

Cherokee National Forest Landscape Restoration Initiative

Paint Creek Watershed Team

Site Assessment Survey

Site Number (date and chronological order)	9.19.12 Site 2
FS Veg Compartment and Stand Number	Comp. 215 Stand 46
Approximate Elevation	Approximately 23-2400
Slope	Ridgetop to draw
Aspect	Northeast
What is the current Ecological system present at the site?	Upland Hardwoods on ridge that had been cut relatively recently. The rest seemed to be in a riparian area with Hemlocks dominating the overstory.
What does FS Veg say is the current Forest Type?	Stand 46: Cove hardwoods/White Pine 1913
What did Steve Simon's model predict would be at the site?	N/A
Is the site in a desired condition? Could it be improved? What S-Class or System would we like to move it toward?	Ridge is currently regenerating in Oak. Riparian area is in a characteristic condition.
What treatment options could be used to do that? How many entries?	N/A
How many of those treatments could be done commercially?	N/A
Would there be a need for additional funding to complete treatments at this site?	N/A
Does this site provide an opportunity to demonstrate a restoration treatment or condition that is better than other locations in the watershed? On the north end of the Forest?	No.
Additional Comments/Discussion Points or unanswered questions.	We did not view the upper portion of this stand. There may be opportunities there that we did not see in the portions we walked through.

Please paste photos below.

