

## SOUTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF NATURALISTS

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**Howdy SCANners!** 

I believe we are moving from winter into summer. That means we need to be thinking of heat, dehydration, and bugs (NOOO! to the biting bugs!) as well as the cool things we will be seeing on trips! (And that is my breadth and depth of meteorology; track down past-President Dave Schruetrum for real forecasts!) But warmer months bring the promise of increased biodiversity, so let's keep soodling and adding to our species list.

A quick reminder about the species list – SCAN's mission is to "gathering and sharing of natural history information about South Carolina". I want to emphasize that we should be recording and sending lists of what we observe to Kim McManus (Database Manager). With almost 50 years of data, I'm sure there are some fascinating records in there, and we need to keep up the good work. While we have a project in iNaturalist, we recognize that not all members want to take that leap into contributing data online. With changing weather patterns, we might end up observing species range changes or a species new to South Carolina. Not to mention, it is really exciting when you realize that you have just observed a rarely-seen red-butted fly (genus Zelia), a critter Kim and I spotted and recorded a few years ago (August 2020) at the Asbury Trail, Greenville County. While someone suggested an alternate species recently in iNaturalist, this genus is not your everyday fly.

While I will not be able to make this month's trip due to USC Union's graduation, I urge everyone who can make it to attend the newly accessible Arant property in Calhoun County. I will be sitting in the hot sun in a black robe and thinking about how much more fun it would be to be near the Congaree River in glorious April.

Keep soodling and wombling into May!

Lee Morris, President

#### TRIP SCHEDULE CHANGE!

### There's been two changes to our fall schedule for SCAN. So please correct your calendars!

We'll now be going to the <u>Clemson Experimental Forest in **October**</u> to get some more of the fall colors, late season wildflowers, tail end of fall bird migration, and streamside herps the area is known for. The Dewees Island trip didn't pan out, so we're now planning to head to <u>Nemours Wildlife Foundation in **December**</u>. We're still waiting on a final blessing from the folks at Nemours. So, the back-up will be the next-door Combahee Unit of the ACE Basin National Wildlife Refuge if Nemours has a conflict. If we're lucky, there may even be some early ducks at both!

Tom Austin, Secretary/Southern Regional Director



Green-and-Gold (Chrysogonum virginianum).



Fusiform Rust (Cronartium quercuum) on Loblolly Pine.



Fence-rail Cladonia (Cladonia parasitica).



Little-Brown-Jug (Asarum arifolium).



Northern Cricket Frog (Acris crepitans).



A cool perched pool in the creek.



Prostrate Blue Violet (Viola walteri).



Orange Jelly Spot (Dacrymyces chrysospermus).



Eastern Tailed-Blue (Cupido comyntas).



Red-headed Woodpecker (Melanerpes erythrocephalus).



Spotted Wakerobin (Trillium maculatum).



Quite the gully we found! (Scott for scale)

# **Fort Motte Cliffs (Arant Tract)**

Calhoun County, SC Saturday, April 27, 2023, 10:30 AM to ~4:00 PM

GPS Coordinates: 33.7542, -80.7009

Meet at the <u>Second</u> Congaree Bluffs Heritage Preserve Parking Area
On Turkey Track Lane (directly after making a left-hand turn toward the Education Center)

We will meet in the second parking lot for Congaree Bluffs HP and walk in from there. This is on Turkey Track Lane, Saint Matthews. GPS Coordinates are 33.7542, -80.7009. Tim Evans of Audubon South Carolina and Dick Watkins will be there for guidance.

In August 2023, Audubon South Carolina, Ducks Unlimited, and Friends of Congaree Swamp announced the permanent protection of 400 acres in the Fort Motte community of Calhoun County. This area of land is near the confluence of the Congaree and Wateree Rivers and has close to a mile of forested river frontage providing scenic views of Congaree National Park. It serves as an important migratory passageway for waterfowl and neotropical migrants.

Funding for the acquisition and conservation easement was made possible by a generous contribution by the landowner, Kam Arant, as well as a grant by the South Carolina Conservation Bank. This area of land has been owned by the Arant family since 1949 and permanent protection of it was very important to Kam Arant's late husband, Tom, and her late brother-in-law Sam Arant.

Audubon South Carolina intends to restore a portion of the property to longleaf pine and mixed xeric upland hardwood and shortleaf pine forests that would have once occurred there. They will continue to allow guided public access to the property with approval from Kam Arant for research and educational purposes, as well as an annual homecoming for African American families to visit ancestral homesites and cemeteries.

The timber on the Arant tract consists of five timber stands which all appear to be natural in origin. Some of the trees are 150-200 years old. Part of the property was farmed and the trees in those areas are much younger.

When walking on the property, we'll mainly be following old roadbeds covered with leaves. The black and white map (attached) shows the roadbeds. Watch for orange plastic ribbons tied to trees and branches to help you find your way. You might want to track your route. There are also areas where you can go down the cliff to the bottom.

Below is Tim Evans' description of each tract and the plans (in red) for each area. As you read the plans, refer to the "Fort Motte Cliffs Timber Type" map.

Kam Arant also provided the black and white map of the "roads" (trails) on this property as referenced above. It is included below after Tim's color timber maps and color Audubon map and just before the driving directions. The locations were added by Dave & Marty Kastner after "scouting" the tract with Tim and Dick Watkins. The GPS coordinates were recorded by Dave and should be fairly accurate.

Dave & Marty Kastner, Central Regional Directors

# Fort Motte Cliffs Forest Management Plan

Tim Evans, Audubon South Carolina

SC Registered Licensed Forester #1928

The timber on this property consists of five timber stands. All of the timber appears to be natural in origin (some small plantation blocks) and all of the timber is considered to be merchantable. The majority of the ground within the property is considered to be "all weather logging" meaning that logging activities can occur during wet times of the year. Generally, timber product prices are higher during wet times of the year so the timber on this property would command premium prices. The good logging conditions coupled with the excellent timber would result in peak of the market timber product prices.

There are several sawtimber mills that buy timber out of the area of this property. There are also two timber export yards that are within an easy haul from this property. The age and quality of the timber along with its size makes the timber on this property highly desirable for timber buying entities. For both pine and hardwood pulpwood there are two mills within hauling distance.

Stand 1 is about evenly divided between mature hardwoods and pines in terms of volume. This stand is found along the cliffs of the Congaree River as well as within the interior of the property. Pines are generally very tall with excellent quality timber. Hardwoods generally have excellent 1st and 2nd logs of high-quality wood. This stand is comprised of 135 acres and 100 sample points were recorded and used for volume calculation.

Stand 2 is associated with the pond within the property as well as the wet ground across the railroad tracks. This stand has a minimal amount of timber around the pond but no significant timber in the wet area.

Future management of Stands 1 and 2 will be restricted to salvage operations in the event of storm, disease or insect damage. Otherwise, they will be allowed to develop to old growth.

Stand 3 is a predominantly hardwood stand with scattered clumps of pines. This stand is found on the ridges of the property and is considered to have excellent ground conditions for timber harvesting. The hardwoods on this stand appears to be rather short and of lower quality as compared to the other timber stands on this tract. However, the large amount of hardwood pulpwood and the excellent logging conditions make this a valuable stand of timber. This stand is comprised of 109 acres and 116 sample points were recorded and used for volume calculation.

Future management will focus on creating early successional habitat through thinning and group selection harvest of low-grade hardwoods in hopes of regenerating the stand to a better species mixture while providing improved habitat. The timing of these silvicultural operations will be tied to the harvest of pine sawtimber on the adjacent stands. Stand 3 may be burned lightly on a long rotation but will not be subject to regular burning.

Stand 4 is a high ridge on the corner of the tract that is heavily stocked with large merchantable timber. This timber is a majority of loblolly and slash pines. These trees are very tall and appear to have excellent quality timber that is in high demand for dimensional lumber as well as for electrical poles. Ground conditions are considered to be excellent for logging. This stand is comprised of 11 acres and 15 sample points were recorded and used for volume calculation.

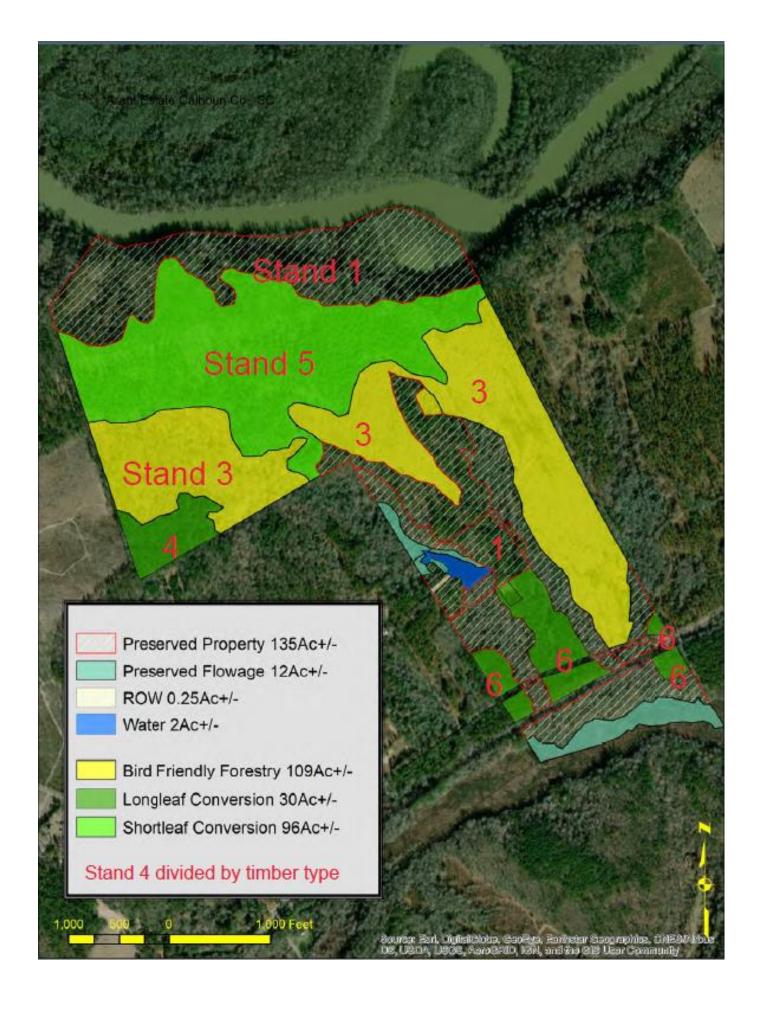
Future management of Stand 4 will be a longleaf pine restoration. The existing stand of Loblolly and slash pine will be harvested, the site prepped through herbicide application and prescribed fire and planted with containerized longleaf pine at 545 trees per acre. There will be a firebreak between Stand 4 and 5.

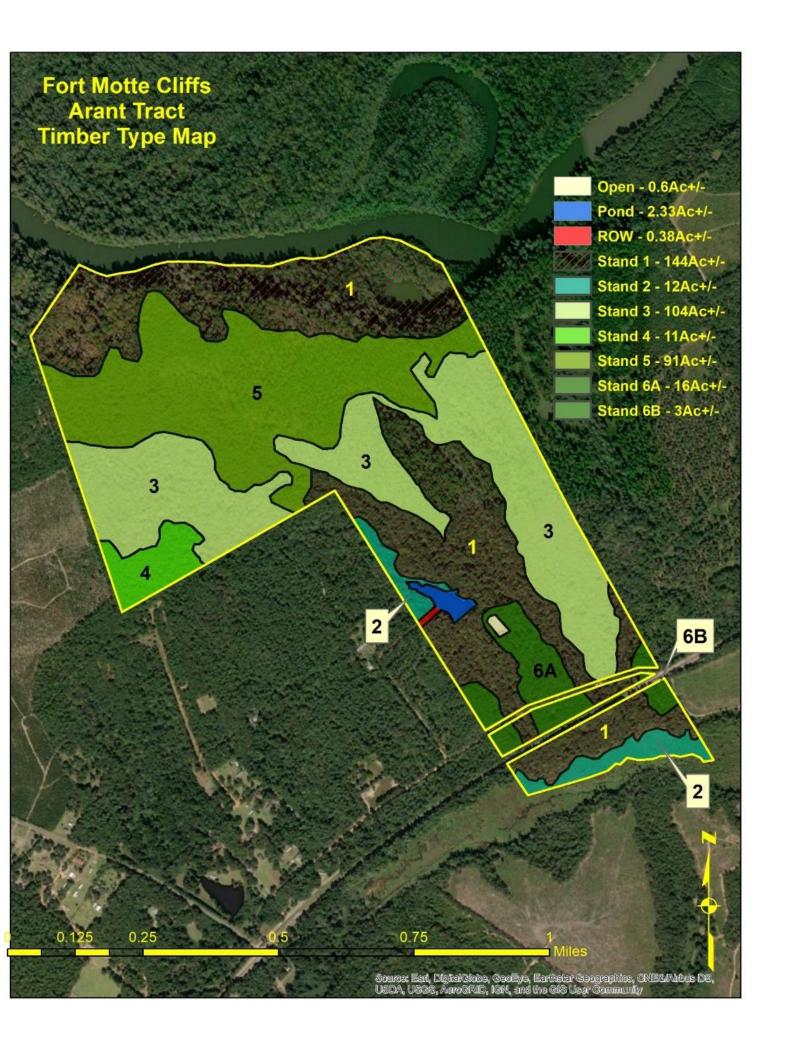
Stand 5 is a high ridge of land near to the cliffs. This stand is characterized by having a majority of pine timber on this stand. Of this timber, about half is shortleaf pines with rare quality of timber. Mostly these trees are tall and appear to have excellent quality fibers. The hardwood understory of this stand is comprised of various oaks with gums scattered within. This stand is comprised of 96 acres and 102 sample points were recorded and used for volume calculations.

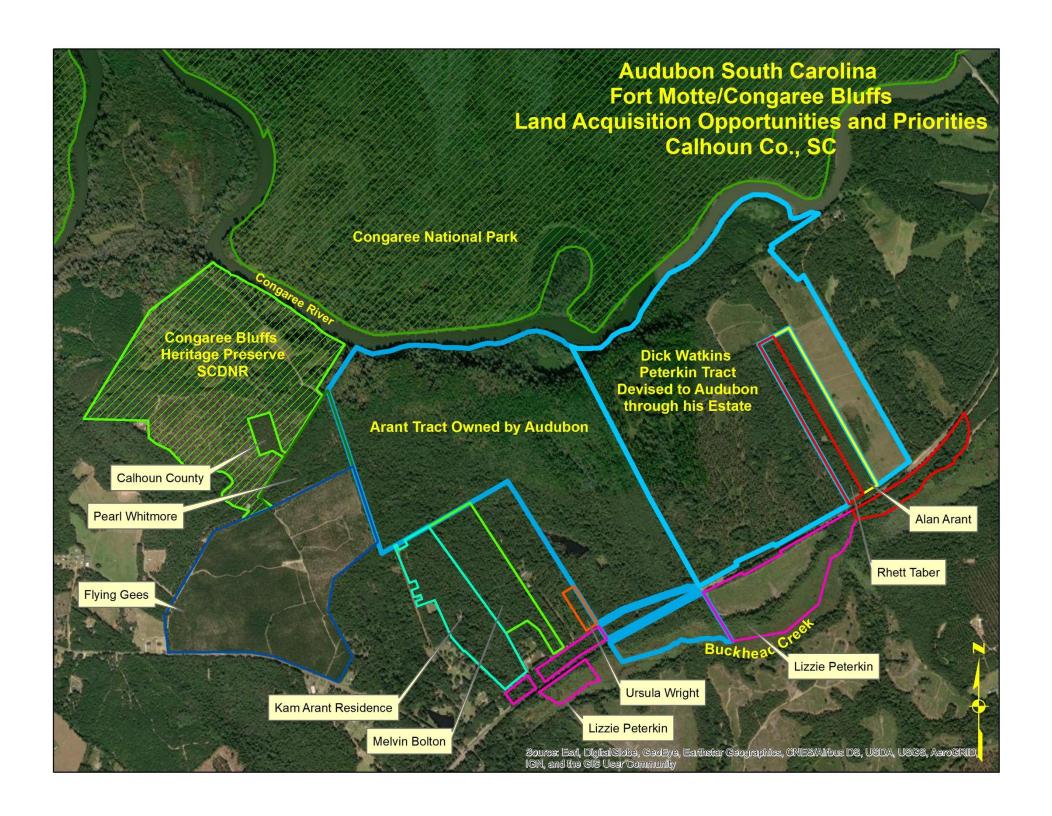
Future management of Stand 5 aims to restore much of the character seen along the bluffs, which give us a glimpse of the original forest condition. The stand will be harvested through a targeted selection of loblolly pine, slash pine, sweetgum, etc. Leaving a scattered stand of shortleaf pine, southern red oak, and hickories. This remaining stand will be site prepped and burned before being under planted with shortleaf pine seedlings. The stand will then be burned on a 5 year +/- rotation, mimicking natural conditions prior to it having been converted to agriculture. Firebreaks will be installed and maintained between all stands

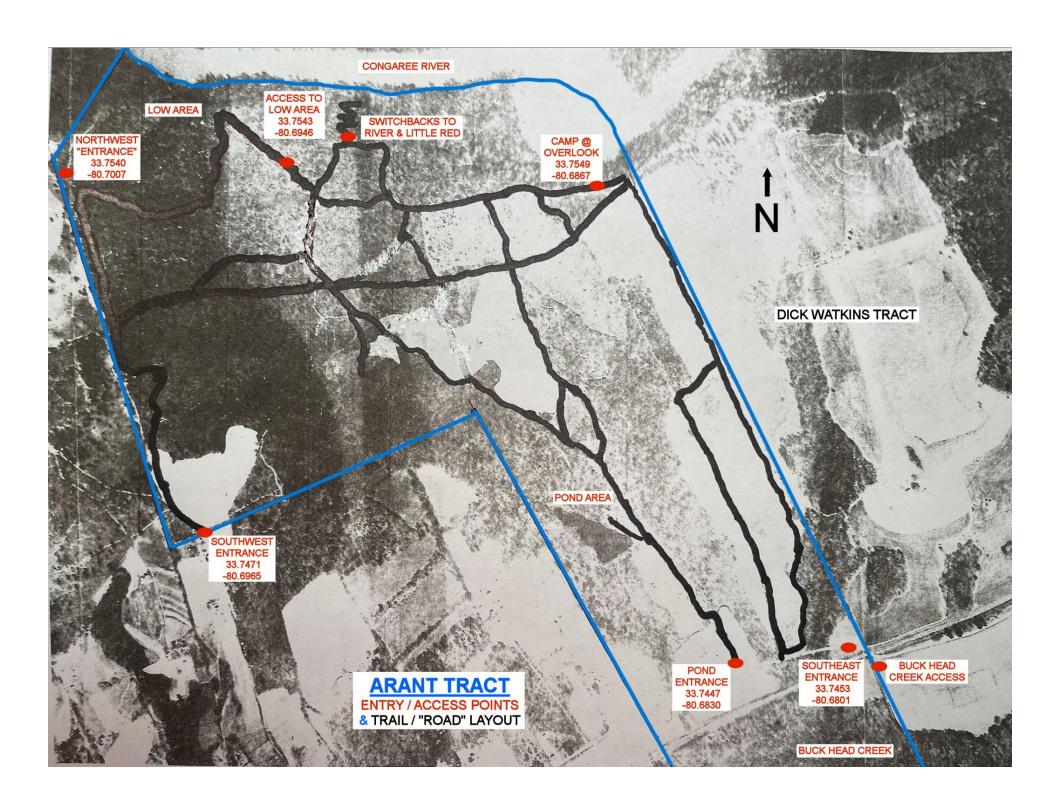
Stand 6 is found along Wise Road and is predominately loblolly pines. These pines are very tall and have good diameter. The overall quality of trees within this stand is less than the other trees on the tract. There were a lot of forked trees as well as crooked or lesser quality trees in this stand. However, this stand is densely stocked and is on excellent ground for logging. This stand is comprised of 20 acres and 15 sample points were recorded.

Future management of Stand 6 is to convert all of these to longleaf pine or, in the case of the two small easternmost parcels, bottomland hardwoods. Existing loblolly, slash and Virginia pines will be harvested, the site prepped through herbicide application and prescribed fire and planted with containerized longleaf pine at 545 trees per acre. There will be firebreaks around all longleaf plantings. The two small easternmost parcels will receive the same treatment but will be replanted to a bottomland hardwood mixture representative of the surrounding hardwood stand and will then be merged into Stand 1.









# **Directions to:** Congaree Bluffs Heritage Preserve Parking Area (per the SCDNR website)

The **location to meet** is the second parking lot on Turkey Track Lane (just after turning left).

Parking Area GPS Coordinates = Latitude 33.7542, Longitude -80.7009

### **General Directions:**

- Take I-77 South.
- Take Exit 9B, Turn right onto Leesburg Road.
- Then take a Left turn onto Garners Ferry Road (Hwy. 378).
- Continue on Hwy 378 for 16.6 miles.
- Then take a right turn onto McCords Ferry Road (Hwy. 601).
- Continue on Hwy 601 for 17.2 miles.
- Turn right onto Fort Motte Road (SC-419).
- Continue on Fort Motte Road for 3.6 miles to Turkey Track Lane.
- Turn right onto Turkey Track Lane and go about 0.3 mile to the beginning of Congaree Bluffs Heritage Preserve property (which will be on your left).
- Continue on Turkey Track Lane for about another 0.66 mile (0.96 mile total) to the <u>second parking lot</u> (which is located immediately after the left turn towards the Education Center).

### From Columbia:

- From I-26 East (toward Charleston), take exit 125.
- Turn right onto SSR31 known as Old Sandy Run Road. Drive 2 miles on Old Sandy Run Road until you come to a stop sign at Highway 176.
- Turn right onto Highway 176 and then you will travel 7.6 miles.
- Turn left just past West Bethel Church on SSR24 known as Old Bellville Road. Travel 7 miles on Old Bellville Road.
- Turn left on to Purple Martin Road just past Mount Carmel Baptist Church, Travel on Purple Martin Road until you come to a stop sign at SSR25 known as Fort Motte Road.
- Turn left on Fort Motte Road and travel for 2.8 miles to Turkey Track Lane. The Heritage Preserve sign is on the right.
- Turn left on Turkey Track Lane (dirt road). Two parking lots are available at the preserve along dirt road.
- Continue on Turkey Track Lane for about 0.96 mile to the <u>second parking lot</u> (which is located immediately after the left turn towards the Education Center).

## From Charleston:

- Take I-26 West to Exit 145 (US 601).
- Travel north on US 601 approximately 15 miles.
- Turn left on SC 419. Follow SC 419 for 2.5 miles to the railroad tracks in Fort Motte. Cross the tracks and continue straight for approximately 1 mile.
- Turn right on Turkey Track Lane (dirt road). Two parking lots are available at the preserve along dirt road.
- Continue on Turkey Track Lane for about 0.96 mile to the <u>second parking lot</u> (which is located immediately after the left turn towards the Education Center).

<u>Dinner</u>: It has been suggested by a very special member that we try to get together for a meal after this outing. Consequently, we are proposing a gathering time of ~4:30 PM and have found, wait for the drumroll, a House of Pizza about 10 miles or 16 minutes away from our parking lot meeting place.

Calhoun House of Pizza 721 Harry C Raysor Drive St Matthews, SC 29135 GPS Coordinates: 33.6582, -80.7806 (803) 655-7827

## Directions to Calhoun House of Pizza:

- Head southeast on Turkey Track Lane toward Fort Motte Road (State Rd S-9-25) for about 1.0 mile.
- Turn right onto Fort Motte Road. Continue on Fort Motte Road for about 4.6 miles to Old Belleville Road.
- Turn slight left onto Old Belleville Road for about 0.8 miles to Preference Road.
- Turn left onto Preference Road (just after Calvary Church) for about 0.8 miles to Home Farm Road.
- Turn right onto Home Farm Road for about 1.1 miles to F R Huff Drive.
- Turn right at first cross street onto F R Huff Drive for about 0.5 miles to Depot Road.
- Turn left onto Depot Road for about <u>130 feet</u> to Harry C Raysor Drive (US-601).
- Immediately turn right onto Harry C Raysor Drive (US-601) for about 0.8 miles. Calhoun House of Pizza will be on the <u>left side</u> of the street.

# **Lick Fork Lake Recreation Area** Edgefield Co., SC March 23, 2024

This list was produced by SCAN from sightings produced by SCAN members and is subject to revision as needed. An asterisk (\*) indicates a new sighting for SCAN. Send any changes or corrections to Kim McManus at scnaturalists76@gmail.com. Please indicate exactly to which flora/fauna list you are referring in the subject line of your message. Thank you.

#### LICHENS

Cladonia cristatella Cladonia didyma Cladonia parasitica Cladonia subtenuis Cladonia ramulosa Usnea strigosa

#### **FLORA**

**Haircap Moss** 

Polytrichum commune

Saffron Moss

Ditrichum pallidum

**Tree-skirt Moss** 

Pseudanomodon attenuates

**Brachythecium Moss** 

Brachythecium sp.

Rattlesnake Fern

Botrypus virginianus

**Southern Grapefern** 

Sceptridium biternatum

**American Royal Fern** 

Osmunda spectabilis

**Bracken** 

Pteridium aquilinum

**Ebony Spleenwort** 

Asplenium platyneuron

**Southern Lady Fern** 

Athyrium asplenioides

Mariana Maiden Fern

Macrothelypteris torresiana

Christmas Fern

Polystichum acrostichoides

**Resurrection Fern** 

Pleopeltis michauxiana

**Shortleaf Pine** 

Pinus echinata

**Longleaf Pine** 

Pinus palustris

**Loblolly Pine** 

Pinus taeda

**Eastern Red Cedar** 

Juniperus virginiana

Little Brown Jug

Hexastylis arifolia

**Tulip-tree** 

Liriodendron tulipifera

Small-flowered PawPaw

Asimina parviflora

**Common Pawpaw** 

Asimina triloba

Sassafras

Sassafras albidum

Catesby's Trillium

Trillium catesbaei

**Sweet Betsy** 

Trillium cuneatum **Mottled Trillium** 

Trillium maculatum

Straw-lilv

Uvularia sessilifolia

Catbrier

Smilax bona-nox bona-nox

Whiteleaf Greenbrier

Smilax glauca

**Bristly Greenbrier** 

Smilax hispida

Bamboo-vine

Smilax laurifolia

Sarsaparilla-vine

Smilax pumila

Jackson-brier

Smilax smallii

**Dimpled Trout Lily** 

Erythronium umbilicatum

umbilicatum

**Downy Rattlesnake-orchid** 

Goodyera pubescens

**Cranefly Orchid** 

Tipularia discolor

Field Garlic

Allium vineale

**False Garlic** 

Nothoscordum bivalve

Common Atamasco-lily

Zephyranthes atamasco

**Curlyleaf Yucca** 

Yucca filamentosa

**Hairy Spiderwort** 

Tradescantia hirsuticaulis

Toad Rush

Juncus bufonius

Common Rush

Juncus effusus solutus

Rush

Juncus sp.

Wood-rush

Luzula acuminata

Wood-rush

Luzula echinata Blue Ridge Brome Sedge

Carex bromoides montana

**Lined Sedge** 

Carex striatula

Florida Sedge

Carex floridana

**Southern White-tinged Sedge** 

Carex albicans australis

Sedge

Carex sp.

**Old-field Broomstraw** 

Andropogon virginicus

**Sweet Vernal Grass** 

Anthoxanthum odoratum

**Giant Cane** 

Arundinaria gigantea

**Lesser Quaking Grass** 

Briza minor

**River Oats** 

Chasmanthium latifolium

**Longleaf Spikegrass** 

Chasmanthium sessiliflorum

**Woolly Witchgrass** 

Dichanthelium acuminatum

Variable Witchgrass

Dichanthelium commutatum

Witchgrass

Dichanthelium dichotomum

**Open-flower Witchgrass** 

Dichanthelium laxiflorum

**Tall Swamp Witchgrass** 

Dichanthelium scabriusculum

**Centipede Grass** 

Eremochloa ophiuroides

**Silver Plume Grass** 

Erianthus alopecuroides

**Japanese Stilt-grass** 

Microstegium vimineum

**Switchgrass** 

Panicum virgatum

**Annual Bluegrass** 

Poa annua **Bloodroot** 

Sanguinaria canadensis

May-apple

Podophyllum peltatum

Common Black-cohosh

Actaea racemosa **Lanceleaf Anemone** 

Anemone lancifolia

**Wood Anemone** 

Anemone quinquefolia

**Round-lobed Hepatica** 

Hepatica americana Rue-anemone

Thalictrum thalictroides

**Sycamore** 

Platanus occidentalis

**Sweet Gum** 

Liquidambar styraciflua

**American Alumroot** 

Heuchera americana

**Foamflower** 

Tiarella cordifolia

Muscadine

Muscadinia rotundifolia

Hog-peanut

Amphicarpaea bracteata

**Eastern Redbud** 

Cercis canadensis

Tick-trefoil

Desmodium sp.

Sericea Lespedeza

Lespedeza cuneata

Hairy Lespedeza

Lespedeza hirta

**Dollarweed** 

Rhynchosia reniformis

**Black Locust** 

Robinia pseudoacacia

**Low Hop Clover** 

Trifolium dubium

**Red Clover** 

Trifolium pratense

White Clover

Trifolium repens

Tiny Vetch

. Vicia hirsuta

Spring Vetch

Vicia lathyroides

**Common Vetch** 

Vicia sativa sativa

Low Agrimony

Agrimonia microcarpa

Wild Strawberry

Fragaria virginiana

White Avens

Geum canadense

**Running Five-fingers** 

Potentilla canadensis

**Eastern Wild Black Cherry** 

Prunus serotina serotina

Sand Blackberry

Rubus cuneifolius

**Common Dewberry** 

Rubus flagellaris

Pennsylvania Blackberry

Rubus pensilvanicus

**Southern Dewberry** 

Rubus trivialis

**Blackberry** 

Rubus sp.

**Oriental Silverleaf** 

Elaeagnus umbellata

Winged Elm

Ulmus alata

**Southern Hackberry** 

Celtis laevigata

**American Beech** 

Fagus grandifolia

White Oak

Quercus alba

Water Oak

Quercus nigra

Post Oak

Quercus stellata

Black Oak

Quercus velutina

**Pignut Hickory** 

Carya glabra

Tag Alder

Alnus serrulata

**American Hornbeam** 

Carpinus caroliniana

American Hop-hornbeam

Ostrya virginiana

Hearts-a-burstin'-with-love

Euonymus americanus

**Southern Yellow Wood-sorrel** 

Oxalis dillenii

Violet Wood-sorrel

Oxalis violacea

St. Andrew's Cross

Hypericum hypericoides

Wild Pansy

Viola rafinesquei

**Common Blue Violet** 

Viola sororia

Walter's Violet

Viola walteri

Yellow Passionflower

Passiflora lutea

Carolina Crane's-bill

Geranium carolinianum

**Wild Geranium** 

Geranium maculatum

Winged Sumac

Rhus copallinum

**Eastern Poison Ivy** 

Toxicodendron radicans radicans

**Eastern Box Elder** 

Acer negundo negundo

**Eastern Red Maple** 

Acer rubrum rubrum

**Sugar Maple** 

Acer saccharum

**Red Buckeye** 

Aesculus pavia pavia

Buckeye

Aesculus sp.

Trifoliate Orange

Citrus trifoliata

Jumpseed

Persicaria virginiana

**Sticky Mouse-ear** 

Cerastium glomeratum

**Common Chickweed** 

Stellaria media Blackgum

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Nyssa sylvatica Climbing Hydrangea

Hydrangea barbara

Flowering Dogwood

Benthamidia florida

**Spotted Touch-me-not** 

Impatiens capensis

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Creeping Phlox

Phlox stolonifera

Water-pimpernel

Samolus parviflorus

Little Silverbell

Halesia carolina

Pipsissewa

Chimaphila maculata

Piedmont Azalea

Rhododendron canescens

**Elliott's Blueberry** 

Vaccinium elliottii

Cleavers

Galium aparine

Blue Field-madder

Galium sherardia

One-flowered Bedstraw

Galium uniflorum

**Tiny Bluet** 

Houstonia pusilla

Partridge-berry

Mitchella repens

Carolina Jessamine

Gelsemium sempervirens Southern Hound's-tongue

Andersonglossum virginianum

Carolina Ponyfoot

Dichondra carolinensis

Green Ash

Fraxinus pennsylvanica

**Chinese Privet** 

Ligustrum sinense

Polypremum

Polypremum procumbens

Common Toadflax

Linaria canadensis

English Plantain
Plantago lanceolata

Corn Speedwell

Veronica arvensis

**American Mistletoe** 

Phoradendron leucarpum

Cross-vine
Bignonia capreolata

Mountain-mint

Pycnanthemum sp.

Lyreleaf Sage

Salvia lyrata

Downy Oak-leech

Aureolaria virginica American Holly

Ilex opaca

Pale Indian-plantain

Arnoglossum atriplicifolium

Indian-plantain

Arnoglossum sp.

Silverling

Baccharis halimifolia

Green-and-gold

Chrysogonum virginianum

**Common Yellow Thistle** 

Cirsium horridulum

**Coastal Tall Thistle** 

Cirsium nuttallii

Sandhill Thistle

Cirsium repandum

**Leafy Elephant's-foot** 

Elephantopus carolinianus

Philadelphia-daisy

Erigeron philadelphicus

**Common Dog-fennel** 

Eupatorium capillifolium

**American Everlasting** 

Gamochaeta americana

Pennsylvania Everlasting

Gamochaeta pensylvanica

**Spoonleaf Purple Everlasting** 

Gamochaeta purpurea

**Appalachian Sunflower** 

Helianthus atrorubens

**Beaked Hawkweed** 

Hieracium gronovii

Spotted Cat's-ear

Hypochaeris radicata

Virginia Dwarf-dandelion

Krigia virginica

**Coastal Plain Lettuce** 

Lactuca graminifolia

**Appalachian Ragwort** 

Packera anonyma

Grass-leaved Golden-aster

Pityopsis graminifolia

Fragrant Rabbit-tobacco

Pseudognaphalium obtusifolium

**Black-eyed Susan** 

Rudbeckia hirta

**Bearsfoot** 

Smallanthus uvedalia

Goldenrod

Solidago sp.

**American Aster** 

Symphyotrichum sp.

**Common Dandelion** 

Taraxacum officinale

**Frostweed** 

Verbesina virginica

Asiatic Hawk's-beard

Youngia japonica

**Common Elderberry** 

Sambucus canadensis

Japanese Honeysuckle

Lonicera japonica

**Coral Honevsuckle** 

Lonicera sempervirens

**Devil's-walking-stick** 

Aralia spinosa

Hairy Angelica

Angelica venenosa

American Queen-Anne's-lace

Daucus pusillus

Black-knot

Apiosporina morbosa

**Orange Jelly** 

Dacrymyces chrysospermus

Witches'-butter

Tremella mesenterica

**Multicolor Gill Polypore** 

Lenzites betulina

**Crowded Parchment** 

Stereum complicatum

Train-wrecker

Lentinus lepideus

Pine-oak Rust

Cronartium quercuum

**Loblolly Pine Rust** 

Cronartium fusiform

**Bacterial Crown Gall** 

Agrobacterium radiobacter

#### **FAUNA**

Mantleslug

Philomycus sp.

White-lip Globe

Mesodon thyroidus

Whitelip

Neohelix albolabris

**Tuft-legged Orbweaver** 

Mangora placida

Wolf Spider

Lycosidae family

Field Cricket

Gryllus sp.

Katvdid

Tettigoniidae sp.

**Red Imported Fire Ant** 

Solenopsis invicta

**Bumblebee** 

Bombus impatiens

Dogwood Club Gall (midge)

Mycodiplosis clavula

Mosquitoes

Culicidae sp.

**Springtime Darner** 

Basiaeschna janata

Clubtail

Gomphus sp.

Ashy Clubtail

Phanogomphus lividus

Fragile Forktail

Ischnura posita

**Patent-leather Beetle** 

Odontotaenius disjunctus

**Pipevine Swallowtail** 

Battus philenor

Zebra Swallowtail

Eurytides marcellus

**Eastern Tiger Swallowtail** 

Pterourus glaucus

Spicebush Swallowtail

Pterourus troilus

Red-banded Hairstreak

Calycopis cecrops

**Eastern Tailed-blue** 

Cupido comyntas

Cyllopsis gemma

**Gemmed Satyr** 

Carolina Satyr

Hermeuptychia sosybius

Silver-spotted Skipper Epargyreus clarus

**Southern Cloudywing** 

Cecropterus bathyllus

**Northern Cloudywing** 

Cecropterus pylades

Juvenal's Duskywing

Erynnis juvenalis

**Eastern Tent Caterpillar** 

Malacosoma americanum

**Common Oak Moth** 

Phoberia atomaris

**Northern Cricket Frog** 

Acris crepitans

Cope's Gray Treefrog

Hyla chrysoscelis

**Spring Peeper** 

Pseudacris crucifer **Green Anole** 

Anolis carolinensis

**Double-crested Cormorant** 

Phalacrocorax auritus

**Turkey Vulture** 

Cathartes aura

Red-shouldered Hawk

Buteo lineatus

**Barred Owl** 

Strix varia

**Belted Kingfisher** 

Megaceryle alcyon

Red-bellied Woodpecker

Melanerpes carolinus Northern Flicker

Colaptes auratus

**Downy Woodpecker** 

Dryobates pubescens Yellow-bellied Sapsucker

Sphyrapicus varius

Pileated Woodpecker

Dryocopus pileatus **Eastern Phoebe** 

Sayornis phoebe

**Purple Martin** 

Progne subis

**American Crow** Corvus brachyrhynchos

**Tufted Titmouse** 

Baeolophus bicolor

Carolina Chickadee

Poecile carolinensis

White-breasted Nuthatch Sitta carolinensis

**Brown-headed Nuthatch** 

Sitta pusilla

Winter Wren

Troglodytes hiemalis

Carolina Wren

Thryothorus ludovicianus

**Ruby-crowned Kinglet** 

Regulus calendula

**Blue-gray Gnatcatcher** 

Polioptila caerulea

Eastern Bluebird

Sialia sialis

**Brown Thrasher** 

Toxostoma rufum

Yellow-throated Vireo

Vireo flavifrons

**Black-and-white Warbler** 

Mniotilta varia

**Northern Parula** 

Setophaga americana

Yellow-rumped Warbler

Setophaga coronata

Yellow-throated Warbler

Setophaga dominica

Pine Warbler

Setophaga pinus

Louisiana Waterthrush

Parkesia motacilla

**Common Yellowthroat** 

Geothlypis trichas

**Northern Cardinal** 

Cardinalis cardinalis

**Eastern Towhee** 

Pipilo erythrophthalmus

**Chipping Sparrow** 

Spizella passerina

White-throated Sparrow

Zonotrichia albicollis

**Swamp Sparrow** 

Melospiza georgiana

American Goldfinch

Spinus tristis

Pine Siskin

Spinus pinus

**American Beaver** 

Castor canadensis

Coyote

Canis latrans

White-tailed Deer

Odocoileus virginianus

#### **NEW SPECIES**

\* Agreeable Tiger Moth

Spilosoma congrua

\* Bulbous Woodrush

Odocoileus virginianus

\* Common Ptichodis Moth

Ptichodis herbarum

\* Condensed Dicranum Moss

Dicranum condensatum

\* Fan Moss

Forsstroemia trichomitria

\* flat-backed millipede

Furcillaria aequalis

\* Green-tufted Stubble Moss

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Weissia controversa

\* Hidden Mealy Pixie-cup Lichen

Cladonia cryptochlorophaea

\* Iron Oxidizing Bacteria

Geobacter sulfurreducens

\* Leucodon moss

Leucodontaceae sp.

\* Modoc Sigmoria

Sigmoria aequalis

\* Nash's Blue-eyed Grass

Sisyrinchium nashi

\* Oak Leaf Gall Midge

Polystepha pilulae

\* Powdery Mildew

Erysiphaceae sp.

\* Silvery Bryum

Bryum argenteum

\* Snakewort

Conocephalum salebrosum

\* Thyme-Moss

Plagiomnium sp.