

SRI Master Stewardship Agreement Project – Region 9

Sustainable Resources Institute, Inc.

Sustainable Forestry Conference 2015

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SRI, WI Corp.

- SRI is and always has been a Wisconsin Corporation

WEDC – CNNF Project

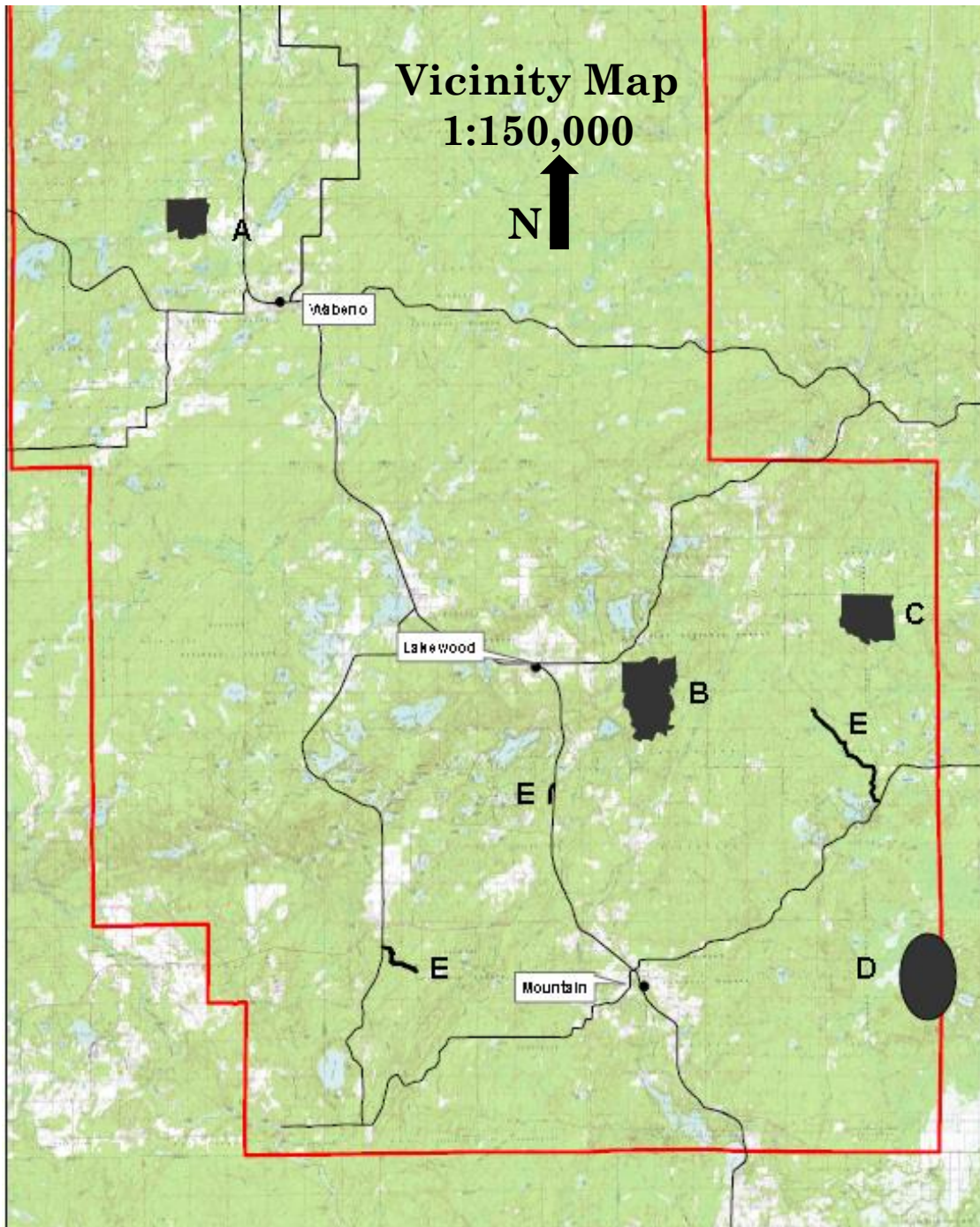
- WEDC contacted Grow North about initiating stewardship project with CNNF, Grow North declined March, 2014.

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Master Stewardship Agreement
between the
Sustainable Resources Institute, Inc.
and the
USDA Forest Service – Region 9
March, 2014

SPA 1 Service Item Locations



Activity	Area
Canopy gap cleaning/ Aspen regeneration	A
LaFave Rd culvert replacement	C
Tree marking contracts	D
West Butler Rock Rd upgrade	D
ATV trail maintenance	E

SPA 1 Progress

	Contract Executed	Work Completed
SPA	Sept. 2014	Sept. 2016
Timber Sale	Nov. 2014	Dec. 2016
Timber Marking	Dec. 2014	Nov. 2015
Road Reconstruction	Jan. 2015	June 2016
Culvert Replacement	March 2015	June 2016
ATV Trail	Bid out April 2015	Sept. 2016

SPA 1 Progress

	Activity	Status
Goods Timber Sale Timber Harvest	224 total acres of timber harvest	27 acres of harvest is complete.

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	Activity	Status
Goods Timber Sale Service Work	2.08 miles of road reconstruction	Under contract
	74 acres of aspen regeneration	In progress (26 acres complete)
	139 acres of hardwood regeneration	Under contract

SPA 1 Progress

	Activity	Status
Additional Service Work	735 acres of timber marking	Under contract
	3.10 miles of road reconstruction	Under contract
	1 stream crossing culvert replacement	Under contract
	3.58 miles of ATV Trail reconstruction	Going out for bids

SPA 2

- Timeline: In place by 9/30/15 for five years.
- Two “Goods” sales: One east, one west
- Service work: Multiple counties, focus on vegetative management

CNNF Goals for Accomplishing Stewardship Service Work

- Utilize local workforce
- Establish long term working relationships
- Accomplish more work

Beyond SPA 2

- What is the long term forecast for SRI and CNNF?

Florence County
Master Stewardship
Agreement

Good Neighbor Authority

- Matching is not a requirement.
- 25% of income and trust funds are paid back to the federal treasury, the rest of the receipts may be used on the project it was earned on.
- Allows timber receipts to fund restoration work.
- Prescriptions and NEPA must follow federal rules but procurement and contracting can be state procedures.
- A state can use a county or other entity as a subcontractor.

Questions?