State Game Lands (SGL) 127 is located in the Pennsylvania Game Commission’s Northeast Region. It is in the north-west corner of Monroe County and lies in Coolbaugh and Tobyhanna Townships. State Game Lands 127 encompasses much of the land area north of SR 940, west of I-380, and south of the Lehigh River. The large tract is transected by SR 423. It is predominately forested with mixed hardwoods including sugar maple, red maple, American beech, black cherry, with lesser components of hemlock, black birch, grey birch, and aspen. Topography consists of slightly undulating upland terrain with elevations ranging from 1,700 to 2,000 feet.

There are two PGC roads open to public travel on SGL 127. Brady’s Lake Road travels north from 940 to a high use parking area at the Brady’s Lake dam. The portion of Plank Road south of the Lehigh River, within the SGL boundary is also currently open to public use. 7-Mile Road, which travels north from SR 423 to Coolbaugh Road, is open to the public during major hunting seasons. Additionally, state routes 423 and 380 provide year user access. There are 55 vehicle parking areas along these access routes. Compartment 7 can be accessed from SR 423 and Echo Lake Road, but no maintained parking areas exist on the tract.

State Game Lands 127 is located in Wildlife Management Unit 3D. Hunting opportunities include white-tailed deer, bear, turkey, grouse, and snowshoe hare. Stocking of ringneck pheasants occurs during the youth and small game seasons, and provides limited opportunities for hunting. Ringneck pheasants are stocked in areas of the old Rausher farmstead, and the backside of Brady’s Lake. Furtaking opportunities include beaver, raccoon, gray fox, coyote, and mink. The size of this game lands provides unique opportunities to remotely hunt and trap with little human contact.

In addition to hunting and furtaking. The rifle range is a very popular place for vacationers visiting the Pocono Region. In the past there have been cross country skiing trails located between Brady’s Lake Rd and 7 Mile Rd that a local club maintained annually. Many of the wetlands provide abundant blueberry crops during the summer months. Overall, this Game Lands provides lots of recreational opportunities, with its many interior roads, trails, and wetlands it has become a very popular place for people to spend free time. There is a handicap ATV access near Brady’s Lake available during the hunting seasons.