

Cherokee National Forest Landscape Restoration Initiative

Paint Creek Watershed Team

Site Assessment Survey

Site Number (date and chronological order)	9.19.12 Site 4
FS Veg Compartment and Stand Number	Comp. 217 Stand 10
Approximate Elevation	Approximately 23-2400
Slope	Stand goes from drain to ridgetop
Aspect	East facing slope
What is the current Ecological system present at the site?	White Pine/Cove hardwood White Pine is likely overabundant at this location
What does FS Veg say is the current Forest Type?	White Pine/Cove hardwood 1916
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?	White Pine is likely overabundant at this location. Could be moved toward Oaks and other diverse cove mix of species
What treatment options could be used to do that? How many entries?	thinning
How many of those treatments could be done commercially?	Yes
Would there be a need for additional funding to complete treatments at this site?	No
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?	Not especially. But, this stand will likely convert to more White Pine without treatment.
Additional Comments/Discussion Points or unanswered questions.	

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