

Lessard-Sams Outdoor Heritage Council Forest Habitat Tour

Outdoor Heritage Funded Program Sites
Wednesday, September 28, 2022

The public is welcome to join any of the stops on this tour.
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Time	Site Name / Description	Location/Notes
9:30 am	Parking Location (for those dropping off vehicles to carpool) Introductions and Coffee	Intersection of Lake County Hwy 2 and Lake County Hwy 15 (47.391011 N, -91.649111 W)
10:05 am – 10:45 am	Site #1 – US Forest Service Lupus Site Topics: Early MHC commercial timber harvest and non-commercial mechanical site preparation units with mostly established diverse conifer and currently useable browse conditions.	On South Side USFS 11. Park on wide shoulder. (47.37642 N, -91.60284 W)
11:00 am – 11:45 am	Site #2 – Lake County Beaver Site Topics: Early MHC commercial timber harvest with subsequent conifer planting and protection and past and recent TSI conifer release/ browse production with variable site skips (patch diversity).	On Beaver River Road. Park tightly on wide areas of shoulder. (47.36742 N, -91.45624 W)
12:30 pm – 1:15 pm	Site #3 – US Forest Service Lilian Lake Site Topics: Recent MHC phase mechanical site preparation of declined timber stand, conifer planting and protection.	Approximately 3 miles north on Cloquet Lake Road from Intersection with Beaver River Road. (47.40077 N, -91.49085 W)
1:30 pm – 2:00 pm	Site #4 – Lake County Timber Sale Cloquet Lake Site Topics: Lake County commercial timber harvest with past post-harvest conifer planting and one hand release.	½ Mile South from site #3 on Cloquet Lake Road. (47.39588 N, -91.48860 W)
2:15 pm	End of tour. Depart from parking area.	Intersection of Lake County Hwy 2 and Lake County Hwy 15. (47.391011 N, -91.649111 W)

NOTE: All tour sites may or may not require walking through uneven terrain with ticks, flies, and mosquitoes. Please dress and plan accordingly!

Tour driving directions can be found at
<https://goo.gl/maps/y8pd9dLFwzntNaZJA>