

## CONCEPTUAL MANAGEMENT PLAN #19

### LAKESWOOD ROAD LOTS

**LOCATION:** Madison (Town Map 4 Lots 20 & 22), east side of Lakewood Road (Route 201), north & south sides of Reed Road. North lot (Lot 20) is 14.5 acres. South lot (Lot 22) is 13.3 acres. Parcel #19 on SWT map.

**SIZE:** 27.80 acres (including land taken by MDOT for construction project).

**LAND COVER:** Mixed woods; more softwoods on north lot than on south.

#### FEATURES/PUBLIC VALUES:

1. IF&W mapped Deer Wintering Area (DWA #060113) shown on portions of both lots.
2. Scenic resource as viewed from Route 201 and Yonder Hill Campground.
3. Wood lot.
4. Remnants of former human activities on south lot.
5. Has resources identified on three IF&W Beginning with Habitat maps ((High Value Plant & Animal Habitats; Undeveloped Habitat Block; Large Area of Interior Forest).
6. Used by public to gather dropped antlers.

#### FOCUS SPECIES:

1. None at present.

#### CONCERNS:

1. Strip development along Route 201.
2. Traffic noise.
3. No signs identifying SWT as owner.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Accomplish any harvesting so as to protect/enhance DWA and scenic values.
2. Monitor to document use as DWA.
3. Use white-tailed deer as Focus Species.
4. Do not allow significant disturbance of the ground without prior review and approval by the Maine Historic Preservation Commission or other accepted archaeological (prehistoric/historic) authority.
5. Advise State natural and cultural resource agencies, such as MNAP, IF&W, and MHPC, of the location of this and other SWT properties and invite them to review and provide comments and recommendations regarding them.
6. Put up signs identifying SWT as owner.

