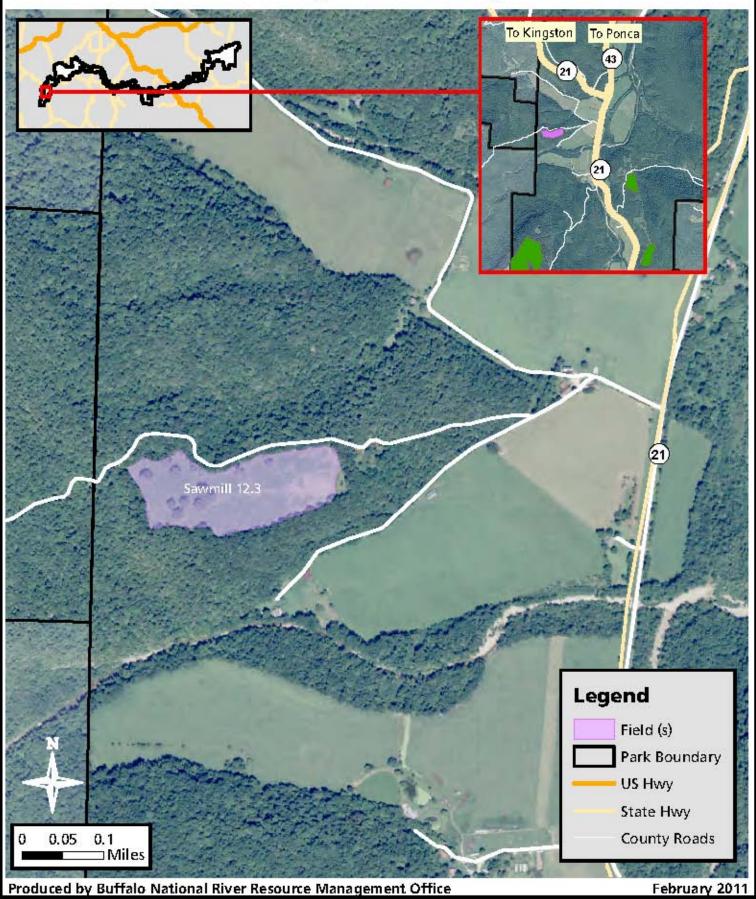
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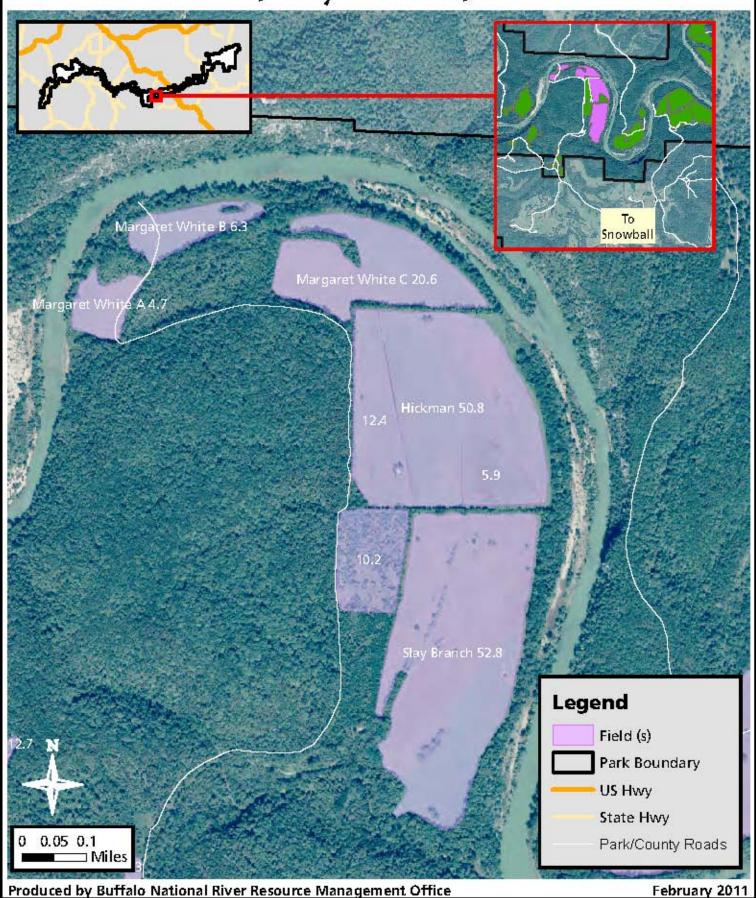




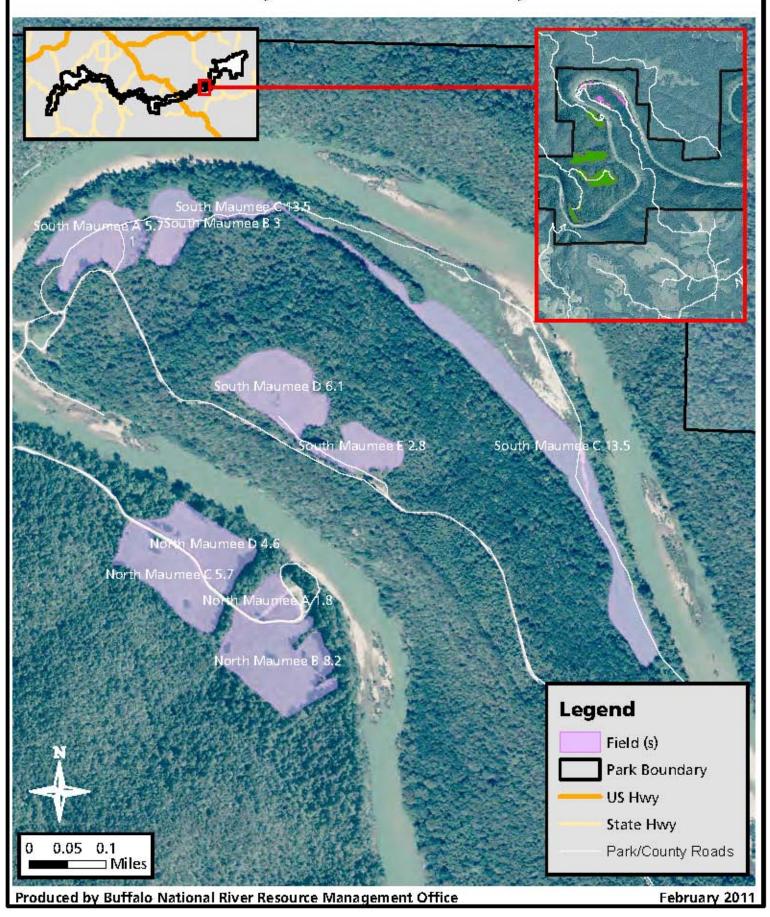
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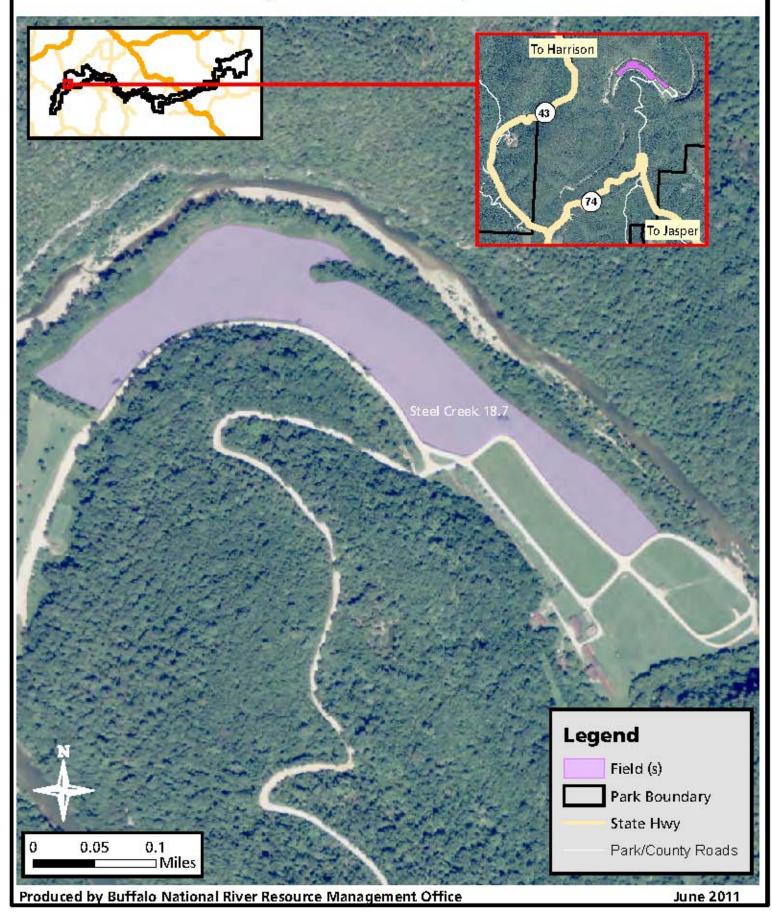
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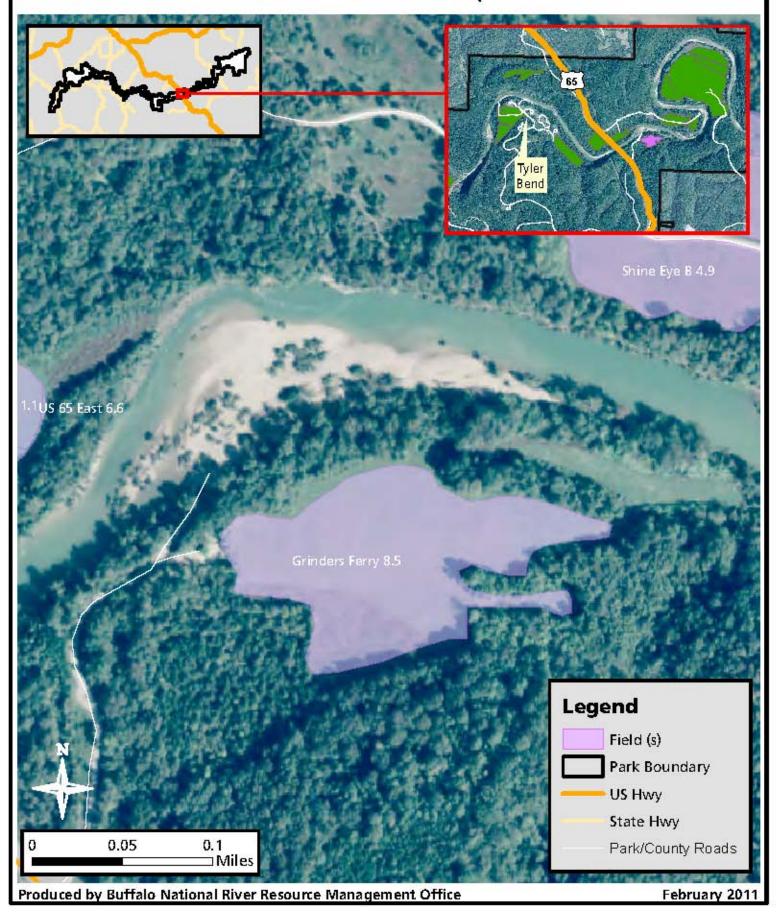
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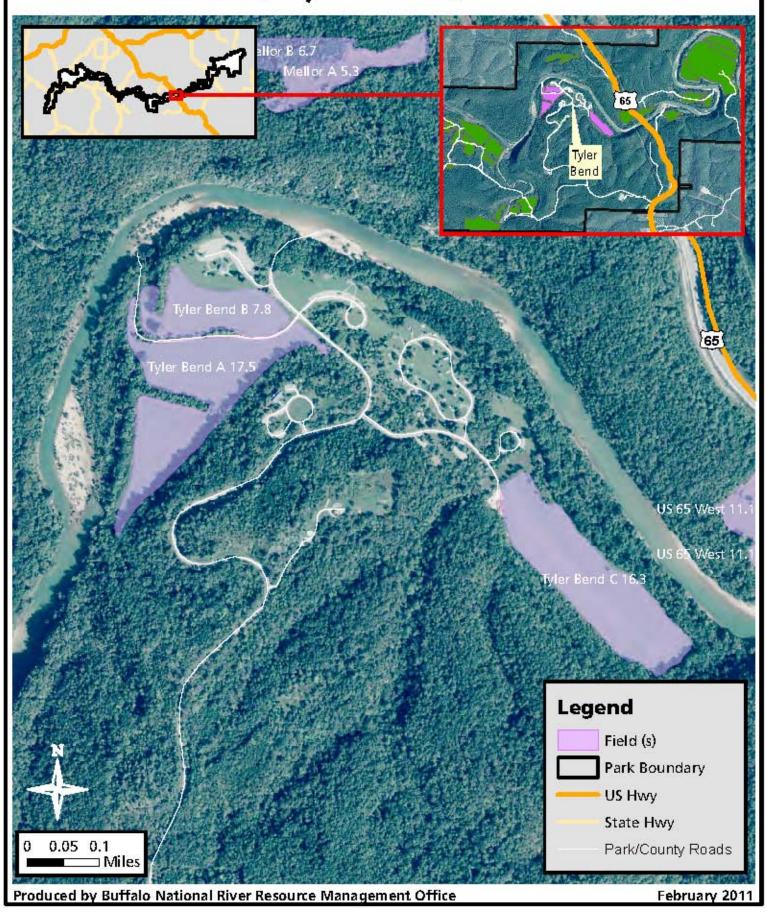




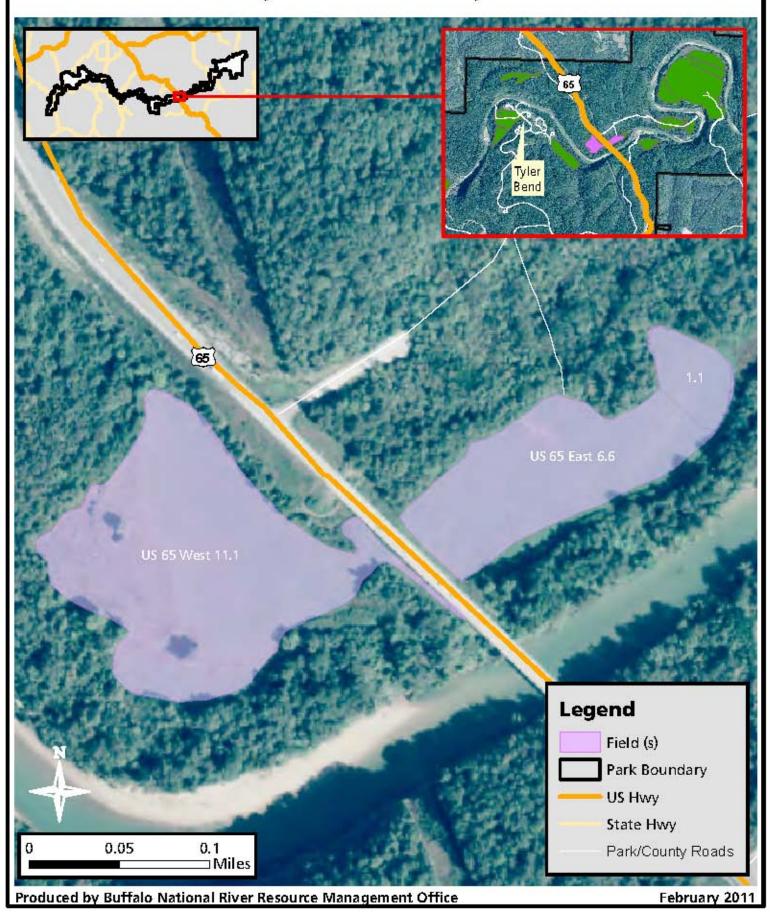
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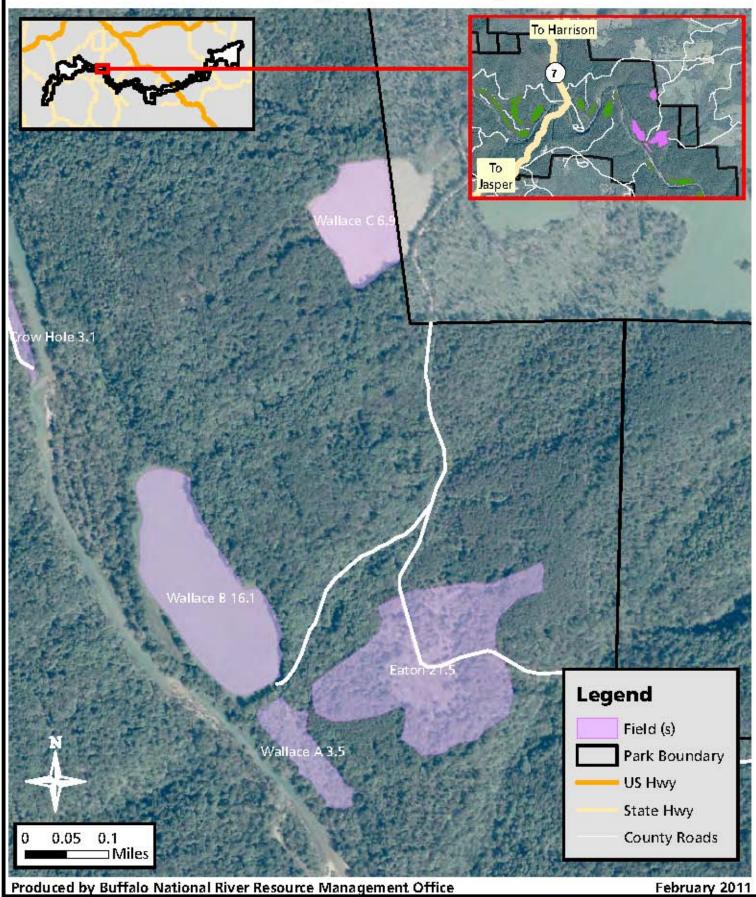
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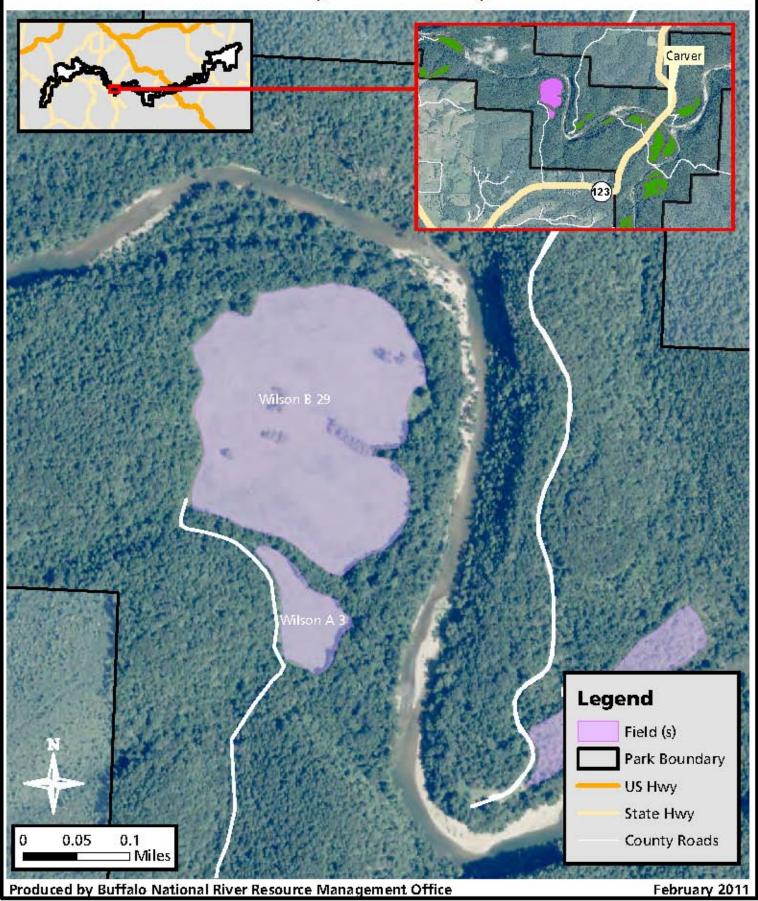
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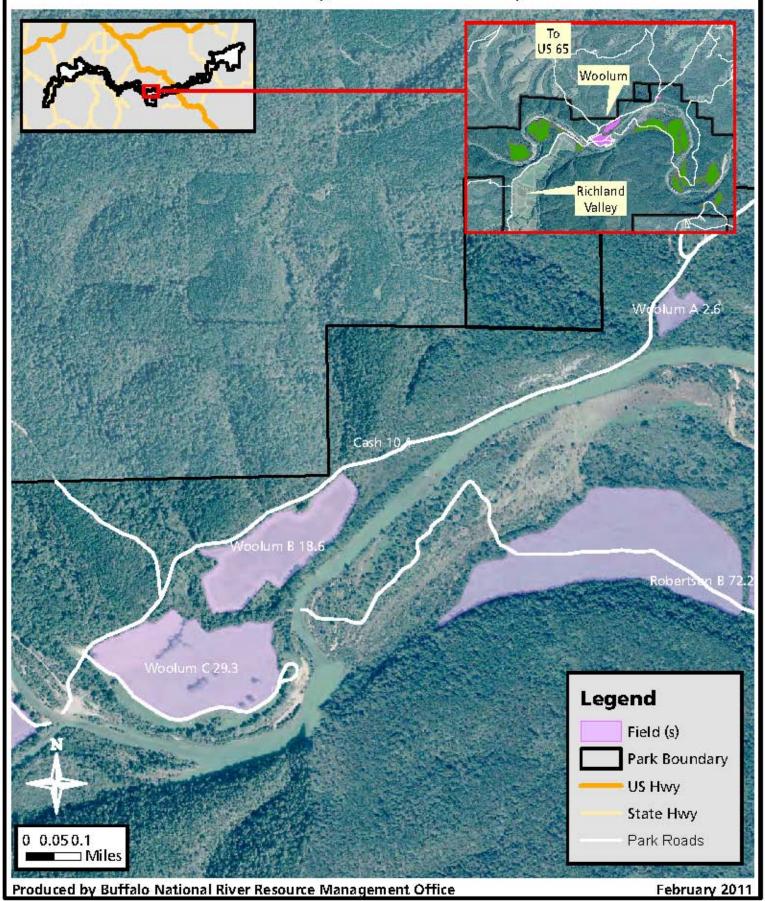
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Attachment #2, Woolum, Parcel #34



2014 Buffalo National River Agriculture SUP Solicitation Application

Buffalo National River Hay Fields Special Use Permits Solicitation # MWR-BUFF-1000-XXX

PLEASE PRINT

Name:

Address:
Phone Number:
Please answer the following questions regarding your experince in farming and your ability to carry out the responsibilites of an Agriculuture Special Use Permit (SUP). You may attach additional pages in your response. Your responses will be ranked with a point value system.
 Operational Experience (0-5 points) Describe how your agricultural experience will help you effectively carry out the requirements of an Agriculture Special Use Permit. Please include the number of years of experience in hay field operations and where you have worked hay fields.
2. Special Use Permit History (0-5 points) a) Have you ever held an Agricultural Special Use Permit with the National Park Service? If so, please provide the dates and locations.
 b) If you have previously held an Agricultural SUP, was it terminated by the NPS or were you unable to perform the requirements? If so, please describe the circumstances that lead to a termination and/or explain why you were unable to perform the requirements of the permit.

a) Please write in your bid ONLY for parcels you wish to bid on. All bids will be considered. This section to be completed on next page.

3. Soliciation Application (0-4 points)

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2014 Buffalo National River Agriculture SUP Solicitation Application

PLEASE SIGN THE LAST PAGE OF THIS APPLICATION TO SUMBIT YOUR BID

Parcel ID	Tract Number	Total Acres M/L	<u>Parcel Name</u>	Wildlife Enhancement Plan Requirements	Minimum Bid	Per Acre Bid Ex. \$5.00/Acre	Total Bid Ex. \$25.00 Total
1	94-102	70.4	Adams Field	None at this time	\$15.30 per acre \$1077.12 total		
2	11-100A, B	27.6	Angle Fields	None at this time	\$13.95 per acre \$385.02 total		
3	03-103	81.9	Arnold Bend	Bush-hog field I, annually, before July 1 to the height of 10 inches. No-till drill Fields E & G annually between Sept 15-Oct 15. Seed will be provided.	\$19.20 per acre \$1572.48 total		
4	02-100	26.3	Baker Ford	No-till drill field B annually between Sept 15- Oct 15. Seed will be provided.	\$16.80 per acre \$441.84 total		
5	92-104	17.7	Bear Creek	None at this time	\$17.10 per acre \$302.67 total		
9	87-114	2.5	Bolin Field	None at this time	\$15.30 per acre \$38.25 total		
7	01-118	82.1	Brewer Brown	None at this time	\$18.00 per acre \$1477.80 total		
8	05-101	24	Calf Creek	None at this time	\$19.80 per acre \$475.20 total		

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Application, rage 3 or 0	Total Bid Ex. \$5.00											
nddw	<u>Per Acre Bid</u> <u>Ex. \$5.00</u>											
	Minimum Bid	\$19.35 per acre \$1400.94 total	\$15.30 per acre \$1213.29 total	\$16.20 per acre \$208.98 total	\$15.30 per acre \$171.36 total	\$17.10 per acre \$432.63 total				\$13.60 per acre \$983.28 total		
	Wildlife Enhancement Plan Requirements	None at this time	None at this time	None at this time	None at this time	None at this time		None at this time	No-till drill annually between Sept 15- Oct 15. Seed will be provided.	No-till drill annually between Sept 15- Oct 15. Seed will be provided.	No-till drill annually between Sept 15- Oct 15. Seed will be provided.	None at this time
	Parcel Name	Carver Complex	Cash Bend/ Rye Bottom	Crane Bottom	Dave Manes Bluff	Dillard's Ferry	Erbie Complex		Claggett		Mueller	Parker Hickman
	Total Acres M/L	72.4	79.3	12.9	11.2	25.3		6.7	17.8	17.2	12.7	14.9
	Tract Number	86-102	01-127	92-102	10-105	34-105		14A 48-100	14B 47-103	14C 50-100	14D 50-106	14E 50-112
	Parcel Number	6	10	11	12	13	14	14A	14B	14C	14D	14E

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Parcel Number	Tract Number	Total Acres M/L	Parcel Name	Wildlife Enhancement Plan Requirements	Minimum Bid	Per Acre Bid Ex. \$5.00	Total Bid Ex. \$5.00
14F	14F 50-119		Lindsey	No-till drill annually between Sept 15- Oct 15. Seed will be provided.	\$13.60 per acre		
14G	14G 50-100B	12.1	Fuller	None at this time	\$983.28 total		
15	09-107	4	Gilbert	None at this time	\$19.80 per acre \$79.20 total		
16	01-118C	50.1	Goggins	None at this time	\$15.30 per acre \$766.53 total		
17	01-117	50.8	Hickman	None at this time	\$17.10 per acre \$868.68 total		
18			Lane Bend				
18A		16.6	Lane Bend D	None at this time	\$16.65 per acre \$276.39 total		
18B		13.6	Land Bend B	None at this time	\$16.65 per acre \$226.44 total		
19	01-124	94.7	Love Hensley	None at this time	\$16.20 per acre \$1534.14 total		
20	01-115	31.6	Margaret White	None at this time	\$16.20 per acre \$511.92 total		
21	91-107	13.6	Mt. Hersey	None at this time	\$15.30 per acre \$208.08 total		
22	97-102	20.3	North Maumee	None at this time	\$15.75 per acre \$319.79 total		
23	95-104A	7.5	Passmore Place	None at this time	\$16.20 per acre \$121.50 total		

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Bid Total Bid Ex. \$5.00												
Per Acre Bid Ex. \$5.00												
Minimum Bid	\$14.40 per acre \$167.04 total	\$16.20 per acre \$129.60 total	\$17.55 per acre \$198.32 total	\$16.20 per acre \$199.26 total	\$16.20 per acre \$855.36 total	\$18.45 per acre \$573.79 total	\$18.90 per acre \$353.43 total			\$20.48 per acre	\$1753.09 total	
Wildlife Enhancement Plan Requirements	None at this time	X	None at this time									
Parcel Name	Reddell	Ricketts	Rock Creek	Sawmill	Slay Branch	South Maumee	Steel Creek	Tyler Bend Complex	Grinders Ferry	Shineye	Tyler Bend	US 65 Fields
$\frac{\text{Total Acres}}{\underline{M/L}}$	11.6	8	11.3	12.3	52.8	31.1	18.7		8.5	17.9	41.6	17.6
Tract Number	60-101	85-110C	85-105	63-1102	01-127	97-102A	21-102		31A 06-103	31B 07-104	31C 05-101	31D 08-105
<u>Parcel</u> <u>Number</u>	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	31A	31B	31C	31D

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Parcel Number	Tract Number T	Total Acres M/L	<u>Parcel Name</u>	Wildlife Enhancement Plan Requirements	Minimum Bid	Per Acre Bid Ex. \$5.00	Total Bid Ex. \$5.00
32	15-102	23	Wallace	No-till field B annually between Sept 15- Oct 15. Seed will be provided.	\$16.00/acre, \$368.00 total		
33	86-102	32	Wilson	None at this time	\$18.00 per acre \$576.00 total		
34	57-104	50.5	Woolum	None at this time	\$19.80 per acre \$999.90 total		

^{*}Acres m/l - approximate acreage

I agree to pay the above bid amount if chosen and abide by all conditions of the Agriculture Special Use Permit.

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^{**} Erbie Complex includes 17A-17GG

^{**}Tyler Bend Complex includes 36A-36D

Revised 06-10 Form 10-114

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR National Park Service Buffalo National River Special Use Permit

NAME Joe Farmer		Park Alpha Code: <u>BUFF</u>	
ORGANIZATION		Type of Use: Agriculture	
ADDRESS		Permit #: BUFF-MWR-XXX	
TELEPHONE NUMBER	FAX		
NUMBER			
is hereby authorized to use	the following described lan	d or facilities in the below named area:	
,	-	act #	
The area must be restored	to its original condition at the	e end of the permit.	
The permit begins at	(am/pm) on	(Month/Day/Year)	
The permit expires at	(am/pm) on	(Month/Day/Year).	
SUMMARY OF PERMITTE	ED ACTIVITY: (see attached	d sheets for additional information and co	onditions)
	Hay	Cutting	
Person on site responsible	for adherence to the terms	and conditions of the permit (include co	ntact
information):			
Authorizing legislation or of	ther authority:		
NEPA Compliance: CATEC	GORICALLY EXCLUDED	EA/FONSI EIS PEPC #	OTHER
APPLICATION FEE	Received Not Requi	red Amount \$ 50.00	
PERFORMANCE BOND:	Required Not Required	red Amount \$	
LIABILITY INSURANCE:	Required Not Required	red Amount \$	
COST RECOVERY:		red Amount \$	
FACILITY USE FEE:		red Amount \$	
LAND USE FEE:	Required Not Required	red Amount \$	
		conditions. The undersigned hereby a	
permit subject to the terms	, covenants, obligations, an	d reservations, expressed or implied her	ein.
PERMITTEE –	Signature	Title	Date
Authorizing NPS Official -	0: .		
	Signature	Superintendent	Date

CONDITIONS OF THIS PERMIT

- 1. The permittee is prohibited from giving false information; to do so will be considered a breach of conditions and be grounds for revocation: [36 CFR 2.32(a)(3)].
- 2. The permittee shall exercise this privilege subject to the supervision of the Superintendent or designee, and shall comply with all applicable Federal, State, county and municipal laws, ordinances, regulations, codes, and the terms and conditions of this permit. Failure to do so may result in the immediate suspension of the permitted activity or the termination of the permit.
- 3. If any provision of this permit shall be found to be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this permit shall not be affected and the other provisions of this permit shall be valid and be enforced to the fullest extent permitted by law.
- 4. The permittee is responsible for making all necessary contacts and arrangements with other Federal, State, and local agencies to secure required inspections, permits, licenses, etc.
- 5. Failure to comply with any of the terms and conditions of this permit may result in the immediate suspension or revocation of the permit. All costs associated with clean up or damage repairs in conjunction with a terminated permit will be the responsibility of the permittee.
- 6. This permit may be revoked at the discretion of the Superintendent upon 24 hours notice, or without notice if damage to resources or facilities occurs or is threatened, notwithstanding any other term or condition of the permit to the contrary.
- 7. This agreement is made upon the express condition that the United States, its agents and employees shall be free from all liabilities and claims for damages and/or suits for or by reason of any injury, injuries, or death to any person or persons or property of any kind whatsoever, whether to the person or property of the (Permittee/Grantee), its agents or employees, or third parties, from any cause or causes whatsoever while in or upon said premises or any part thereof during the term of this agreement or occasioned by any occupancy or use of said premises or any activity carried on by the (Permittee) in connection herewith, and the (Permittee) hereby covenants and agrees to indemnify, defend, save and hold harmless the United States, its agents, and employees from all liabilities, charges, expenses and costs on account of or by reason of any such injuries, deaths, liabilities, claims, suits or losses however occurring or damages growing out of the same.
- 8. Permittee agrees to carry general liability insurance against claims occasioned by the action or omissions of the permittee, its agents and employees in carrying out the activities and operations authorized by this permit. The policy shall be in the amount of \$______and underwritten by a United States company naming the United States of America as additionally insured. The permittee agrees to provide the Superintendent with a Certificate of Insurance with the proper endorsements prior to the effective date of the permit.

- 9. Permittee agrees to deposit with the park a bond in the amount of \$ _____ from an authorized bonding company or in the form of cash or cash equivalent, to guarantee that all financial obligations to the park will be met, including the restoration and rehabilitation of the permitted area.
- 10. Costs incurred by the park as a result of accepting and processing the application and managing and monitoring the permitted activity will be reimbursed by the permittee. Administrative costs and estimated costs for activities on site must be paid when the permit is approved. If any additional costs are incurred by the park, the permittee will be billed at the conclusion of the permit. Should the estimated costs paid exceed the actual costs incurred; the difference will be returned to the permittee.
- 11. The person named on the permit as in charge of the permitted activity on-site must have full authority to make any decisions about the activity and must remain on-site at all times. He/she shall be responsible for all individuals, groups, vendors, etc. involved with the permit
- 12. As a condition of acceptance of this permit by the permittee and pursuant to 41 U.S. C. 22, "No Member of Congress shall be admitted to any share or part of any contract or agreement made, entered into, or accepted by or on behalf of the United States, or to any benefit to arise thereupon."
- 13. Nothing herein contained shall be construed as binding the Service to expend in any one fiscal year any sum in excess of appropriations made by Congress or administratively allocated for the purpose of this Agreement for the fiscal year, or to involve the Service in any contract or other obligation for the further expenditure of money in excess of such appropriations or allocations.
- 14. This permit may not be transferred or assigned without the prior written consent of the Superintendent.

Add additional park specific conditions sequentially.

SPECIAL USE PERMIT CONTINUATION SHEET PERMIT #BUFF-MWR-XXX

Buffalo National River Agricultural (Haying) Permit Conditions

- 1. Permittee is required to mow the entire acreage designated in this permit at least once each year to maintain the open field(s). The Superintendent reserves the right to request the permittee to mow, in addition, an acreage equal to 25% of the permitted acreage for the following park needs, but not limited to, historic structure protection, fire protection and visitor use. **No mowing will be permitted within 100 feet of river or creek banks**.
- 2. No trees or shrubs shall be cut without prior approval of the Superintendent or his representative, except for those which have fallen into the field or road access as a result of natural events such as flooding, ice storms, windstorms, etc.
- 3. Permittee will annually fertilize and/or lime to meet the minimum recommendations of the Cooperative Extension Service obtained from soil samples collected by National Park Service personnel.
- 4. Permittee is required to supply the National Park Service with copies of the TARE ticket(s) or receipt(s) from the supplier of fertilizer and/or lime applications by October 15 of each year. Receipts may be turned in immediately following application.
- 5. Permittee is required to complete all work on fields with Wildlife Habitat Enhancement Plans. Required work will be described in the final Special Use Permit. Not all fields will have Wildlife Habitat Enhancement Plans.
- 6. Plowing, disking, or disturbing the soil or surrounding vegetation, burning, or use of pesticides or agri-chemicals is prohibited without written approval from the Superintendent.
- 7. Once baled, hay will be removed from Buffalo National River lands within 30 days unless otherwise permitted by the Superintendent.
- 8. Permittee is to mow only the acreage designated by permit leaving all other areas unmowed.
- 9. Any archeological or historical artifacts found on park lands will be turned over to the Archeologist.
- 10. No grazing or pasturing of livestock is authorized on any areas pertaining to this permit.
- 11. The named permittee is held solely responsible for assuring that all conditions of this permit are met. No subleasing is permitted.
- 12. Permittee is required to maintain a lock on one side of the cable gate leading to the field. Not all fields have cable gates and require a gate.
- 13. The permittee understands that the National Park Service cannot guarantee that trespass grazing and feral hog trespass from neighboring lands will not occur and the National Park Service is not responsible for damages resulting from such trespass.

- 14. The permittee agrees to hold the United States free and harmless from any and all claims for injuries to persons or damage to property resulting from the exercise of privileges granted by this permit.
- 15. All lands under this permit shall be accessible to the general public for the purposes of hunting, fishing or other recreational purposes (excluding camping) providing that no property damage is caused, and shall not be posted otherwise.
- 16. Either party, Government or permittee, may cancel this permit upon 30 days written notice to the other party. No refund of fee or expenses is due to the permittee by reason of cancellation or revocation of this permit.
- 17. The National Park Service will give the permittee as much advance notice as possible, but reserves the right to enter upon and use the land or withdraw portions of the land from the permit for any purpose relevant to the development and/or maintenance of the park, including but not limited to construction of trails, and shall not be held responsible for any damages suffered by the permittee from such action.
- 18. An interest charge will be assessed on overdue amounts for each thirty (30 day period, or portion thereof), that payment is delayed. The percent of interest charged will be based on the current values of funds to the United State Treasury as published quarterly in the Treasury Fiscal Requirements Manual. The Director may also impose penalties for late payment to the extent authorized by Applicable Law.
- 19. Failure to comply with any of the above conditions will result in cancellation of this permit.

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Application for Special Use Permit

Please supply the information requested below. Attach additional sheets, if necessary, to provide required information. A nonrefundable processing fee of \$50.00 must accompany this application unless the requested use is an exercise of a First Amendment right. You must allow sufficient time for the park to process your request; check with the park for guidelines. You will be notified of the status of the application and the necessary steps to secure your final permit. Your permit may require the payment of cost recovery charges and proof of liability insurance naming the United States of America as also insured.

Applicant Name: Telephone #:							
Organization Name:	Cell phone #:						
Social Security or Tax ID	#: Fax#:						
Street/Address:	Email:						
City/State/Zip Code:							
Proposed activity: Ha	ay Cutting_						
Preferred Date	Preferred Location	Preferred Time					
Alternate Date(s)	Alternate Location(s)	Alternate Time(s)					
Alternatives will be considered if first choice is not available.							
Maximum Number of Participants Maximum Number of Vehicles							
List of equipment (i.e. tables, chairs, grills, sound system, etc.)							
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Individual in charge of activity onsite (include cell phone number) and authorized to make decisions related to the permitted activity:							
Have you visited the reals this an exercise of a	equested area? First Amendment rights?	□Y □N □Y □N					

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The applicant by his or her signature certifies that	all the information given is complete and
correct, and that no false or misleading information or	false statements have been given.
Signature:	Date:

Note: This is an application only, and does not serve as permission to conduct any special activity in the park. The information provided will be used to determine whether a permit will be issued. Send the completed application along with the application fee in the form of a cashier's check or money order made payable to **National Park Service** to **Commercial Services Office** at the Park address found on the first page of this application.

If your request is approved, a permit containing applicable terms and conditions will be sent to you. The permit must be signed by the responsible person and returned to the park for final approval by the Park Superintendent before the permitted activity may begin.

Notice to Customers Making Payment by Personal Check: When you provide a check as payment, you authorize us either to use information from your check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from your account or to process the payment as a check transaction. When we use information from your check to make an electronic fund transfer, funds may be withdrawn from your account as soon as the same day we receive your payment, and you will not receive your check back from your financial institution.

NOTICES

Privacy Act Statement: The Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a) provides that you be furnished with the following information in connection with information required by this application. This information is being collected to allow the park manager to make a value judgment on whether or not to allow the requested use. Applicants are required to provide their social security or taxpayer identification number for activities subject to collection of fees and charges by the National Park Service (31 U.S.C. 7701). Information from the application may be transferred to appropriate Federal, State, and local agencies, when relevant to civil, criminal or regulatory investigations or prosecutions.

Paperwork Reduction Act Statement: We are collecting this information subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501) to provide the park managers the information needed to decide whether or not to allow the requested use. All applicable parts of the form must be completed in order for your request to be considered. You are not required to respond to this or any other Federal agency-sponsored information collection unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Estimated Burden Statement: Public reporting burden for this form is estimated to average 15 minutes per response, including the time it takes to read, gather and maintain data, review instructions and complete the form. Direct comments regarding this burden estimate or any aspect of this form to the Information Collection Clearance Officer, National Park Service, 1849 C Street, NW (1237), Washington, D.C. 20240.

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 makes it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious, or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.