



# North Shenandoah Mountain Restoration and Management Project

## *George Washington and Jefferson National Forests*

The USDA Forest Service, the public, communities, and partners are working together to identify forest restoration and management opportunities on the 100,000-acre North Shenandoah Mountain Restoration and Management Project in Rockingham County, Virginia and Pendleton County, West Virginia. Working together over the next two years, we will identify activities to improve watershed conditions, vegetation conditions, wildlife and fisheries habitats, and recreation uses to implement over the next ten years. Restoration and management opportunities will complement efforts on adjacent lands and will address vegetation, habitat, and watershed conditions that transcend landowner boundaries.

### Upcoming Events

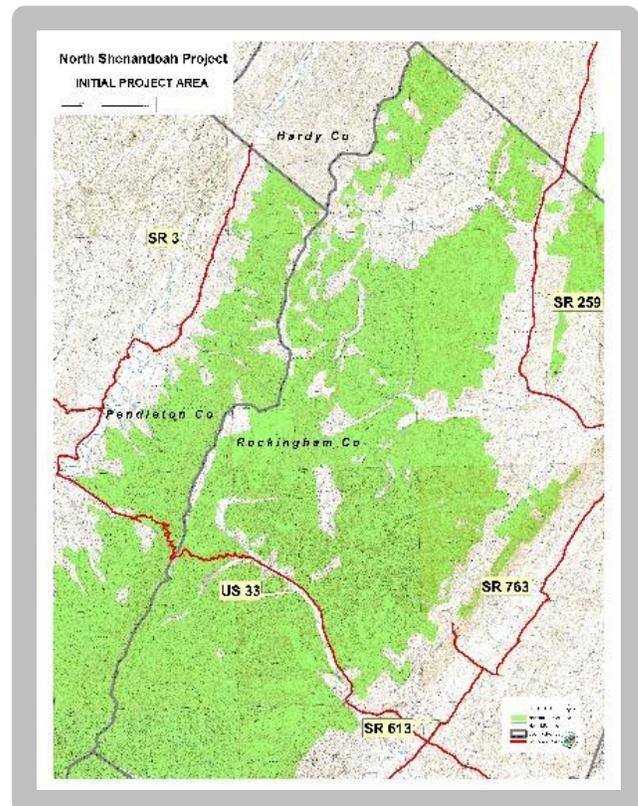
We are planning a public field trip for May 25<sup>th</sup>, from 10 am to 4:30 pm, to visit the area around Camp Run, Rough Run and the German River. Come and share your knowledge of conditions on the ground as they relate to aquatics, wildlife, timber, and recreation.

### Where Are We Now?

In April, we held two public meetings providing an overview of the project. Behind the scenes, Forest Service specialists and partners are working to assess current conditions on-the-ground within the project area. This information will inform all of us to collaboratively develop project proposals.

### Project Emphasis Areas

- Forest health
- Vegetation management
- Wildlife and fish habitat
- Watershed conditions within the headwaters of the Chesapeake Bay
- Sustainable recreation opportunities



**For maps and more information about the North Shenandoah Mountain Restoration and Management Project visit**  
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