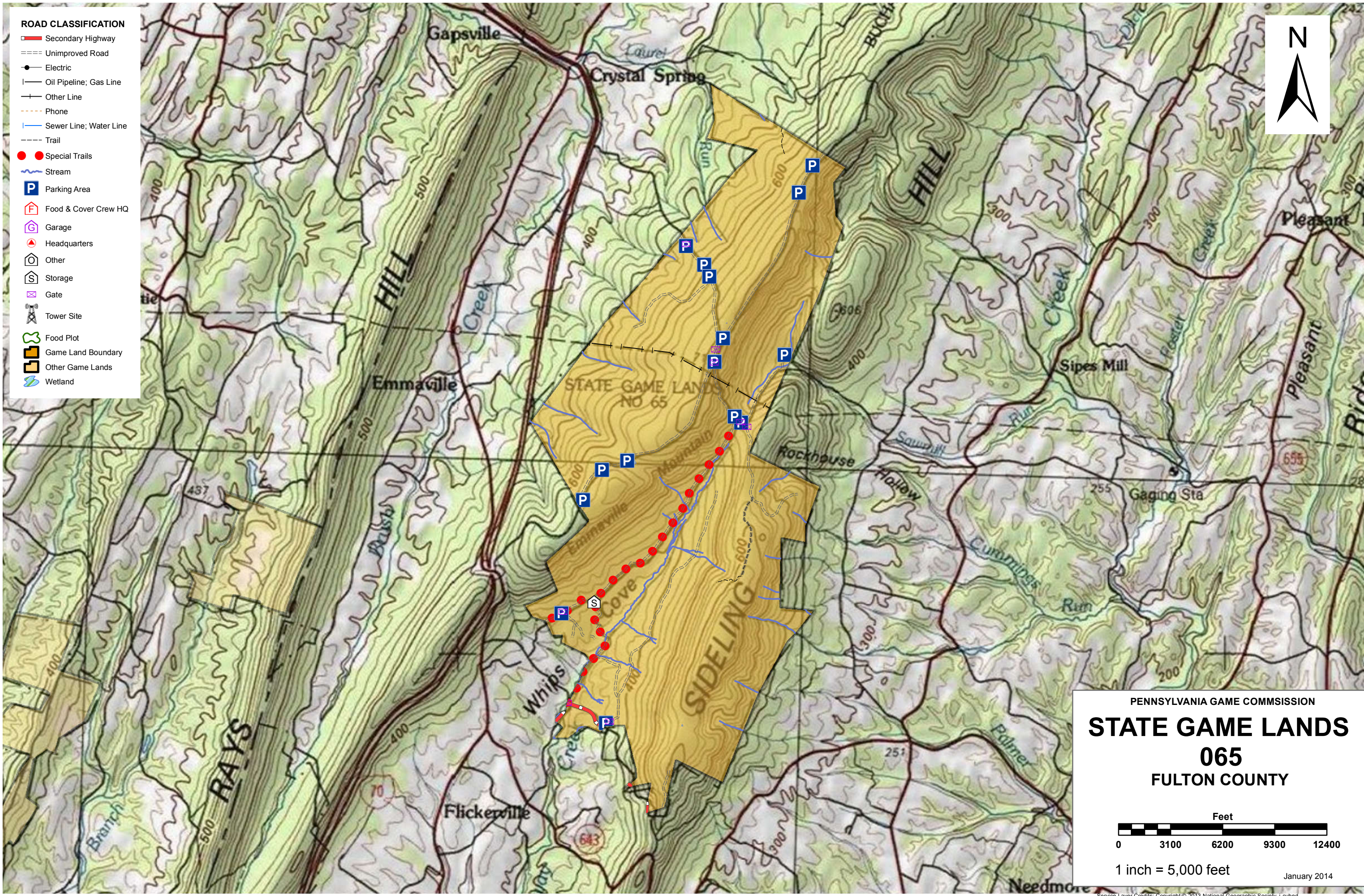


- ROAD CLASSIFICATION**
- Secondary Highway
 - Unimproved Road
 - Electric
 - Oil Pipeline; Gas Line
 - Other Line
 - Phone
 - Sewer Line; Water Line
 - Trail
 - Special Trails
 - Stream
 - Parking Area
 - Food & Cover Crew HQ
 - Garage
 - Headquarters
 - Other
 - Storage
 - Gate
 - Tower Site
 - Food Plot
 - Game Land Boundary
 - Other Game Lands
 - Wetland



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FULTON COUNTY

Feet

0 3100 6200 9300 12400

1 inch = 5,000 feet

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SPORTSMEN'S RECREATION MAP



STATE GAME LANDS No. 065 FULTON COUNTY

Each time a hunter buys a hunting license, the money he spends goes toward many facets of wildlife management. Since 1920, close to a million and a half acres of State Game Lands have been acquired with these funds. Each year nearly \$7,000,000 is spent to improve wildlife habitat. Habitat improvements enhance living conditions for non-game birds and mammals as well as those species which are hunted. Pennsylvania hunters willingly share these lands with the non-hunting public, and with few exceptions, State Game Lands are open for general use year round. Surveys indicate that hunting accounts for only thirty-five percent of game land usage. The remaining sixty-five percent is used by the general public for non-hunting purposes.

“Working Together for Wildlife” is a Game Commission program providing everyone an opportunity to help support wildlife management in the areas for endangered and non-game animals. Monies derived from the “Working Together for Wildlife” Program are being used in Pennsylvania to re-introduce the osprey, river otter, bald eagle, peregrine falcon and provide habitat for other birds and mammals indigenous to the Commonwealth. Construction placement of blue bird houses on State Game Lands provides needed homes for this beautiful songbird. Islands in the Susquehanna River have been set aside as propagations areas for non-game shore birds. Numerous other projects are planned on State Game Lands and other public properties which will also provide food and habitat for non-game wildlife.

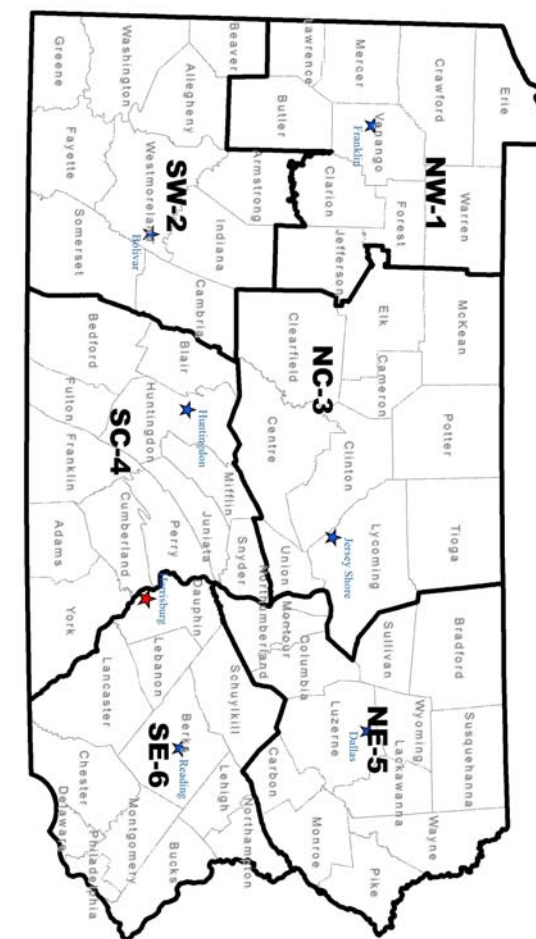
The future of Pennsylvania’s wildlife resources requires the concern, cooperation and financial support of everyone, hunters and non-hunters alike. “Working Together for Wildlife” is the answer. Send your contributions to “Working Together for Wildlife”, 2001 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17110-9797.

State Game Lands (SGL) 065 consists of 6,000.71 acres in 1 tract in Brush Creek and Belfast townships in west-central Fulton County. The Game Lands is situated on Sideling Hill and Emmaville Mountain, adjacent to Buchanan State Forest. Elevations range from 1,000 feet above mean sea level along Whips Cove Run in compartment 5 to 2,362 feet atop Emmaville Mountain.

SGL 065 is located entirely within wildlife management unit (WMU) 4A and receives considerable hunting pressure. The forested and mountainous nature of SGL 065 provides primarily deer, bear, and turkey hunting. Squirrels and grouse also are commonly hunted. Predator hunting and trapping pressure is minimal, but some furtaking does occur. Either-sex stocked pheasant hunting is available in managed openings. Bird watching for species common to oak-hickory and other deciduous forests, fruit gathering, and mushroom hunting are permitted. One horse-bike route totaling 4.1 miles is situated on existing SGL 065 roads.

Bark Road, a public right-of-way (ROW) maintained by the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR), provides all-year public access across the top of Emmaville Mountain in compartments 1-4. Boorman Road East originates at the intersection with Bark Road on the top of Emmaville Mountain and runs down the east side of the mountain to the SGL boundary in Daves Gap. Boorman Road West originates at the intersection with Bark Road and runs west to the SGL boundary. Boorman Roads East and West are gated and open seasonally to public travel. Vehicular access to the southern portions of compartments 4 and 5 is possible from Stone Valley Lane and Plessinger Road. A 0.6-mile PGC ROW provides access from Plessinger Road to the Game Lands via Stone Valley Lane. An additional 9.3 miles of administrative roads closed to motorized travel provide foot access to most compartments. The Barton and Fire Line Trails provide an additional 1.3 miles of foot-only access. One horse-bike route totaling 4.1 miles is situated on existing SGL 065 roads. SGL 065 also is accessible to the public (foot traffic only) through an adjoining property enrolled in the PGC Public Access program. This property is located along Pleasant Grove Road.

SGL 065 will be managed for mixed successional conditions, focusing on forest habitat with dispersed herbaceous wildlife openings and shrublands. Elements of early-, mid-, and latesuccessional deciduous forest on the Game Lands will maintain habitat diversity and benefit a variety of wildlife by providing foraging, thermal, breeding, nesting, and escape cover for forest generalists (white-tailed deer, wild turkey, squirrels), resident songbirds, ruffed grouse, wild turkey, neotropical migrants of conservation concern (specifically cerulean warbler, Louisiana waterthrush, scarlet tanager, wood thrush, and worm-eating warbler), and other game and nongame species.



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4820 ROUTE 711, BOULCAR, PA 15923
- 3 NORTHCENTRAL REGIONAL HEADQUARTERS
1566 S ROUTE 44 HWY, JERSEY SHORE, PA 17740
- 4 SOUTHCENTRAL REGIONAL HEADQUARTERS
8627 WILLIAM PENN HWY, HUNTINGDON, PA 16652
- 5 NORTHEAST REGIONAL HEADQUARTERS
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