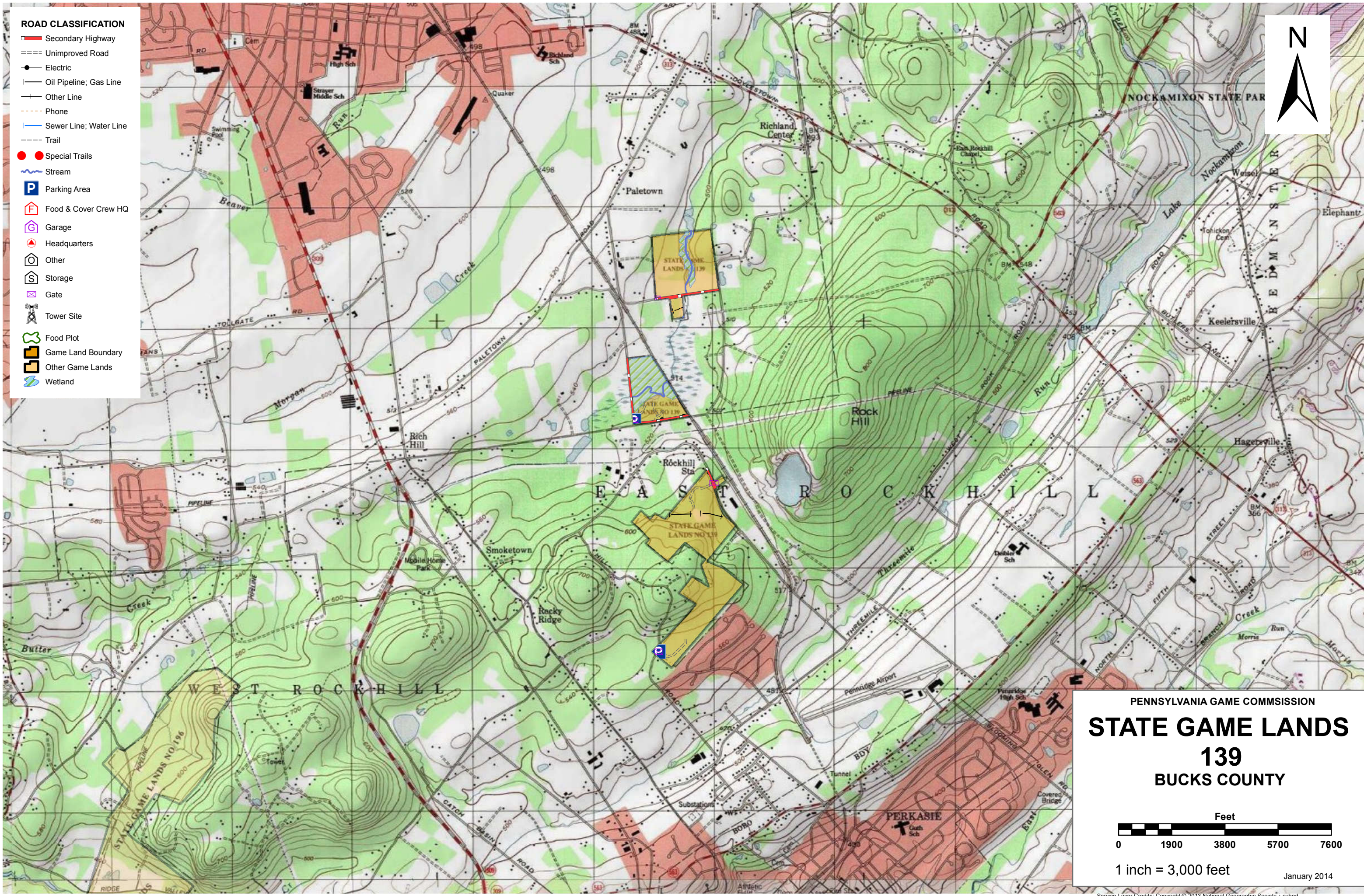
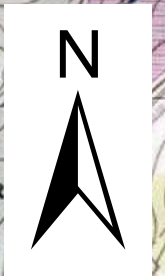


- ROAD CLASSIFICATION**
- Secondary Highway
  - Unimproved Road
  - Electric
  - Oil Pipeline; Gas Line
  - Other Line
  - Phone
  - Sewer Line; Water Line
  - Trail
  - Special Trails
  - Stream
  - Parking Area
  - Food & Cover Crew HQ
  - Garage
  - Headquarters
  - Other
  - Storage
  - Gate
  -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



PENNSYLVANIA GAME COMMISSION

# STATE GAME LANDS

## 139

### BUCKS COUNTY

Feet

0    1900    3800    5700    7600

1 inch = 3,000 feet

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# SPORTSMEN'S RECREATION MAP



## STATE GAME LANDS No. 139 BUCKS 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.

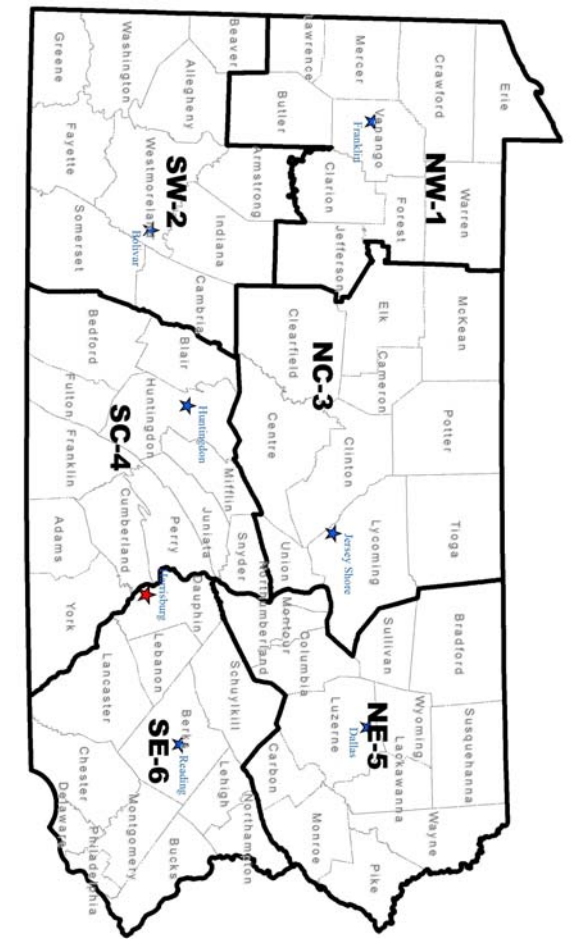
The future of Pennsylvania’s wildlife resources requires the concern, cooperation and financial support of everyone, hunters and non-hunters alike. “Working Together for Wildlife” is the answer. Send your contributions to “Working Together for Wildlife”, 2001 Elmerton Avenue, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania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

State Game Land (SGL) 139, which totals 265 deeded acres, is located in Richland and East Rockhill Townships, Bucks County. It is in the Pennsylvania Game Commission's (PGC) Southeast Region and located entirely in WMU 5C. Three tracts make up the Game Land. The northern tract (72 acres), the middle tract (46 acres), and the southern tract (137 acres) combine to create SGL 139. State Game Land 139 is 16 air miles Southeast of Allentown and 29 air miles northwest of Philadelphia.

State Game Land 139 is a uniquely diverse area containing wetlands, upland forests, and food plots. It consists of Quakertown Swamp and an upland section south of the swamp. Topography varies from rocky ridges to flat swamps and wetlands. The highest elevation of about 680 feet is found in the middle portion of the southern tract. The lowest elevation of 500 feet is found along Tohickon Creek in the northern portion of the northern tract. The area is used by a variety of game including deer, turkey, squirrel and waterfowl.

The Muskrat Road tract is the most heavily used section of SGL 139. It is a popular location with birdwatchers who hike the rail road that leads through the swamp. The other tracts are used to varying degrees with some hiking on the tracts that have administrative roads.

The goal for SGL 139 is to provide mixed successional forest habitat that maximizes deer hunting opportunities while maintaining the unique habitat qualities of the Quakertown Swamp.



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