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It would be nice to have an updated JD. Also, they treated for tallow in 2012, and submitted an adaptive management plan for pine in 2014. We need to know if the treatments worked and what the resulting tree survivorship is (along with % hard to soft mast ratios). A four-year-old monitoring report isn't sufficient to get an idea of what the site looks like.
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As you have now read in the previous attachments the Sponsor feels he has sent all of the information that we have requested, to use for our review, in previous packages/reports/responses/etc. So I have looked through the correspondence and the BI and the rest of the file to come up with the best assemblage of drawings that we could use but this assemblage is still lacking in order for us to answer certain questions. The following are some of the questions or thoughts that I have.

1. To calculate the acreage that surrounds the fence and is cleared we would need to know the width of the area from the fence to the end of the cleared area.

2. He gives different acreages for the planting acres as you can see and I have itemized in my chart. I feel these acreages need to be confirmed. What are we looking at now?

3. Same as number 2 for the ponds, food plots, roads.

4. I think we should have the dimensions for the roadways, food plots and ponds to be able to verify any acreage that may be provided for these.

5. There are no cross sections showing the level of roads, ponds, food plots, fence line etc.

6. Have any culverts been installed or any other hydrologic manipulation incorporated in the ponds in conjunction with the bank?

Please let me know what kind of information you believe we are lacking to evaluate the bank in its present state.

I will be e-mailing the monitoring report also so that you won't have to look it up.

If you could get back to me within 10 days that would be great. (Fri. 8-19).

Thanks

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Have patience. Worthwhile work takes time.