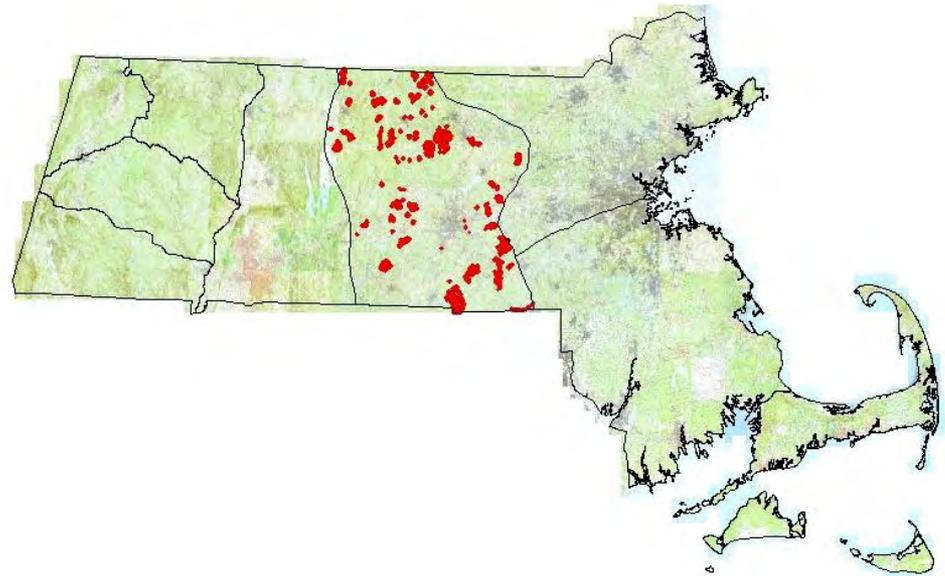


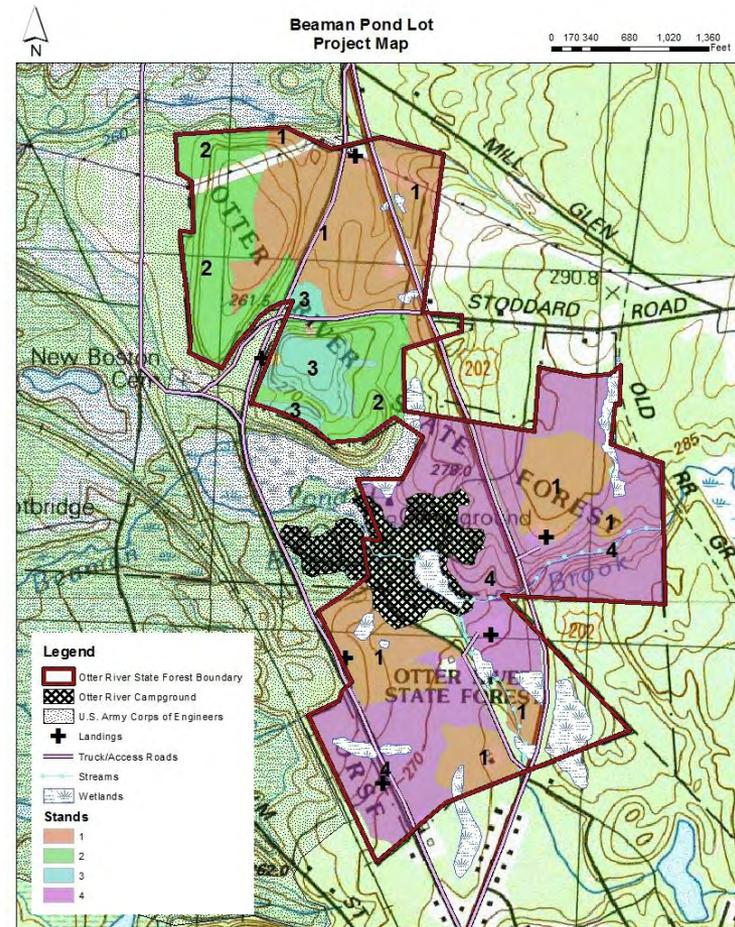
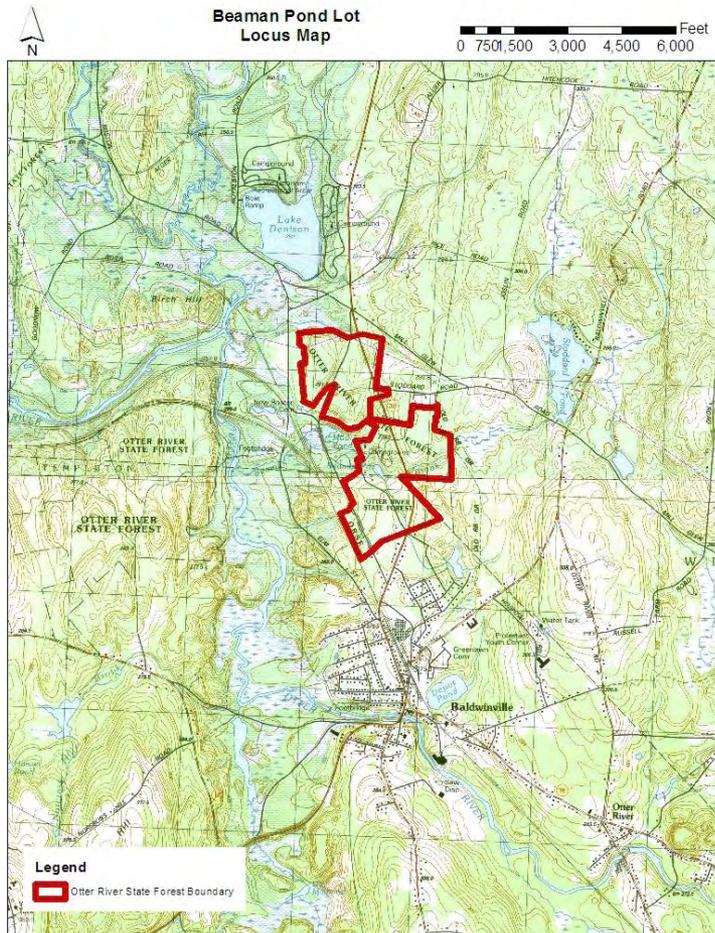
Mid State District Otter River State Forest Beaman Pond Lot

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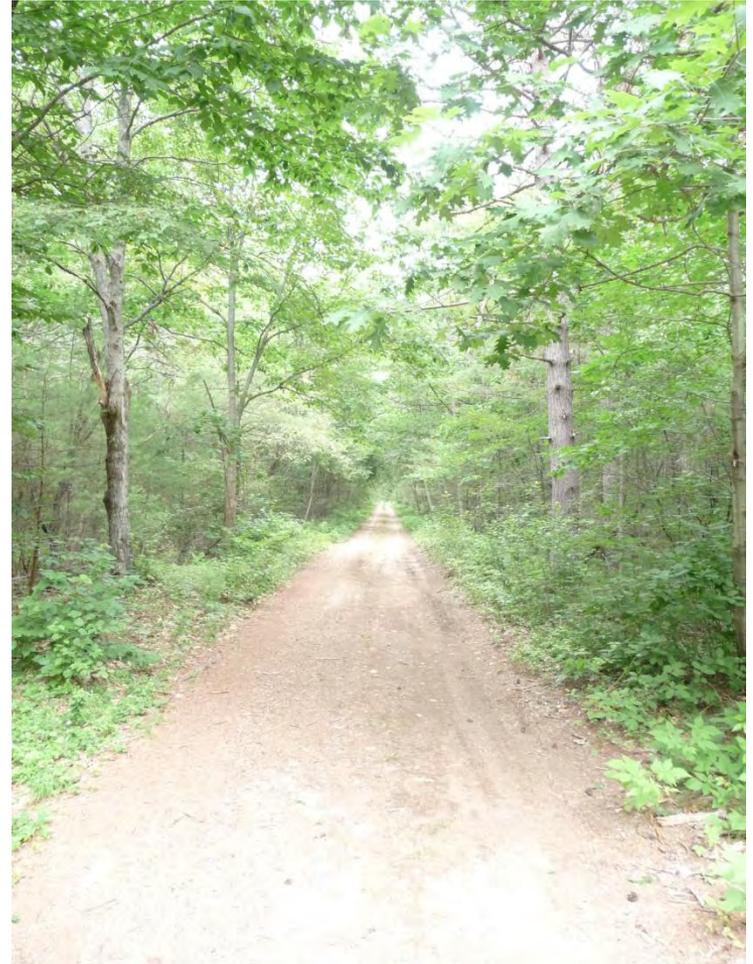


Otter River State Forest Beaman Pond Lot Location



Beaman Pond Lot – Overview

- 290 acre property
- 239 acres proposed for management
 - Red pine, Scots pine, White pine plantations
 - Mixed stand
 - 80-85 years old
- Previously harvested

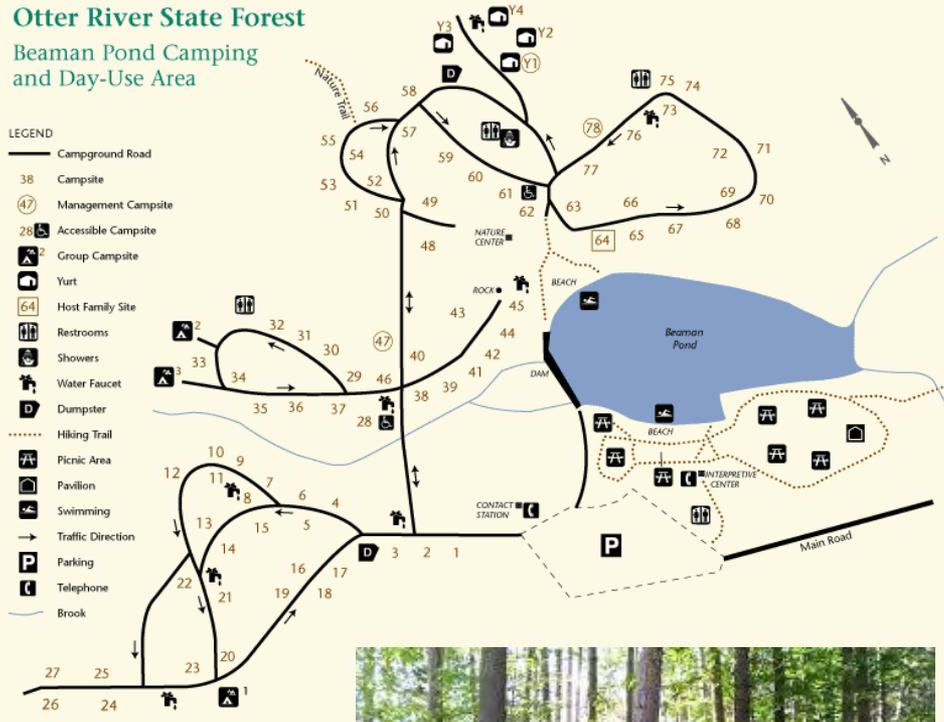


Parklands – DCR's Management Approach

Otter River State Forest Beaman Pond Camping and Day-Use Area

LEGEND

- Campground Road
- 38 Campsite
- (47) Management Campsite
- 28 Accessible Campsite
- Group Campsite
- Yurt
- 64 Host Family Site
- Restrooms
- Showers
- Water Faucet
- Dumpster
- Hiking Trail
- Picnic Area
- Pavilion
- Swimming
- Traffic Direction
- Parking
- Telephone
- Brook



Beaman Pond Lot – Goals

- Mitigate public safety risk by implementing forest management treatments that proactively harvest trees which are rapidly failing in condition
- Regenerate even aged plantations to a mixture of native tree species
- Release advanced regeneration from past harvests
- Increase vegetative diversity and structural complexity
- Educate the public with interpretive signage



Silviculture

- Continuation of past management and silviculture
- Two management approaches
 - 1.) Shelterwood method
 - Red pine and mixed stand
 - 2.) Patch clearcutting
 - Scots pine and White pine





Red Pine Plantation – Shelterwood



White Pine/Hemlock/Mixed Hardwoods – Shelterwood



White Pine Plantation – Patch Clearcutting



Scots Pine Plantation - Shelterwood



**Desired/Expected
Condition
5 years**





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15 years**

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Diseased Red Pine





2008 Ice Storm Damage