

**-American Recovery and Reinvestment Act 2009  
Northeastern Proposal Data Collection Form**

Information below is needed and will be used by NA S&PF to populate the data template sent out by the WO.

Specific Project Name: Enhancement of State Forests in West Virginia

Project Type: (Select only one)

Forest Health – Cooperative:	<u>  X  </u>
Hazard Fuels Mitigation:	<u>      </u>
Hazard Fuels Reduction:	<u>      </u>
Hazard Fuels Ecosystem Restoration:	<u>  X  </u>
Related Ecosystem / Watershed Enhancement:	<u>  X  </u>
State Fire Assistance:	<u>  X  </u>
Volunteer Fire Assistance:	<u>  X  </u>
Wood to Energy Grants– Non Federal Lands:	<u>      </u>
Other:	<u>  X  </u>

**NOTE:** Multiple project benefits will occur on this proposal. See above, and comments below. It cannot be neatly containerized into the USFS project confines listed above. **We do not want it broken apart; it is one project** which will have great total benefits to the economy and to the people of the state, which is the goal of the stimulus bill.

Priority Within State: # 1

Project State(s): West Virginia

Project County / Counties (if known): Monongalia, Preston, Randolph, Pocahontas, Greenbrier, Mercer, Wayne, Mingo, McDowell

Federal Funding Requested (\$100,000 minimum): \$ 2,851,000

Anticipated Method of Delivery:

Direct grant to State:	<u>  X  </u>
Direct grant to NGO:	<u>      </u>
Contract:	<u>      </u>
Coop Agreement:	<u>      </u>

Readiness:

Project initiated within 7 Days:	<u>  X  </u>
Project initiated within 90 – 120 Days:	<u>      </u>

Estimated Length of Time for Completion: (mo / yr) 18 mos. from funding availability

Jobs created: (Number of FTEs, Temps, Seasonal, Private Sector hires): 142

Comments:

Enhancement of State Forest lands to include: boundary surveys, forest inventories, invasive species control, forest road construction/improvement, rehabilitation/reconstruction/maintenance of one building and three fire towers, data base improvement for all state forests, and other related projects/activities.

**Please send your completed form(s) to Ian MacFarlane at [ian.macfarlane@mail.wvu.edu](mailto:ian.macfarlane@mail.wvu.edu) and CC Billy Terry at [bterry@fs.fed.us](mailto:bterry@fs.fed.us) by 12:00 pm EST on Thursday, February 19.**