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Your Name (Optional): Jack Imbriani

Record of Comments:

I am a mountain bike rider and George Washington National Forest is my favorite destination. We appreciate the privilege of riding there and wish to make things even better.

I would like continued access to the current bike trails and even more trail access in the future. I advocate the use of chain saws to keep the trails open. I live in North Carolina so I personally work on trails local to myself.

I recognize the need for wilderness areas but believe the current defined areas are sufficient. The Ramsey's Draft wilderness that is adjacent to the Shenandoah Mountain trail should be slightly redefined such that ~~bicycle~~ bicycles would be allowed there. Adam's Mountain might be a better spot for more wilderness land.

It would also be nice if current out-and-back trails were extended into loop trails to increase the experience.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

Thank you tons. I would like to attend the meetings but I live several hours away. If there were a way to comment electronically, that would be great.

Jack Imbriani

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LOCATION Verona (North River District)

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Mark Miller

Record of Comments:

There are several areas that deserve wilderness consideration. The first is Beech Lick Knob. This 17,000 acre area was somehow missed in the roadless evaluation. The area is a beautiful place with few conflicts with other users. There are stands of significant old growth. The Shenandoah Mt area deserves consider for protection with various designations. Specific wilderness designation include Skidmore Fork, Little River and Ramseys Draft additions. Granted these areas are heavily utilized by the mt. bike, hunting and horse communities but be that as it may. These areas deserve consideration for wilderness.

The Jerkemtight/Benson Run area should also be considered. On Jerkemtight if the boundary was placed on the Shenandoah Mt Trail and only the eastern slope was considered for Wilderness. It would eliminate some conflicts with user groups. Similarly, if the Shenandoah Mt trail was

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utilized as the boundary on Benson Run this again would eliminate some conflicts.

Finally, any area within the Cow Knob SBA should be considered unsuitable for wind.

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LOCATION Hot Springs (Warm Springs)

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Mark Miller

Record of Comments:

Little Allegheny Roadless Area should be considered for Wilderness designation. There are no conflicts in this area. There are no system trails and there has been little or timber management since the mid eighties. This area could be expand just slightly to include the area up to Big Ridge Rd. this would add an extra 1000 or so acres to the proposal. A second area is Laurel Fork. If ever there was an area in Virginia worthy of wilderness designation this is the place. Granted there are many trails in the area it should be noted that many of these trails are not suitable for bikes.

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LOCATION Hot Spring (James River District)

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): mark miller

Record of Comments:

There are several areas that deserve wilderness consideration. The first is an addition to the Rich Hole wilderness. The Mill mountain Roadless Area, adjacent to Rich Hole, should be added to the Rich Hole with a slight boundary adjustment utilizing the White Rocks Tower Trail to the Ridge and then south. All conflicts w/ mountain biking would be eliminated. A second area is the small addition to Rough mt. Oliver Mt. is a third candidate. If the Jackson Trail served as the boundary this would eliminate some issues with the Mt. bike community. Further the illegal jeep road could serve as a boundary or if tank trapped to prevent its use the rest of the entire area could be protected as wilderness.

The area around Douthat State Park should be designated as a NSA as it serves as the scenic backdrop for the park. Also, special consideration should be given to Shake Run Ridge and the large stand of old growth that was documented by DNH

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LOCATION Lexington (Pedlar District

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Mark Miller

Record of Comments:

I would request that you consider wilderness designation for the following areas: Three Sisters, Adams Peak and Three additions to St. Marys Wilderness.

Three Sisters and Adams Peak are both roadless areas so a wilderness designation will not significantly impact timber. Three Sisters has two trails (The AT and Little Rocky Row). The second trail is an out & back that connects to the AT. It is not a high priority trail for Mt. bikers and mountain biking is prohibited on the AT. The roadless area excludes the Johns Hollow Trail. Only a short segment of the AT would be in the proposed wilderness (7 miles). This would also create a wilderness complex of significant size when the adjacent James River Face and Thunder Ridge are considered. Adams Peak is more problematic as the Whetstone Ridge Trail would be closed to mountain biking. This should not preclude it from being considered for Wilderness.

The CER includes one addition to St. Marys The Area encompassing Russell Rocks should also be considered for designation. Finally, Kelley mountain should be designated as a NSA.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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LOCATION Woodstock (Lee District map)

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Mark Miller

Record of Comments:

I would like to have considered for wilderness the following 2 areas. Both of these areas are located in the Big Schloss Roadless areas. The first is Three High Heads. This area could encompass the roadless area boundary ~~or~~ including the Sulphur Springs trail. The boundary would then exclude the QDMA on the east slope of the mountain and the Brood Turkey management on the western slope. It would have minimal impact on mountain biking as only 1.5 miles of trail. The second area is Little Stony Creek. The area ~~would~~ would go from ridge top top ridge top excluding the trails on each ridge. The Sugar Creek Camp would also be excluded. Finally, by utilizing the Big Schloss Cutoff as a boundary. The area would impact only one trail (Little Stony Creek). The remainder of the Big Schloss Roadless Area should be protected as a WSA.

There is a proposed wind facility on Church Mountain. Any wind placement should take into

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

Consideration access to existing power line infastructure, current forest conditions, existing road access and S&A. Church Mountain is current a forested ridge top with no road along the ridge. The placement of wind facilities on a site like this should be considered unsuitable for wind.

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One other note on the proposed wilderness areas. Neither area would impact the Old Dominion Endurance Ride.

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DATE 7/16/08
LOCATION Exter WV

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Misty Tilson

Record of Comments:

Protecting the national forest is a great thing, but the term Wilderness means no mechanized equipment and a mountain bike is considered mechanized. Please keep areas open to mountain bike use. We really like being able to ride on the trails and we do not do any more damage than hot horses, hikers, or hunters.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7/16/08
LOCATION BAKER

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): DAVID C. HEISAMAN

Record of Comments: (1) AMERICANS W/DISABILITIES Legal EXCLUDED FROM WILDERNESS AREAS
(2) INVASIVE SPECIES - FOREST SERVICE - PROFESSIONAL FORESTERS NEED TO TAKE LEAD IN PUBLIC EDUCATION ON INVASIVE SPECIES IDENTIFICATION & CONTROL. CONTROL OF INVASIVES (AILANTHUS) WILL BE NECESSARY IN WILDERNESS AREAS - CHEMICAL USE & SPRAYERS WILL ~~NEED~~ NEED POWER IN EXTENSIVE INFESTATIONS. THOSE WHO MECHANICALLY MAINTAIN TRAILS SERVE TO SPREAD & THICKEN AILANTHUS.

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DATE 7/18/08

LOCATION VERONA

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Phil Cobb

Record of Comments:

Keep off road vehicles confined to specific areas as now shown on GW maps. ORV are incompatible with all wildlife except for deer. Expand active management of forests for grouse and bear. These are the main indicators (canaries in the mine) of biological health in the forest. Other main indicator is neotropical birds. Do not expand current off road areas. Increase grouse management areas in Churchville area. Also, in current old clearcut areas with thick growth, consider going in with a small bulldozer and trampling the growth. This will essentially start the clearcut tree/brush growth over without any major damage to the cuts. Keep wilderness areas about the same. We should stay on course with logging and burns. Great North Mtn. area is overused in some situations; do not allow or limit the bear & deer hunting action in this area.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 7/18/08
LOCATION Verona, VA

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Jennifer

Record of Comments:

If we give into Mountain bikers, there will be no wilderness left. Bikers will flock here to our woods and destroy our trails.

We need to fund the Forest Service so that they can implement whatever plan we mandate.

I'm in favor of more Wilderness Areas and National Scenic areas.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

We need better maps with more landmarks and more differential colors.

Have group discussions be more managed — there's no way to reach a consensus with this many people.

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DATE 7/18/08
LOCATION Verona

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Este Fisher

Record of Comments:

G.W. & Jefferson need to change A #5 across the board user fee Annual fee. Can be changed per vehicle with A window sticker. Fine for ~~not~~ no sticker would be #5.00

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 7-18-08

LOCATION Verona

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Lynn Cameron

Record of Comments:

Wilderness for Little River
Ramsey Draft Addition
Skidmore Fork
Reech Lick Knob

more short easy loop trails
for families

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 7/18

LOCATION Verona

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Eric Gilchrist

Record of Comments:

Only 4% of the GW is wilderness. The other states have more and average about 18%. We need more wilderness & mature old growth forests.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change
DATE 18 July 08
LOCATION Verona VA

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Mark Gatewood

Record of Comments:

Heard a lot of citizen comments about "forest health" and "healthy forests" Implied that "forest health" only comes about through human intervention. Therefore, by implication, our forests were unhealthy until about 1900 when forestry schools started turning out foresters.

Hope you will take a broader view of "forest health" To allow natural processes To procede in some areas such as wilderness, roadless areas.

Manage the "forest health" on lower, gentler slopes Let the high, steep areas Take care of themselves unless good science indicates need To manage for key wildlife or plant species

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

Thanks for everything

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Place-Based Need for Change

DATE July 18, 2008
LOCATION Vienna

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

Stricter protection of Shenandoah Crest SBA - get OHV routes out of area.

Identify places with acidification problem (soils and/or water) - map these and use as a screen for places being "unsuitable" for logging

Expand Shen Crest SBA to include all of CK Salamander Range

Use acidification (potential and existing) as a criterion for Watershed Condition Classes and determining objectives, guidelines, etc.

Strictly protect Wood Turtle populations - RNA or SBA designations for all sites.

~~Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:~~

All GWNF "Mountain Treasures" - designate as "Special Areas" and/or "potential Wilderness" areas.

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If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

Protect Shen Mtn Corridor between 250 + 33
Wilderness - R. Draft
Little River
Skidmore Fork

Make Beech Lick Knob IRA - future wilderness?

Protect Jerkemright / Benson Run
Crawford Mtn
future wilderness?

Scenic Area - Kelley Mtn?

Acquire inholdings to limit development that will be detrimental to the forest.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE July - 08

LOCATION Verona

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If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): FARMER

Record of Comments:

- Don't compete with my Timber by selling more Timber esp. since Timber demand is decreasing.
- Spend more USDFS money on Recreation RATHER THAN Timber management.

- "Recognize" large Roadless areas that we have now which are now unrecognized.

- Add more wilderness areas To our large dense Roadless Areas.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

- Show on Legend All known "old growth Forests Areas"

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DATE 7-18-08

LOCATION Verona

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If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Kathy Funk

Record of Comments:

Maintoinc Wilderness Areas to promote Diverse Wildlife Habotat. Partnership with Hunter Based Conservation Groups to Help Fund, Plan and Restore Both Habotat & Animals that we have mismanaged in the past causing the lost of Species Like the ELK. They Should be Restored to their Historic Natural Range.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 7/19/2008
LOCATION VERONA GOV CENTER

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If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

INCREASE Wilderness designations - Expand Ramseys Draft, protect Little River & Beech Lick MTN. & Scenic Area designation of Shenandoah MTN.

Make timber sales unsubsidized by tax money

Consider preservation of water quality in putting in trails for OHV & mtn biking & timber sales

Keep Forest intact for benefit of wildlife migrations & species protection

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

Allowing private corp. into Forest For Energy production.

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DATE 7/18/08
LOCATION Verona, VA

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If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Jennifer Johnson

Record of Comments:

I think our forests should be protected from all development. There is very little wilderness left on the east coast and intact forests mean more than me to getting some money for timber. I'm a hiker first and foremost and I want to use the national forest for that – not for vehicles, including bikes.

Protect the special things about Virginia – our clean air, clean water, biologically special places, and beautiful vistas.

The projects that the forest service proposes should be subject to environmental assessments.

Recreation could take over our forests if we let it.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

Better maps with more roads and landmarks.

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DATE 7/8/08
LOCATION Vienna

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If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): DAVID GRAHAM

Record of Comments:

DEVELOP HIGH CLEARANCE TRAIL AND ROADS ~~[illegible]~~

PRESERVE EXISTING ROADS & TRAILS BOTH MOTORIZED & NON-MOTORIZED.

OHV USE IS GROWING AND THE PLACES TO USE ARE DECREASING.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS TO SHOW PROPER USAGE, AND WAYS TO BUILD PROPER TRAILS TO LIMIT EROSION

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

MAPS W/ ROAD # ON THEM

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If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Travis

Record of Comments:

Discussing on wilderness expantion:
try to find a compromise on existing trails in the possible expantion area.
local MTB orgs work hard to clean and maintain trails that hikers, and bikers use. leave the trails untouched for there use if it is maintained.

use of OHV in second mountain
as long as individuals using trails help maintain them and work together to be respectalbe to everyone ~~it~~ using it should be allowed.

~~preserving wilderness to~~

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 18 July '06
LOCATION Vernon.

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Elizabeth Murray

Record of Comments:

Wilderness Study Areas for
Little River
Shidmore Fork
Ramseys Draft Additions
Lynn Hollow

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 7/18

LOCATION Verona

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Nancy Sorrells

Record of Comments:

Elliott Knob - continue to rehab firetower area

- Keep ALL communication devices in designated area
- Put a 'Civil War' trails sign up @ firetower site? (upcoming 150th anniversary)

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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LOCATION Verona

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Kevin Ratliff

Record of Comments:

I am concerned about the decline in the Ruffed Grouse population in the forest. Please consider making amendments/revisions to the plan that would change this decline such as creating more early successional growth areas. Personally, I would like to see more of this management in the Dry River Ranger District. Thanks for all you are doing and allowing me to provide a comment!

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 18 July 08
LOCATION Verona VA

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Mark Gatewood

Record of Comments:

I would like To see roadless (if not wilderness) designation between RT 33 and 250. Appalachian warblers need migration routes along ridge, and nesting areas. Example: Canada and Black-Throated Blue warblers on Shenandoah Mountain.

Logging and Timber management seem more appropriate on lower, less steep slopes.

Watershed protection is very important for future growth and development in Augusta Co. Roadless designation, protect our water quality.

Adopt the more stringent riparian buffer zone size.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

- more pull overs along roads - parking areas
- generally very happy with how we are managing the forest
- more law enforcement
- more dedicated equestrian trails - mountain bikes startle horses
- more esh
- manage some roads for 4WD vehicles - put in some obstacles

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 07-14-2008

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If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

DESIGNATE TRAILS & ROADS FOR SPECIAL USE. EXAMPLE; HAVE TRAILS FOR EQUESTRIAN USE ONLY, SOME FOR BICYCLE ONLY, SOME ROADS FOR HIGH CLEARANCE VEHICLES, ECT. TO HELP REDUCE THE CONFLICT. INSTEAD OF CLOSING A ROAD THAT THE AMOUNT OF TRAFFIC IS CAUSING EROSION, INSTAL OBSTICLES TO MAKE IT HIGH CLEARANCE ONLY, THUS REDUCING TRAFFIC BY ALMOST 100% BUT STILL HAVING AN OPEN ROAD.

HAVE AN ACROSS THE BOARD LAND USE FEE & USE THE MONEY GENERATED TO FUND EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS TO EDUCATE THE GENERAL PUBLIC ON HOW THEIR ACTIONS EFFECT THE FOREST.

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DATE 7/18/08
LOCATION Verona

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Nancy Sorrells / County Supervisor Riverheads

Record of Comments:

- I have concerns over the condition of the main trail along St Mary's The trail needs to be relocated both for hiker safety & stream erosion issues Can Aug Co partner on this w/ you?
- Craigsville - need a NF presence somewhere in Augusta Co. for maps, permits, etc. Augusta Co. has most acres of NF in state & NO national forest presence

- riparian standards - Please adopt Jefferson standards!

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 7/17/08

LOCATION Augusta County

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments: Please adopt Jefferson riparian standards for the G.W.

Industrial wind farms are inappropriate for the G.W. especially on the ridges.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 7-18-08
LOCATION Verona

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Marshall Hammond.

Record of Comments:

We want this area to be one of the top 3 trail systems on the east coast
- additional trail connectors
  25-50 miles of connectors can equal 2x shared use
- make sustainable
- alternate trail alignments w/o F.S. Roads
- recreational opportunities

- loops
  - Camp Todd to Braily's @ 2500' marks
  - Riven Rock to Switzer Dam on City property with F.S input
  - Stacked loop on Riven Rock
  - Narrowback South loop
- Encourage use on Forest edge, make more accessable w/o taxing internal services

Adopt GET - Great Eastern Trail

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

Adopt Jefferson standard for expansion of timber cutting 150' on water

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DATE July 18
LOCATION Verona

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Diana Woodall

Record of Comments: Would love to see Hone Quarry campground ~~developed~~ ~~[illegible]~~ have a campground host to minimize beer keg parties, "rift raff" trashing of the campground, etc.
Also - develop hike-in only campgrounds - again near or in an area w/ a host or regular patrol.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 7/28/08
LOCATION VERONA

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): JOHN DUNNE

Record of Comments:

1. More early successional areas for wildlife
2. A process to harvest diseased trees before they burn
3. Maintain a true multi-use program throughout the entire forest

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

There has been an increase in OHV use over the past decade, but a decrease in existing primitive 2 track trails in the forest thus creating more impact on current trail systems.

Create more emphasis on Educational Programs for proper trail usage for all user groups - both non-motorized and motorized. Encourage those user groups for involvement which can help with volunteers from those groups, especially given the forest service's limited budgets.

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DATE 7-28-08

LOCATION Warm Springs

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): [illegible]

Record of Comments:

Keep access roads open for entire hunting season

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
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DATE 7/28/08
LOCATION Hot Springs

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Lindy McJoad

Record of Comments:

I would like to see more clear cuts (10-25 ac) to provide grouse habitat.
Cuts need to provide habitat for more grouse larger than 2 ac. -

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 7-28-08
LOCATION Hot Springs

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): James W Walton

Record of Comments:

Leave access roads open all of Hunting season, not just part of hunting season.

More timber cutting, clear cuts & selective cuts.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

Group 1

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DATE 7/28/08
LOCATION Hot Springs

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Lindy Sanford

Record of Comments:

Cuts at different elevations with different water sources to support hunting in different years - & food sources for different years.

Need clear cuts in the hollow & the mountain tops. Need succession of cuts to improve habitat. - larger cuts (10-25ac) to support larger number of grouse.

Cuts support habitat to other species as well.

Drop the group selections they are too small to support broods of grouse.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
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DATE 7/28/04

LOCATION Hot Springs

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Bill Sanford

Record of Comments:

main concern is lack of successional growth; useful for prime habitat. Bigger areas of cutting would support more wildlife; need cuts bigger than 30-40 acres

Further, access roads which are opened in Fall to deer & bear hunting are closed at the end of those seasons in Dec. or Jan. and deny access to small game hunters while seasons remain in through late February.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

Group 1

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DATE 7-29-08
LOCATION Hot Springs.

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Pat O'Neil, Deerfield, VA

Record of Comments:

Trails (specifically horse (non-motorized) trails –
- More loop trails as in area at Douthat SP horse camp
- Easier approval of trails to make loops
- Continued

Trash – don't know how but somehow prevent/cleanup trash.

Deer – less management for deer – too many deer.

Insurance – new regulation for special use permits for $750,000 insurance.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

Group 1

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DATE 7/28/08

LOCATION Hot Springs

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Roger Timbrook

Record of Comments:

- Timber Harvesting Remain a management Tool used on the USFS (multiple use)
- Concerns over Gypsy moth population explosion and impact on Timber and Wildlife

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

Group 1

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DATE 7/28/8

LOCATION Warm Springs

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): BERNARD M. CHESTNUT

Record of Comments:

POSTING OF CAUSE AND EFFECT

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
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DATE 7/25/08
LOCATION Hot Springs

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Richard Sheek

Record of Comments:

(1) NO General Area Picked out, But Feel That There are Some areas should be set aside For quiet areas and to let NATURE take its Place.

(2) I Believe that Total Health of The Forest Depends on proper Harvesting of timber to MAXIMIZE total value, and to provide new growth and increase wildlife habitat.

(3) I would like to see proponents of wilderness areas look at Areas that have had timber harvesting or NATURAL disasters occur in them and pursue using those as wilderness area studies, Some of those areas in the G.W would be closer to Covington.

* (4.) The U.S. Forest Service is in charge of our land, There are alot of professionals working in it. They need to take charge of it and make decisions when an area needs to be left alone or when an area needs to have timber harvested.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7-28-08

LOCATION Hot Springs

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Lynn Cameron

Record of Comments:

Wilderness study for Laurel Fork
Little Alleghany

enlarge Rough Mtn & Rich Hole Wilderness
Areas

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7/28/08
LOCATION ~~Hot~~ Springs

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Malcolm Cameron

Record of Comments: (#1) Laurel Fork in Highland Co. is the best candidate for Wilderness designation in the entire G.W. Forest.

Rare species, mixed northern hardwood forest & red spruce found nowhere else in Virginia.

(*) No Wind Farms should be allowed anywhere on G.W. National Forest !!

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7/28/2018
LOCATION Hot Springs

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

- Maintain existing mt bike access on trails
- More wildlife habitat needed
- Chain saws for maintaining existing access
- No new Wilderness Areas

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

I would like for the GW Web site to show us camping/recreation areas which ones have Elec. hook-up. Some of your people think it is there but I can't find

Gerald Buttram
barbgera@shentel.net

CAN we have A Public shooting Range on the Forest?

John Casto - Woodstock

No wind turbines
on North Mt. or
Little North Mt.

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 1.14.08
LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): DAVID Meyer

Record of Comments:

No windmills in the National forest.

100 year plan: keep it NATURAL.

Buffer zone on private property when logging on forest land.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

DAVID Meyer
9393 Crooked Run Rd. Basy, Va. 22810
540.856.4009

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Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7/14/08
LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Tom Heimbach

Record of Comments: More "Pink" (OHV/ATV) Access needed to alleviate crowded trails. Increase trail mileage in existing OHV Areas would Also be helpful.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
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DATE 7/08

LOCATION WOODSTOCK

WIND ENERGY DEVELOPMENT

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): R. S IETER

Record of Comments:

1) WIND TURBINES ARE NOT AN APPROPRIATE USE FOR OR FORESTS VA. SHOULD NOT ALLOW TURBINES

2) ATV USE IS NOT CONDUSIVE TO SERENITY OF THE FOREST

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE _____
LOCATION _____

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): OLIVIA GENTILE
ORKNEY SPRINGS, VA

Record of Comments:

WIND TURBINES NOT APPROPRIATE USE IN OUR NATIONAL FORESTS

(1) Intrusive on the Land & in the Sky

(2) Loss of remote areas to Private Investors + industries for profit

(3) Will change the character not only of the Nat Forest but of the entire region surrounding the forest.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 14 July '08
LOCATION Lee District - Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Elizabeth Murray

Record of Comments:

Please make more Wilderness Study Areas in the Lee District.
At the very least put W.S.A designation on Stoney Creek and Three High Heads.

The whole of the Big Schloss area would make a good National Scenic Area.

Don't want any Wind Development on National Forest Land

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7-14-08
LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Lynn Cameron

Record of Comments:

Permanent Protection of high mountain ridges

more Wilderness - Three High Heads
Stony Run

Nat Scenic Area for Big Schloss, & Southern Massanutten
& Northern Massanutten

Protection of watersheds

" " scenic qualities

no surface occupancy for mineral development in roadless areas & other special places

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 14 JULY 08

LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): John Chilton

Record of Comments:

- Future: Keep things natural. Ridgeline wind turbines are not natural.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

(1)

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Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 3 7/13/8

LOCATION WOODSTOCK

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): ERNIE REED

Record of Comments:

AT ONE TIME BIG SCHLOSS WAS THE LARGEST INTACT, UNFRAGMENTED ROADLESS AREAS IN THE EAST. FOREST SERVICE PROJECTS HAVE FRAGMENTED IT INTO SMALLER AREAS. THE REMAINING AREAS COULD BE RECONNECTED AND RESTORED.

THE LARGEST UNFRAGMENTED AREAS POSSIBLE NECESSARY WITH MAXIMUM INTACT FOREST COVER IS NECESSARY FOR TEMPERATURE STABILIZATION FOR WATER, EARTH & AIR. WITH WARMING CLIMATES & INVASIVES INTRUSIONS & AND POSSIBILITY FOR MIGRATION OF SPECIES (PLANT + ANIMAL) THE LARGER THE BETTER.

ALL UNINVENTORIED BUT QUALIFYING ROADLESS AREAS SHOULD BE RECOGNIZED AS SUCH AND PROTECTED AS SUCH.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

TELL THE PUBLIC THAT FIRES CAN BE FOUGHT BY ANY MEANS AS NECESSARY IN WILDERNESS AREAS.

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7/14/08
LOCATION Woodstock, VA

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

- Increased Law Enforcement - ◎ non profit organizations have contributed to improvements to parking lots - then were vandalized & damaged makes our contributions pointless.

- Keep horse trails open
- Improve horse trailer parking lots

- Need trash containers

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7/14/08

LOCATION ~~Woodstock~~ Va

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Barbara Platt

Record of Comments:

I would like to expand the wilderness area around Wolf Gap. Reduce the overall ATV & motorized usage thru out the forest. Work to improve water quality. Restrict bear hunting with dogs

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 14 July 08
LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

Campers along Little Stoney Creek — trash, refuse, ede — left along creek/campsites — since no permits needed there is no record of persons who are leaving site. Local neighbors/citizens of National Forest often clean up sites — most of which are right along banks of streams — Not set back the required distance!

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE _____

LOCATION _____

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments: Acquire Inholdings 1 (at any cost)

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 7/14/08
LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

To Change: add uninventoried roadless areas to roadless inventory
: do not add a mgt. prescription for industrial wind development
: add more wilderness areas
: add more hiking trails
: reduce large-scale burning to smaller scale

To Keep: current level of timbering, no higher

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 14 July 2008
LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Rick Rhoades

Record of Comments:

I maintain an open mind at this point re windmills.

I am unconvinced at this point that "Wilderness" designation is valuable - vs the encumbrances it places on multiuse.

I would hope that the FS adds the apparently "ad hoc" Strickler Knob Trail to its official inventory.

I support Forest multi-use, however with severe limitations to road building and vehicle use. (incl ATV's)

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7/1/08

LOCATION WOODSTOCK

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): COTTMAN

Record of Comments:

NO MORE WILDERNESS, NO MORE ROADLESS AREAS, IF INVENTORY ROADLESS USE THE STRICT LETTER OF THE RULE. A ROAD IS A ROAD IF IT IS A ROAD.

INCREASE EARLY SUCCESSIONAL ACREAGE FOR GROUSE.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 7/14/08
LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Mary Gessner

Record of Comments:

Improve grazing management to protect water quality - Keep cattle out of the streams and rivers.

Protect water quality in headwaters areas, especially.

Manage forest for water quality and wildlife habitat first and consider other (human uses) secondarily.

No net loss of existing wildlife habitat
No degradation to existing water quality.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE _____

LOCATION _____

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

MAPS – Need More info them.

Need TI Maps

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DATE _____

LOCATION _____

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Kevin Rogers

Record of Comments:

Better Educational programs for the Multi-Use trails involving "Non Motorized" and "Motorized" trail systems with more emphasis on User-Group Involvement for the Better Management of these trails. "User Group" Involvement will help provide much needed "Volunteer" time + labor helping offset the Forest Service's Limited Budget

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7/14/08

LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): DAVID CARR

Record of Comments:

- Recommend Big Schloss & Southern Massanutten roadless areas for National Scenic Area
- Inventory old growth & protect it
- Designate Great North Mountain unsuitable for wind turbines
  Designate Shen mtn unsuitable for wind turbines
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Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE JULY 14, 2008
LOCATION WOODSTOCK, VA

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

PLEASE NO INDUSTRIAL WIND TURBINES on PUBLIC LANDS

NOISE
SIGHT
LIGHT
> impact on quality of forest life AS WELL AS SURROUNDING COMMUNITIES

Proposed ~~project~~ sites in Bald Eagle (& golden) habitat area (Kinsey Run/Church Mtn.)
FRAGMENTATION of forest/ridgetop lands

Please preserve these precious acres of forest lands for recreational use as opposed to industrial use.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7/14/2008
LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

The Forest Plan should protect water quality in the North Fork watershed - strong measures.

We hope for lots of public comment opportunity as the USFS develops criteria for designation of areas suitable for wind energy.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

102 Koontz St
Edinburg, VA 22824

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Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7/14/08

LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

More timber harvest.

Timber Age Class keep increasing faster than harvest can occur.

Cutting timber specific to the industry,

- if cutting grade timber, cut grade
- not mixing good timber with low grade timber.

Allowing more roads to be built without the high cost, Roads can be built without making road cost higher than timber value.

- Less roadless areas
  - limits timber harvest
  - limits ability to fight fire

More selective harvest

- Allow windmills to be built to create Careers energy

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 14 JULY

LOCATION WOODSTOCK, VA

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): JIM COWGILL

Record of Comments: 1. INCREASED OHV and MULTI-USER RECREATIONAL TRAIL MILEAGE BY A COOPERATING ARRANGEMENTS WITH LOCAL GROUPS.

B. AGGRESSIVE APPLICATION FOR TRAIL BUILDING FUNDS FROM FUEL TAXES.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 7/14/08
LOCATION Peter Muhlenberg
Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Lee Dieter

Record of Comments:

No Motorized Vehicles (A.T.V's) on Three Mile Mt

No Windmills on North Mountain
Big Schloss South to Bayse

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 14 July 05
LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Jim Murray

Record of Comments:

There is at present no designated wilderness on the Lee District. Please consider recommending some wilderness around Big Schloss, such as Three High Heads on Stony Creek.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7/14/2008
LOCATION WOODSTOCK

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Steve Shipe

Record of Comments: There should be management areas. There should be more special biological and geological ~~biological~~ areas: Little Stony Creek - Rig Schloss should be a special biological area.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7/12/18

LOCATION WOODSTOCK

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): ERNIE REED

Record of Comments:

THERE ARE AREAS IN THE BIG SCHLOSS AREA WHICH ARE ROADLESS AREAS BUT ARE UNINVENTORIED AS SUCH BUT FULFILL ALL THE REQUIREMENTS.

TERMINOLOGY "ROADLESS" IS A TERM WITH A SPECIFIC DEFINITION, ~~AREA~~ DETERMINED BY LEGISLATIVE STATUTE & SHOULD BE USED AS SUCH IN THE PLAN.

ALSO STATE & FEDERAL COORDINATION WITH RESPECT TO SPECIAL BIOLOGICAL AREAS (D.N.R. & F.S. ALL STATE SPECIAL BIOLOGICAL AREAS SHOULD HAVE IDENTICAL PLAN DESIGNATION.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7/14/08
LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Susan Walls

Record of Comments:

Concerned about the possibility of 900+ acres of forest and wildlife habitat being destroyed if proposal for wind turbines is approved. Also, resulting erosion and its effect on the watershed and endangered (as well as other) wildlife. Shenandoah county forest is no less important than Rockingham Co.* The natural gas pipeline already traverses North Mtn. in the same area. Bald flies through this area regularly. There must be a better location with better wind.

* Rockingham Co has already discarded Wind Turbine

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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Place-Based Need for Change

DATE July 14 2008
LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): [signature]

Record of Comments:

There are so many different groups and populations that use these public lands — wind farms on these lands will add yet another pressure, another use. Wind farms should be prohibited on these public lands! They will require acres and acres of new roads, and cleared ~~lands~~ areas in the most sensitive areas - the ridgetops. Wilderness areas should be preserved. Wind mills already receive 60% tax subsidies. There's no reason why we should provide a double subsidy by letting these industrial interests build on public lands. Keep wind mills out of these public lands.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7/14/06
LOCATION WOODSTOCK, VA.

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): JOHN H. EASTO

Record of Comments: It seems to me that Freedom Works LLC is trying to take a "back door" approach to get into the GWNF. I do not want any area of G.W.N.F. used for wind turbines.

This Freedom Works organization applied for an FAA permit to build turbines along the ridge line of Shenandoah Mtn.

How can the FAA issue a permit to destroy hundreds ~~for~~ of acres of national forest land.

What Federal Agency ~~made~~ maker the decision as to how the GWNF is to be used? Who ??

JOHN H. EASTO - 540 459-7348
449 FAIRVIEW CIRCLE
WOODSTOCK VA. 22664

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change
DATE 7/14/18
LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Charlie Moore

Record of Comments:

(1) Great North Mountain Should be preserved for Area 14 - 15 Type designations - undisturbed wildlife habitat non motorized trails - Horse, Bike, Hike etc.

(2.) Keep designation areas - clarity of designations reduces future mistaking intent

(3.) No windmills in such natural areas.

These forests are close to rapidly expanding urban areas and will likely be increasingly valuable "islands" in an urban mosaic.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 7/14/08
LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Lester B. Temour
540 771-8510

Record of Comments:

Concerned about public Access locations being closed due To Too little law enforcement OR The Forest Service Allowing A landowner To close A legitimate Access Road without any justification.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE Woodstock
LOCATION July 14 08

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Kenneth Moore

Record of Comments:

@ Its very important to the ORV / ATV group to secure access to the land and points of entry. @ I would like to see a limited trail on the western section. Please let us know of any problems and let our organized groups work on a sultion to the problems instead of closing access that we have now.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE 7/19/2008
LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Bill Melson

Record of Comments:

More info on what special attractions there are along trails: Unusual tree stands, geological outcrops, plants, topography and so; aimed at deepening appreciation of National Forests & natural history in general.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 7/14
LOCATION Lead Stock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Alan Steiner

Record of Comments:

- Preserve Existing Road / Fire road Access To OHV Traffic

- Open new OHV/ATV Designated Trails on The Appalachian (Western Side of valley) Mts.

- Educate ATV/OHV Users To proper roads & Trails To ride & ~~Use~~ Proper Usage Behaviour.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

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DATE _____

LOCATION _____

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

Would like to see more done for wildlife better hunting & fishing.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
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DATE 14 July 2008
LOCATION GW Forest 7

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): Joe Scala

Record of Comments:

Do not put Any Wind Turbines on National Forest Land.

Why is the forest Service consider

Post Requests from Business for Use of National Forest on Web Site.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE July 14, 2008
LOCATION WOODSTOCK

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): MEREDITH SINE

Record of Comments: PRIVATE WINDFARMS ARE NOT TO BE ALLOWED ON NAT. FOREST LAND

ALL E-MAILS, LETTERS ETC FROM ELECTED OFFICIALS ARE TO BE POSTED ON FOREST SERVICE WEBSITE.

NEED MORE RESEEDING IN THE STONEY CREEK AREA.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

Amount of funds paid to Shen Co. in Lieu of LAND TAXES.

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE 5/15/08

LOCATION Woodstock

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

Overall, I am very disappointed on the group focusing on the wind-farm proposals.

I believe the current plan has done a fair job.

Area labeled # 1 on map should be looked at as an wilderness area. By being one of the most secluded areas it would be a fine candidate.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE _____

LOCATION _____

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): David Duke Page Valley Cycling

Record of Comments:

Big Schloss - want to ensure cyclist will be able to continue to have access

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings:

George Washington National Forest Plan Revision Workshop
Place-Based Need for Change

DATE _____

LOCATION _____

If you want to tie your comment to a special place on the maps, please put a number on the map and reference the number in your comments below.

Your Name (Optional): _____

Record of Comments:

ATV's Crossing Rt 675 is dangerous and UN controled
ATV's should be eliminated South of Rt 675
No additional ATV Trails should be opened Anywhere.

Additional Information Needs for Future Meetings: