## Forever Wild Program Acquisitions

## (Tract Values at Time of Purchase) CURRENT AS OF 8/1/2025

1. **MONSANTO TRACT** in Marshall County consists of 209 acres of <u>donated</u> mountainous, pine-hardwood covered peninsula on Lake Guntersville that is being managed as both an extension of Guntersville State Park and to provide nesting habitat for the growing local population of Bald Eagles.

Location: T7S, R4E, and portions of Sections 10, 15, 21, and 22

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation (Bald Eagle habitat), outdoor

recreation, scientific research and education

Date Acquired: September 13, 1994

Property Value: \$141,000

2. WEHLE TRACT in Bullock County consists of 1,505 acres of rolling pine hills and hardwood branch bottoms that will be used for public recreation and a nature preserve. Approximately 640 acres are included for public hunting in the adjacent Barbour County Wildlife Management Area. This purchase involved a discounted sale, whereby the landowner voluntarily sold the tract for 50% of the appraised value.

Location: T12N, R26E, portions of Sections 6, 7, 8, 17, and 18

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: October 28, 1994

Property Value: \$2,000,000

3. COON CREEK TRACT in Tallapoosa County consists of 320 acres of a pine-hardwood creek valley on Yates Lake that is being managed for a public recreational site, a nature preserve and an environmental education study area.

Location: T19N, R22E, Sections 28 and 29

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: February 1, 1995

Property Value: \$350,000

**4. GRAND BAY SAVANNA TRACT** in Mobile County consists of 2,734 acres of coastal marsh and flatwoods, just onshore of the Gulf of Mexico that is being managed as a Nature Preserve.

Location: T7S, R3W, and portions of Sections 19, 20, 28, 29, 30,

31, and 39;

T8S, R3W, Section 5

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: May 7, 1996 Property Value: \$642,000 5. RIGGINS TRACT in Lowndes County consists of 624 acres in a mosaic of upland and bottomland hardwoods, pine plantations and open fields on gently rolling alluvial land within Alabama's black belt. The tract is being managed for public hunting, along with other federal and state land acquisitions in the area, as part of the Lowndes Wildlife Management Area.

Location: T16N, R15E, Sections 19 and 30
Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: September 26, 1996

Property Value: \$727,000

6. FORT TOULOUSE TRACT in Elmore County consists of 254 acres upland pine-hardwood forest land along the Alabama River that has a long natural history that includes the development of Native American cultures, the interaction between Indian and European cultures and the development of the State of Alabama.

Location: T18N, R18E, Sections 27 and 34

Mgmt. Objectives: Historic preservation and research, habitat

conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific research

and education

Date Acquired: May 27, 1997 Property Value: \$754,000

7. **INDIAN MOUNTAIN TRACT** in Cherokee County consists of 514 acres of mountainous upland hardwood forest land along a route which will permit the connection of the Pinhoti Trail in the Talladega National Forest of Alabama with the southern terminus of the Appalachian Trail in Georgia. These lands were purchased in partnership with The Conservation Fund.

Location: T11S, R11E, Section 36

T11S, R12E, Section 31 T12S, R11E, Section 1

Mgmt. Objectives: Facilitate long-distance hiking and other compatible,

non-consumptive land uses (including public hunting)

Date Acquired: September 18, 1997 and September 15, 1998

Property Value: \$250,000

8. BLAKELEY ADDITION TRACT in Baldwin County consists of 420 acres of upland pine-hardwoods and bottomland hardwood forests on hilly land at the edge of the Mobile Delta marshlands. In addition to the wild, undeveloped landscape there are also several historical features to interpret and recreational opportunities to take advantage of. This tract has been used by prehistoric Indian societies, European pioneers, early American settlers, Civil War soldiers and generations of farmers.

Location: T3S/T4S, R1E/R2E, and Multiple Sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Historic preservation and interpretation, habitat

conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific research

and education

Date Acquired: January 28, 1998

Property Value: approximately \$708,500

**9. BLOWING SPRINGS CAVE TRACT** in Lauderdale County has cave habitat that is vital to the threatened gray bat. This 59.1 acre property will be preserved primarily to protect the existing and future population of this species at this location.

Location: T2S, R7W, Section 19

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation (contribute to the recovery of the

threatened gray bat in the southeastern U.S.), outdoor recreation (including public hunting), scientific research

and education

Date Acquired: April 15, 1998 Property Value: \$122,000

**10. BIG CATS CREEK TRACT** in Madison County consists of 197 acres of mountainous upland hardwood forest land on the eastern edge of Huntsville that is being managed as an addition to Monte Sano State Park.

Location: T4S, R1E, and portions of Sections 3 and 10

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: September 4, 1998

Property Value: \$558,000

11. COLDWATER MOUNTAIN (Dedicated by Forever Wild Resolution as the Doug Ghee Nature Preserve and Recreation Area) TRACT in Calhoun County consists of 3,924 acres of a high, pine-hardwood covered mountain along Interstate Highway 20 that casts its shadow onto portions of Anniston and Oxford. The tract secures a large portion of the local watershed for Coldwater Spring, a unique ecological environment and source of drinking water for local municipalities.

Location: T16S, R7E, and portions of Sections 12, 13, 14, 15, 16,

21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29

T16S, R8E, and portions of Sections 7, 18, 19

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: October 2, 1998 Property Value: \$2,530,000

**12. PIKE COUNTY POCOSIN TRACT** consisting of 186.23 acres supports two unique plant communities: an uncommon scrub-hardwood/longleaf pine/reindeer moss vegetation type and an unusual evergreen plant community occurring in deep ravines on the site.

Location: T9N, R21E, Section 1

T9N, R22E, Section 6

Mgmt. Objectives: Conservation of Alabama's unique pocosin ecosystem,

scientific research, education, and outdoor recreation

(including public hunting)

Date Acquired: January 20, 1999

Property Value: \$226,000

**13. EAGLE ROOST VIEW** in Marshall County is 17 acres of steep, mixed pine-hardwood covered property between Alabama Highway 227 and Guntersville State Park. The tract provides 2,000 feet of frontage for watching eagles across Town Creek Canyon.

Location: T7S, R5E, Sections 4 and 5

Mgmt. Objectives: Secure public view of bald eagle roost habitat

Date Acquired: February 4, 1999

Property Value: \$15,000

**14. SIPSEY SULLIVAN TRACT** in Tuscaloosa County is 2,998 acres of bottomland hardwood forest and swamp lands along the flood plains of the Sipsey River. The Tract will be managed for public outdoor recreational and educational opportunities.

Location: T21S, R12W, Sections 3, 10, 11, 15, 16, 21, 22, 28, 29,

31, and 32

T22S, R12W, Sections 5 and 6

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat preservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: June 14, 1999 Property Value: \$3,563,000

15. MOBILE-TENSAW DELTA TRACT in Baldwin and Mobile Counties is comprised of 35,531 acres of bottomland hardwoods, cypress/tupelo swamps, bogs, marshes and a variety of other wetland habitat types interspersed amid abundant water ways of rivers, creeks, sloughs, ponds and lakes. These lands are managed for public hunting and habitat conservation within the Upper Delta Wildlife Management Area.

Location: North and South Sides of Interstate 65 at the juncture

of Baldwin and Mobile Counties

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: North Delta: 6/12/99 Clearwater: 10/5/99

Property Value: \$19,300,250

16. RUFFNER MOUNTAIN ADDITION TRACT in Jefferson County consists of 227 acres of mountainous pine-upland hardwood forest land contiguous to the grounds and facilities of the Ruffner Mountain Nature Center. This tract, surrounded by the densely populated greater Birmingham metro area, provides tremendous opportunities for environmental education and outdoor recreation.

Location: T17S, R2W, and portions of Sections 12 and 13

T17S, R1W, and portions of Sections 7

Mgmt. Objectives: Environmental education and outdoor recreation

Date Acquired: June 13, 2000

Property Value: \$568,150

17. BAYOU CANOT TRACT in Mobile County consists of 1,933 acres of various wetland habitats in the west-central portion of the Mobile-Tensaw Delta; just south of Interstate 65. A \$1,000,000 grant from the North American Wetlands Conservation Program facilitated this purchase of unique habitats essential for avian conservation, as well as several rare species of plants and animals.

Location: T2S, R1E, and portions of Sections 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 17, 19

and 20

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: November 2, 2000

Property Value: \$1,471,500

18. INDIAN MOUNTAIN - GARNER TRACT in Cherokee County consists of 80 acres of mountainous upland hardwood forest land along a route which will permit the connection of the Pinhoti Trail in the Talladega National Forest of Alabama with the southern terminus of the Appalachian Trail in Georgia. This tract serves as an addition to acquisition #7, which concludes purchase of <u>all</u> tracts originally nominated for this project. This tract was purchased in partnership with The Conservation Fund.

Location: T12S, R11E, Section 1

Mgmt. Objectives: Facilitate long-distance hiking and other compatible,

conservation uses (including public hunting)

Date Acquired: December 3, 2001

Property Value: \$41,500

19. **SALCO AND MIDDLE RIVER TRACTS** in Mobile County consists of 1,764 acres of various wetland habitats in the west-central portion of the Mobile-Tensaw Delta; just north of Interstate 65. A \$1,000,000 grant from the North American Wetlands Conservation Program supported this purchase of unique habitats essential for avian conservation, as well as several rare species of plants and animals.

Location: T1N, R1E, and portions of Sections 29, 30, 31, 32, 52

T1S, R1E, and portions of Sections 3, 27, 34, 38, 40,

and 48

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: December 10, 2001

Property Value: \$906,600

20. LAUDERDALE AND FREEDOM HILLS WMA TRACT ADDITIONS in Northwest Alabama. This 31,414 acre acquisition provides for 21 tracts that serve as public land additions to two Wildlife Management Areas which have been experiencing recent declines in acreage due to loss of leased land: 8 tracts totaling about 5,114 acres in Lauderdale County and 13 tracts totaling about 26,300 acres in Colbert County.

Location: Multiple locations South and North of the Tennessee

River.

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 28, 2001

Property Value: \$17,000,000

21. MIDDLE RIVER - WEST TRACT in Mobile County adjoins the similarly named acquisition shown under tract #19. This purchase provides an additional 1,423 acres to the complex of wetlands acquired within the Mobile-Tensaw Delta since 1999. This acquisition was assisted by funds secured through the Environmental Section of the Alabama Attorney General's Office.

Location: T1N, R1E, and portions of Sections 29, 30, 31, 32, 52

T1S, R1E, and portions of Sections 3, 27, 34, 38, 40,

and 48

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: June 28, 2002 Property Value: \$640,350

**22. SIPSEY - ROBERTSON TRACT** addition in Tuscaloosa County consists of approximately 280 acres. This property adjoins the acquisition shown under tract #14, which is 2,998 acres of bottomland hardwood forest and swamp lands along the flood plains of the Sipsey River.

Location: T21S, R12W, NE/4 of Section 28

T21S, R12W, NE/4 of NW/4 of Section 27 T21S, R12W, W1/2 of NW 1/4 of Section 27

Mgmt. Objectives Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired August 29, 2002

Property Value \$224,000

**23. WEEKS BAY TRACTS** in Baldwin County consist of 110.467 acres. These tracts, which are largely comprised of forest and marsh wetland habitats, were acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through a \$1 Million National Coastal Wetlands grant.

Location: T7S, R3E, NW/Corner of Section 7

T7S, R2E, S1/2 of SE1/4 of Section 23

Mgmt. Objectives Habitat conservation, scientific research and education

Date Acquired September 26, 2002

Property Value \$120,250

24. GRAND BAY SAVANNA ADDITION TRACT in Mobile County consists of 662 acres of coastal marsh, maritime forest and piney flatwoods, which were acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through a \$1 Million National Coastal Wetlands grant. This tract serves as an addition to the property acquired in 1996, all of which is being managed as a Nature Preserve.

Location: T7S, R3W, and portions of Sections 19, 20, 28, 29, 30,

31, and 39

T8S, R3W, Section 5

Mgmt. Objectives: Conservation of coastal wetland and maritime forest

ecosystems, outdoor recreation (including public hunting), environmental education, scientific research

Date Acquired: November 18, 2002

Property Value: \$821,393

25. MOBILE-TENSAW DELTA - MCMILLAN 1 TRACT in Baldwin County consists of 181 acres wetlands dominated by flood prone hardwood timber lying between Tensaw River and Tensaw Lake. A \$1,000,000 grant from the North American Wetlands Conservation Program supported this purchase of unique habitats essential for avian conservation, as well as several rare species of plants and animals.

Location: T1N, R2E, and a portion of Section 29

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: January 6, 2003

Property Value: \$169,250

26. THE BILLINGSLEY McCLURE SHOAL CREEK PRESERVE in Lauderdale County consists of approximately 298 acres. Habitats across the site include fallow fields, mature upland hardwood stands and scenic creek bottoms. Waterways consist of Indian Camp Creek, Lawson Creek, Jones Branch, and Shoal Creek. This tract was purchased, in-part, through a \$100,000 Land and Water Conservation Fund grant awarded by the Alabama Dept. of Economics and Community Affairs, as well as financial and in-kind contributions from the City of Florence and Lauderdale County.

Location: T1S, R10W, Section 32

T2S, R10W, Sections 5 and 6

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting) and education

Date Acquired: February 26, 2003

Property value: \$900,000

27. MOBILE-TENSAW DELTA-MCMILLAN 2 and 3 TRACTS in Baldwin County consist of tract #2, 151 acres, and tract #3, 308 acres of wetlands dominated by flood prone hardwood timber adjoining previously purchased land along Bottle Creek and Mifflin Lake. A \$1,000,000 grant from the North American Wetlands Conservation Program supported this purchase of unique habitats essential for avian conservation, as well as several rare species of plants and animals.

Location: T1S, R1E, Section 1

T1S, R2E, and a portion of Section 7

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting) and education

Date Acquired: March 15, 2003

Property Value: Tract 2- \$60,400, Tract 3- \$217,200

28. SIPSEY RANDOLPH TRACT in Tuscaloosa County consists of approximately 153 acres dominated by flat river bottomland, and is bisected by old Highway 82 on the north end. The Sipsey River traverses the northwest corner of the property. The property adjoins the original Sipsey River Swamp tract acquired in 1999, and provides the public with a new point of road and river access to these state lands. This tract was purchased, in-part, through a \$60,000 conservation award from Ducks Unlimited, Inc.

Location: T21S, R12W, Sections 2 and 3

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting) and education

Date Acquired: April 4, 2003 Property Value: \$122,400

29. LILLIAN SWAMP SOUTH ADDITION in Baldwin County consists of approximately 238 acres of a 644 acre tract of pine savanna wetland habitat, adjacent Perdido Bay that is being managed as a Nature Preserve. The remainder of the tract was acquired by the State Lands Division through Coastal Impact Assistance Program funds, provided through the U.S. Department of Commerce's National Oceanic and Atmospheric Association (NOAA).

Location: T7S, R6E, Sections 13 and 18

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: August 19, 2003

Property Value: \$297,850

30. SPLINTER HILL BOG - BEN MAY TRUST in Baldwin County consists of approximately 363 acres of a 726 acre tract of longleaf pine and bog habitat, at the headwaters of the Perdido River. The tract is being managed as a nature preserve to forward the conservation of these rare natural communities. The remainder of the tract was acquired by the State Lands Division through Coastal Impact Assistance Program funds, provided through the U.S. Department of Commerce, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Association (NOAA).

Location: T1N, R4E, Section 21

T1N, R4E, Section 28

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: September 24, 2003

Property Value: \$363,065

**31. LILLIAN SWAMP-CANEY BAYOU TRACT** in Baldwin County consists of 320 acres of pine savanna wetland habitat, adjacent the Perdido River and upper Perdido Bay that is being managed as a Nature Preserve.

Location: T7S, R6E, Section 12

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: November 8, 2003

Property Value: \$289,800

32. COLDWATER MOUNTAIN ADDITION - MCCARTNEY TRACT in Calhoun County consists of 280 acres of mixed pine-hardwood forest near Anniston and Oxford. This addition to the Coldwater Mountain tract was secured through a 2:1 acre property exchange. The Forever Wild Land Trust Board approved the exchange of 141 acres for the McCartney Tract's 280 acres. This addition provides alternate access to the now 4,063 acres of public land the tract.

Location: T16S, R7E, Section 24

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: December 3, 2003

Property Value: \$168,000

**33. WEEKS BAY HARRIS AND WORCESTER TRACTS** in Baldwin County consist of a 64 acre parcel and a 49 acre parcel. These tracts, which are largely comprised of forest and marsh wetland habitats, were acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through the National Coastal Wetlands program.

Location: T7S, R3E, Section 18

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat Conservation, scientific research and

education

Date Acquired: January 14, 2004

Property Value: \$126,280

**34. JACOB FARM ADDITION TRACT** in Jackson County consists of 182.5 acres located in the vicinity of Little Coon Creek and Coon Creek confluence. The tract serves as an addition to Skyline and Crow Creek Wildlife Management Areas, physically linking the two together along Coon Creek.

Location: T2S, R7E, Sections 15, 16, 20 and 21 Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: February 5, 2004

Property Value: \$273,500

**35. PERIWINKLE SPRING ADDITION TRACT** in Madison County consists of 40 acres that serve as an addition to Monte Sano State Park. The tract has one of the only permanent springs in that portion of the mountain, and also supports a small population of federally listed wildflowers.

Location: T3S, R1E, Section 33

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: February 20, 2004

Property Value: \$100,000

**36. WALLS OF JERICHO TRACT** in Jackson County consists of 12,510 acres bordering Tennessee, which were purchased in partnership with The Alabama Chapter of The Nature Conservancy. The tract is comprised of mountainous and wooded terrain, hosting caves, springs, rocky bluffs and portions of the headwaters of the Paint Rock River. The tract is adjacent to Skyline Wildlife Management Area, on its western boundary.

Location: T1S/T2S, R5E/R6E, and Multiple Sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: February 26, 2004

Property Value: \$9,382,500

37. JACINTO PORT - UPLAND AND WETLAND TRACTS in Mobile County consists of 2,888 acres of wetlands and 484 acres of uplands within the Mobile-Tensaw Delta. These tracts, which are largely comprised of forest and marsh wetland habitats, were acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through a \$1 Million National Coastal Wetlands grant. In partnership with the Alabama Forestry Commission, the Alabama Forest Resource Center and the Forever Wild Program, an additional 659 acres of upland forest habitat were acquired by the State Lands Division through a \$2.9 Million U.S. Forest Service Forest Legacy grant.

Location: T2S/T3S, R1W/R1E, and Multiple Sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: June 1, 2004 Property Value: \$3,622,000

**38. GRAND BAY SAVANNA - LITTLE RIVER ROAD TRACT ADDITION** in Mobile County consists of 113 acres of piney flatwoods, which were acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through the National Coastal Wetlands program. This tract serves as an addition to the property acquired in 1996, all of which is being managed as a Nature Preserve.

Location: T7S. R3W. Sections 39

Mgmt. Objectives: Conservation of coastal wetland ecosystems, outdoor

recreation (including public hunting), environmental

education, scientific research

Date Acquired: June 30, 2004 Property Value: \$122,000

**39. KNOTTY PINE TRACT** in DeKalb County consists of 45.46 acres that serve as an addition to Desoto State Park. The tracts provides for expansion of the parks trail system and buffer from future development on adjacent land.

Location: T6S, R9E, Section 24

Mgmt. Objectives: Outdoor recreation, scientific research and education

Date Acquired: July 16, 2004 Property Value: \$136,000 40. SPLINTER HILL BOG - IP TRACT ADDITION in Baldwin County in Baldwin County consists of approximately 264 acres of a 507 acre tract of longleaf pine and bog habitat, at the headwaters of the Perdido River. The tract adjoins the Splinter Hill Bog-Ben May Tract, and is being managed as a Nature Preserve to forward the conservation of these rare natural communities. The remainder of the tract was acquired by the State Lands Division through Coastal Impact Assistance Program funds, provided through the U.S. Department of Commerces National Oceanic and Atmospheric Association (NOAA).

Location: T1N, R4E, Section 22

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: September 24, 2004

Property Value: \$423,280

**41. WEEKS BAY RESERVE - BECK TRACT ADDITION** in Baldwin County consists of an 11 acre parcel. This tract is largely comprised of forest and marsh wetland habitats, which were acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through the National Coastal Wetlands program.

Location: T8S, R3E, Section 28

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, scientific research and education

Date Acquired: September 27, 2004

Property Value: \$13,200

42. TURKEY CREEK TRACT in Jefferson County consists of 462 acres of mixed pine and hardwood forest along Turkey Creek. The tract is managed as a Nature Preserve and hosts passive recreational opportunities that include hiking and nature photography. The tract is cooperatively managed with the Black Warrior Cahaba Rivers Land Trust, the City of Pinson, and local citizens groups supporting the conservation of the Turkey Creek Watershed.

Location: T15S, R2W, Section 25

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: December 15, 2004

Property Value: \$2,000,000

**43. FREEDOM HILLS WMA - WALKER TRACT ADDITIONS** in Colbert County is a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 1,520 acre acquisition provides for 3 parcels that serve as public land additions to the Freedom Hills Wildlife Management Area, which had been experiencing recent declines in acreage until Forever Wilds Southern Timber Venture purchase in 2001 (see purchase #20).

Location: T02S, R14W, Section 31

T03S, R14W, Section 19

T03S, R15W, Sections 12, 13, and 24

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: March 17, 2005

Property Value: \$910,499

44. MOBILE-TENSAW DELTA - BAYOU JESSAMINE TRACT ADDITION in Baldwin County consists of 184 acres of wetlands dominated by flood prone hardwood timber adjoining previously purchased land along the Tensaw River and Bayou Jessamine. A \$1,000,000 grant from the North American Wetlands Conservation Program supported this purchase of unique habitats essential for avian conservation, as well as several rare species of plants and animals. The tract is also the home of Alabama's State Champion Bald Cypress Tree.

Location: T01N, R02E, Section 40

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), and education

Date Acquired: April 6, 2005 Property Value: \$248,400

**45. FREEDOM HILLS WMA - BDM02 TRACT ADDITION** in Colbert County is a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 714 acre acquisition provides for several parcels that serve as public land additions to the Freedom Hills Wildlife Management Area, which had been experiencing recent declines in acreage until Forever Wilds Southern Timber Venture purchase in 2001 (see purchase #20 and 43).

Location: T04, R13W, Sections 17, 20, and 21

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: June 27, 2005 Property Value: \$300,414

**46. FREEDOM HILLS WMA - JCM TRACT ADDITIONS** in Colbert County is a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 1,437 acre acquisition provides for several parcels that serve as public land additions to the Freedom Hills Wildlife Management Area, which had been experiencing recent declines in acreage until Forever Wilds Southern Timber Venture purchase in 2001 (see purchase #20, 43, 45).

Location: T04, R13W, Sections 19, 30, 31

T05, R13W, Sections 17

T04, R14W, Sections 13 and 14 T04, R15W, Sections 14, 23, 24

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: July 20, 2005 Property Value: \$719,923

**47. TURKEY CREEK - THOMAS TRACT** in Jefferson County consists of 48 acres of mixed pine and hardwood forest along Turkey Creek. The tract is managed as a Nature Preserve and hosts passive recreational opportunities that will include hiking and nature photography. An \$800,000 grant from the State Wildlife Grant

Program permitted this purchase of unique habitats buffering the unique aquatic diversity within Turkey Creek. The tract is cooperatively managed with the Black Warrior Cahaba Rivers Land Trust, Birmingham-Southern College, the City of Pinson, and local citizens groups supporting the conservation of the Turkey Creek Watershed.

Location: T15S, R02W, Section 25

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: September 28, 2005

Property Value: \$800,000

48. PERDIDO RIVER - LONGLEAF HILLS in Baldwin County consists of 2,310 acres of wetlands and uplands along the Perdido River. The tract is comprised of 60% forested wetland habitats supporting an Atlantic white-cedar community within a unique blackwater stream corridor, which is bordered by an upland pine-sandhill forest favoring a longleaf pine community. In partnership with the Alabama Forestry Commission, the Alabama Forest Resource Center and the Forever Wild Program, an additional 1,678 acres of similar forest habitat were acquired by the State Lands Division through a \$1.9 Million U.S. Forest Service Forest Legacy grant.

Location: T2S and T3S, R4 and 5 E, Multiple Sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: January 18, 2006

Property Value: \$2,725,800

49. MOBILE-TENSAW DELTA - COASTAL LAND TRUST TRACT ADDITIONS in Mobile and Baldwin Counties consist of nine parcels scattered within the lower delta marsh habitat. The parcels contribute an additional 1,533 acres of wetlands to the W.L. Holland Wildlife Management Area. A \$1,000,000 grant from the North American Wetlands Conservation Program supported this purchase of unique habitats essential for avian conservation, as well as several rare species of plants and animals.

Location: T02S/T03S/T04S, R01E/R01W, Multiple Sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), and education

Date Acquired: February 10, 2006

Property Value: \$728,460

50. COLDWATER MOUNTAIN - ROWAN TRACT ADDITION in Calhoun County consists of 20 acre in-holding within the larger Coldwater Mountain Tract (purchase #11). The 20 acre tract consists of a high elevation, pine-hardwood forest overlooking portions of Anniston and Oxford, Alabama. The tract secures a ridge route for future trail development, as well as contributing to the larger conservation goal of protecting a portion of the local watershed for Coldwater Spring, a unique ecological environment and source of drinking water for local municipalities.

Location: T16S, R7E, Section 24

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: March 2, 2006

Property Value: \$10,000

51. BAYOU SARA TRACT ADDITION (Dedicated by Forever Wild Resolution as the Tom Roush Nature Preserve, Recreation Area, and Wildlife Management Area) in Mobile County consists of 232 acres of wetlands and uplands adjoining the Jacinto Port Tract (purchase #37) within the Mobile-Tensaw Delta. In partnership with the Alabama Forestry Commission, the Alabama Forest Resource Center and the Forever Wild Program, an additional 452 acres of upland and wetland forest habitat were acquired by the State Lands Division through a \$1.2 Million U.S. Forest Service Forest Legacy grant.

Location: T2S/T3S, R1W, Sections 1, 2, and 36

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: March 31, 2006

Property Value: \$605,500

**52. POST-OAK FLAT TRACT** in Jackson County consists of 2,433 acres adjoining the Walls of Jericho Tract, which was purchase in 2004. The tract is comprised of mountainous and wooded terrain, hosting caves, springs, rocky bluffs and portions of the headwaters of the Big Coon Creek and Mud Creek watersheds. In partnership with the Alabama Forestry Commission, the Alabama Forest Resource Center and the Forever Wild Program, an additional 1,223 acres of forest habitat were acquired by the State Lands Division through a \$1.2 Million U.S. Forest Service Forest Legacy grant. Both parcels are adjacent to Skyline Wildlife Management Area, on its southern boundary.

Location: T1S/T2S, R5E/R6E, Multiple Sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: May 16, 2006 Property Value: \$2,262,636

53. CERTAIN TRACT (Dedicated by Forever Wild Resolution as the Certain Nature Preserve and Recreation Area) in Madison County consists of 340 acres that serve as an addition to tracts protected and managed by the Land Trust of Huntsville and North Alabama. The tract has one of the only permanent springs in that portion of the mountain, and also supports a small population of rare plants. The land is managed cooperatively with the City of Huntsville and the local land trust, providing the public with hiking trails and seasonal interpretive programs. This tract was purchased, in-part, through a financial contribution of \$156,000 from the following local partners: the City of Huntsville, the Madison County Commission, the Land Trust of Huntsville and North Alabama, and the North Alabama Sierra Club.

Location: T4S, R1E, portions of Section 33 and 34

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: July 23, 2006 Property Value: \$952,000

54. LILLIAN SWAMP-WEST TRACT ADDITION in Baldwin County consists of approximately 894 acres of pine savanna wetland and upland habitat, adjacent to existing State of Alabama tracts and previous acquisitions made through the Forever Wild Program (acquisitions #29 and 31). The general area is adjacent to the upper reaches of Perdido Bay. The tract was acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through a \$1 Million National Coastal Wetlands grant. This tract serves as an addition to the property acquired in 2003, all of which is being managed as a Nature Preserve.

Location: T7S, R6E, portions of Sections 11 and 14

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: September 12, 2006

Property Value: \$804,600

55. PERDIDO RIVER-LONGLEAF HILLS ADDITION in Baldwin County consists of 3,500 acres of wetlands and uplands along the Perdido River, adjacent to existing State of Alabama tracts and previous acquisitions made through the Forever Wild Program (acquisitions #48). The tract is comprised of 30% forested wetland habitats supporting an Atlantic white-cedar community within a unique blackwater stream corridor, as well as associated drains and bogs, which are bordered by an upland pine-sandhill forest favoring a longleaf pine community. In partnership with The Alabama Chapter of The Nature Conservancy and the Forever Wild Program, an additional 5,804 acres of similar forest habitat were acquired by the State Lands Division with financial support from the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), through a \$4.6 Million Coastal Estuarine Land Conservation Program grant and a \$3 Million Coastal Impact Assistance Program award.

Location: T2S/T3S/T4S, R4E/R5ER6E, Multiple Sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 20, 2006

Property Value: \$4,679,219

56. GRAND BAY SAVANNA-GIDDENS TRACT ADDITION in Mobile County consists of 1,642 acres of piney flatwoods adjacent to existing State of Alabama tracts and previous acquisitions made through the Forever Wild Program (acquisitions #24 and 38). This tract was acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through a \$1 Million National Coastal Wetlands grant. The tract serves as an addition to the original property acquired in 1996 (acquisition #4), all of which is being managed as a Nature Preserve.

Location: T7S, R3W, portions of Sections 21, 22, 23, 27, 28, and

Mgmt. Objectives: Conservation of coastal wetland ecosystems, outdoor

recreation (including public hunting), environmental

education, scientific research

Date Acquired: December 20, 2006

Property Value: \$1,478,000

57. COOSA WMA: CAHABA and COLUMBIANA TRACTS in Coosa County consists of 9,746 acres of Mountain Longleaf habitat interspersed by hardwood drains within the Weogufka and Hatchet Creek watersheds. All of the land lies within the Coosa Wildlife Management Area, one of Alabama's oldest established public hunting areas. The property also hosts one of the last remaining populations of red-cockaded woodpeckers outside of Alabama's National Forests.

Location: T22N, R16E, portions of Sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 22,

23, 24 and 25

T22N, R17E, portions of Sections 14, 15, 16, 17, 18,

20, 21, 22, 23, 26 and 27

Mgmt. Objectives: Conservation of longleaf pine forest ecosystems,

outdoor recreation (including public hunting),

environmental education, scientific research

Date Acquired: October 25, 2007
Property Value: \$14,250,000

**58. LAUDERDALE WMA-BTW TRACT ADDITIONS** in Lauderdale County is a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 636 acre acquisition provides for several parcels that serve as public land additions to the Lauderdale Wildlife Management Area, which had been experiencing recent declines in acreage until Forever Wilds Southern Timber Venture purchase in 2001 (see purchase #20).

Location: T01S, R15W, portions of Sections 8, 14, 21, 22, 23, 26,

and 34

Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: December 4, 2007

Property Value: \$619,400

**59. MSP-NORTH SLOPE ADDITION** in Madison County consists of 154 acres of mountainous upland hardwood forest land on the Northern edge of Huntsville. The tract adjoins parcels owned by the City of Huntsville and the Land Trust of Huntsville and North Alabama, and hosts the Mountain Mist Trail which winds its way around Monte Sano Mountain. The tract is being managed as an addition to Monte Sano State Park.

Location: T03S, R01E, and portions of Sections 21 and 28

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: February 6, 2008

Property Value: \$539,000

**60. HENSHAW COVE TRACT** in Jackson County consists of 701 acres adjoining the Skyline Wildlife Management Area. The tract is comprised of mountainous and

wooded terrain, hosting caves, springs, rocky bluffs as well as grassy coves and riparian forests bordering the junction of Estill Fork and Hurricane Creek, which are two of the three principal tributaries forming the Paint Rock River. In partnership with the Alabama Chapter of The Nature Conservancy, the Alabama Forestry Commission, the Alabama Forest Resource Center and the Forever Wild Program, an additional 873 acres of forest habitat were acquired by the State Lands Division through a \$1.2 Million U.S. Forest Service Forest Legacy grant.

Location: T01S, R04E, Section 36

T02S, R04E, Sections 1 and 2

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: February 28, 2008

Property Value: \$941,459

61. MOBILE-TENSAW DELTA-MIFFLIN LAKE TRACT ADDITION in Baldwin County consists of 561 acres of wetlands dominated by flood prone hardwood timber adjoining previously purchased land along the Tensaw River and Mifflin Lake (see purchase #15 and 44). A \$1,000,000 grant from the North American Wetlands Conservation Program supported this purchase of unique habitats essential for avian conservation, as well as several rare species of plants and animals.

Location: T01S, R02E, portions of Section 5, 6 and 8

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting) and education

Date Acquired: March 15, 2008 Property Value: \$1,157,000

**62. CATHEDRAL CAVERNS-KIRKLAND TRACT ADDITION** in Marshall County consists of 20 acres that serve as an addition to the State Park. The tracts provides for expansion of the parks trail system and buffer from future development on adjacent land.

Location: T05S, R04E, Section 28

Mgmt. Objectives: Outdoor recreation, scientific research and education

Date Acquired: April 11, 2008

Property Value: \$40,000

63. STATE CATTLE RANCH TRACT in Hale County is a blackbelt prairie site that includes a mix of grassland habitats and pine-hardwood forest situated between drainages of Big German Creek. This 2,031 acre acquisition provides for habitat restoration opportunities of prairie grasslands, as well as numerous recreation opportunities that include field trial sites and handicap hunting stations.

Location: T19N and 20N, R04E, portions of Sections 3, 4, 5, 8,

9, 10, 16 and 32

Mgmt. Objectives: Recreation and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: April 23, 2008 Property Value: \$4,450,000 64. MOBILE-TENSAW DELTA-BAYOU SARA CLT ADDITION in Mobile County consists of one parcel adjoining land previously purchased along Bayou Sara (purchase #37 and 51). The parcel contributes an additional 318 acres of wetlands to the W.L. Holland Wildlife Management Area. A \$1,000,000 grant from the North American Wetlands Conservation Program supported this purchase of unique habitats essential for avian conservation, as well as several rare species of plants and animals.

Location: T02S, R01W, portions of Sections 25, 35, and 36

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting) and education

Date Acquired: June 10, 2008 Property Value: \$477,000

65. STATE CATTLE RANCH PHASE II TRACT in Hale County is a blackbelt prairie site that includes a mix of grassland habitats and pine-hardwood forest situated between drainages of Big German Creek. This 1,311 acre acquisition provides for habitat restoration opportunities of prairie grasslands, as well as numerous recreation opportunities that include field trial sites and handicap hunting stations. In partnership with the Forever Wild Program, an additional 646 acres of land were acquired by the State Lands Division.

Location: T19N/R20N, R04E, portions of Sections 2, 3, 5, 6, 10

and 11

Mgmt. Objectives: Recreation and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: August 22, 2008 Property Value: \$2,753,000

66. LAUDERDALE WMA-TASSIN TRACT ADDITIONS in Lauderdale County is a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 20 acre acquisition serves as a public land addition to the Lauderdale Wildlife Management Area, which had been experiencing recent declines in acreage until Forever Wilds Southern Timber Venture purchase in 2001 (see purchase #20, #58).

Location: T1S, R15W, a portion of Section 15
Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: December 17, 2008

Property Value: \$17,000

67. N. Q. ADAMS TRACT ADDITION in Baldwin County consists of 479 acres of oldgrowth forested wetlands adjoining the Clearwater Tract (purchase #15) within the Mobile-Tensaw Delta. In partnership with the Alabama Forestry Commission, the Alabama Forest Resource Center and the Forever Wild Program, an additional 1,100 acres of forested wetland forest habitat were acquired by the State Lands Division through a \$1.98 Million U.S. Forest Service Forest Legacy grant.

Location: T2N, R1E, Section 5

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 30, 2008

Property Value: \$863,152

**68. WEEKS BAY RESERVE-KEY TRACT ADDITION** in Baldwin County consists of a 40 acre parcel. This tract is largely comprised of forest and marsh wetland habitats, which were acquired with financial support from the National Estuarine Research Reserve System's habitat protection program.

Location: T8S, R2E, Section 13

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat Conservation, scientific research and

education

Date Acquired: May 27, 2009

Property Value: \$35,945

69. LOWNDES WMA-BIG SWAMP CREEK ADDITION in Lowndes County consists of 1,343 acres of upland and bottomland hardwoods, pine plantations and open fields on gently rolling alluvial land within Alabama's black belt. The tract is being managed, along with other federal and state land acquisitions in the area, as part of the Lowndes Wildlife Management Area. The tract abuts Highway 80 and offers new access to other WMA land in the southern quadrant of the public hunting area.

Location: T15N, R13E, portions of Sections 8, 13, 18, and 19

Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: August 21, 2009

Property Value: \$1,853,000

70. OLD CAHAWBA PRAIRIE TRACT in Dallas County is a black-belt prairie site that includes a mix of grassland habitats and pine-plantation forest situated between drainages of the Cahaba River and Big Swamp Creek. This 3,007 acre acquisition provides for habitat restoration opportunities of rare prairie habitats, as well as several recreation opportunities. The tract also adjoins the historic grounds of Old Cahawba, Alabama's first state capital site at the confluence of the Cahaba and Alabama rivers. In partnership with the Alabama Chapter of The Nature Conservancy, plantation timber is under a pre-existing 24 year lease arrangement with a third party.

Location: T16N/T15N, R09E/R10E, portions of Sections 1, 2, 3,

11, 25, 30, 31, 34 and 35

Mgmt. Objectives: Outdoor recreation (including public hunting), historic

preservation and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: August 29, 2009 Property Value: \$3,250,000

71. MULBERRY FORK WMA TRACT in Walker and Tuscaloosa County consists of a 94 year hunting lease for the entire 33,431 acre Wildlife Management Area. The tract is comprised of mountainous and wooded terrain, hosting springs, rocky bluffs as well as early successional habitats within reclaimed areas and plantation forests bordering the Bankhead Lake portion of the Black Warrior River. In partnership with the Molpus Timberlands, the plantation timber is under a pre-existing 94 year lease arrangement with a third party.

Location: Multiple townships and sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Outdoor recreation (including public hunting)

Date Acquired: October 15, 2009

Property Value: \$3,040,460

72. CAHABA RIVER WMA TRACT in Shelby and Bibb County consists of a 94 year hunting lease for 70% of the Wildlife Management Area. The tract is comprised of mountainous and wooded terrain, hosting springs, rocky bluffs as well as early successional habitats within reclaimed areas and plantation forests bordering the Cahaba River. In partnership with the Molpus Timberlands, the plantation timber is under a pre-existing 94 year lease arrangement with a third party.

Location: Multiple townships and sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Outdoor recreation (including public hunting)

Date Acquired: October 15, 2009

Property Value: \$2,469,095

73. YATES LAKE WEST TRACT in Elmore County consists of 3,518 acres of a pine-hardwood hills and creek valleys on the western shore of Yates Lake. Habitat components include longleaf pine stands and mature hardwood creek bottoms, as well as the protection of 3 miles of shoreline along the Tallapoosa River. The tract is to be managed for a broad assortment of public recreational opportunities, as a nature preserve, and an environmental education study area. This acquisition is adjacent to the #103 Yates Lake Weils Trust Addition acquisition and together they comprise the Forever Wild Gothard-AWF Yates Lake Wildlife Management Area.

Location: T19N, R21E/R22E, in Sections 10,11,12,13, 14, 15,

22, 23, 24, 25, and 7,18,19,30 respectively

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 28, 2009

Property Value: \$8,797,500

74. BARBOUR WMA-RMACK TRACT ADDITIONS in Barbour and Bullock County are a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 3,866 acre acquisition serves as a public land addition to the Barbour Wildlife Management Area, which is one of the largest and oldest state owned public hunting areas in Alabama (see purchase #2).

Location: T11N, R22E, multiple townships and sections,

T12N, R25E, Section 13

Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: January 4, 2010 Property Value: \$7,058,000

75. RED HILLS TRACT in Monroe County is a wet ravine and upland pine forest site that includes a mix of natural coastal plain habitats and pine-plantation forest situated between drainages of the Alabama River along Beaver and Tallahatchee Creek. This 2,590 acre acquisition provides crucial habitat for the federally listed red hills salamander, and many other rare species of plants and animals occupying

these habitats. The tract also offers recreation opportunities like hunting and bird watching. The tract was purchased in partnership with the Alabama Chapter of The Nature Conservancy, and in part through financial assistance from a \$2,790,000 U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Endangered Species grant.

Location: T09N, R07E, portions of Sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: February, 2010
Property Value: \$5,573,000

76. WALLS OF JERICHO SIMS, SWAIM, AND JOHNSON ADDITION in Jackson County consists of 537 acres adjoining the Skyline Wildlife Management Area. The tract is comprised of mountainous and wooded terrain, hosting caves, springs, rocky bluffs as well as grassy coves and riparian forests bordering Estill Fork, which is a principal tributary of the Paint Rock River. In partnership with the Alabama Chapter of The Nature Conservancy, the Alabama Forestry Commission, the Alabama Forest Resource Center and the Forever Wild Program, this tract was acquired in part through a \$640,000 U.S. Forest Service Forest Legacy grant.

Location: T01S, R04E, Section 36

T02S, R04E, Sections 1 and 2

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: May 28, 2010 Property Value: \$937,600

77. LAUDERDALE WMA – SHAW HOLLOW AND PEA RIDGE TRACT ADDITIONS in Lauderdale County are a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 327 acre acquisition serves as a public land addition to the Lauderdale Wildlife Management Area, which had been experiencing recent declines in acreage until Forever Wild's Southern Timber Venture purchase in 2001 (see purchase # 20, #58, and #66).

Location: T01S, R15W, a portion of Section 2, 7, 18 Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: July 28, 2010 Property Value: \$395,000

78. COON GULF-GLAWSON TRACT in Jackson County consists of 3,225 acres adjoining the TVA Raccoon Small Wild Area. The tract is comprised of mountainous and wooded terrain, hosting caves, springs, rocky bluffs as well as riparian forests bordering the Coon Gulf Cove of the Tennessee River. This tract has a pre-existing Conservation Easement recorded on it, which is monitored by partners within the Alabama Land Trust.

Location: T03S, R08E, Multiple Sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: September 13, 2010

Property Value: \$4,826,997

79. TANNEHILL LAND and RIDGES TRACT in Jefferson and Bibb County consists of 553 acres adjacent to Tannehill Ironworks Historic State Park. The tract is comprised of rolling hills and wooded terrain, hosting a variety of habitats bordering the Shades Creek, a primary tributary to the Cahaba River. The tract is cooperatively managed with the Tannehill Ironworks Historic State Park. The purchase of this tract included a charitable donation of the tract's value on the part of the seller.

Location: T21S, R05W, Section 02 Bibb Co.

T20S, R05W, Sections 27, 33, 34 Jefferson Co.

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: September 13, 2010

Property Value: \$2,240,100

**80. MSP-FLAT ROCK ADDITION** in Madison County consists of 8.8 acres of mountainous upland hardwood forest land on the Northern edge of Huntsville. The tract adjoins parcels owned by the City of Huntsville and was nominated in conjunction with the Land Trust of Huntsville and North Alabama. The tract hosts the Mountain Mist Trail which winds its way around Monte Sano Mountain. The tract is being managed as an addition to Monte Sano State Park.

Location: T04S, R01E, and portions of Section 2

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: September 13, 2010

Property Value: \$24,000

81. RED HILLS HANCOCK/CFS ADDITION in Monroe County is a wet ravine and upland pine forest site that includes a mix of natural coastal plain habitats and pine-plantation forest situated between drainages of the Alabama River along Tallahatchee Creek. This 1,786 acre acquisition provides crucial habitat for the federally listed red hills salamander, and many other rare species of plants and animals occupying these habitats. The tract also offers recreation opportunities like hunting and bird watching. The tract was purchased in partnership with the Alabama Chapter of The Nature Conservancy, and in part through financial assistance from a \$1,850,000 U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Endangered Species grant.

Location: T09N/T10N, R07E, portions of Sections 2, 3, 34, 35,

and 36

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: September 28, 2010

Property Value: \$3,517,000

**82. LAUDERDALE WMA – DENSON TRACT ADDITION** in Lauderdale County are a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 195 acre acquisition serves as a public land addition to the Lauderdale Wildlife Management Area, which had been

experiencing recent declines in acreage until Forever Wilds Southern Timber Venture purchase in 2001 (see purchase #20, #58, #66, and #77).

Location: T01S, R15W, a portion of Section 8
Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: October 29, 2010

Property Value: \$350,000

**83. RIVERTON CHA – BOONE BRANCH ADDITION** in Colbert County is a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 80 acre acquisition provides for public land additions to the Riverton Community Hunting Area, which coupled with the Freedom Hills WMA, had been experiencing recent declines in acreage until Forever Wilds Southern Timber Venture purchase in 2001 (see purchase #20, #43, and #45).

Location: T02S, R13W, portion of Section 22
Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: December 8, 2010

Property Value: \$140,000

84. LAUDERDALE WMA – WHITSETT HOLLOW ADDITION in Lauderdale County is a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 376 acre acquisition serves as a public land addition to the Lauderdale Wildlife Management Area, which had been experiencing recent declines in acreage until Forever Wilds Southern Timber Venture purchase in 2001 (see purchase #20, #58, #66, #77, and #82).

Location: T02S, R15W, a portion of Section 02 Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: December 22, 2010

Property Value: \$282,000

85. PIKE COUNTY POCOSIN-SELLERS ADDITION of 143 acres supports two unique plant communities: an uncommon scrub-hardwood/longleaf pine/reindeer moss vegetation type and an unusual evergreen plant community occurring in deep ravines on the site. This tract serves as an addition to the original purchase (see acquisition #12) within the Pocosin. It also serves to partner with Troy University, which holds a 17 acre donation of Pocosin habitat previously donated by the Seller's Family to TSU, in support of environmental education programs there.

Location: T9N, R21E, Section 1 and T9N, R22E, Section 6

Mgmt. Objectives: Conservation of Alabama's unique pocosin habitat,

outdoor recreation (including public hunting), scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: December 23, 2010

Property Value: \$306,900

**86. FREEDOM HILLS WMA–McCULLOUGH ADDITION** in Colbert County is a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 160 acre acquisition provides for public land additions to the Freedom Hills Wildlife Management Area, which had been

experiencing recent declines in acreage until Forever Wilds Southern Timber Venture purchase in 2001 (see purchase #20, #43, #45, and #46).

Location: T05S, R13W, Section 8

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: March 16, 2011

Property Value: \$256,000

**87. LITTLE RIVER CANYON-HANCOCK/TNC ADDITION** in Cherokee County is a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 1,506 acre acquisition serves as a public land addition to the Little River Canyon Wildlife Management Area, which is one of the largest and oldest state owned public hunting areas in Alabama.

Location: T07 and 08S, R10E, Multiple Sections Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: May 23, 2011 Property Value: \$2,487,467

**88. BARBOUR WMA-DIXON TRACT ADDITION** in Barbour County is a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 2,564 acre acquisition serves as a public land addition to the Barbour Wildlife Management Area, which is one of the largest and oldest state owned public hunting areas in Alabama (see purchase #2 and #74).

Location: T11N and T12N, R27E, and portions of Sections 5, 6,

7, 31, and 32

Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: June 23, 2011 Property Value: \$4,691,000

89. FREEDOM HILLS WMA ADAMS ADDITION in Colbert County consists of 102 acres of mixed pine-hardwood forest near Newsome Springs. This addition to the Freedom Hills WMA was secured through a property exchange. The Forever Wild Land Trust Board approved the exchange of 75 acres from the Riverton Community Hunting Area for the Adams Tract's 102 acres. This addition provides improved access to the Freedom Hills WMA-McCullough addition (see purchase # 86).

Location: T05S, R13W, Section 5

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 1, 2011

Property Value: \$122,400

**90. PORTERSVILLE BAY WETLANDS TRACT** in Mobile County consists of 470 acres of coastal marsh, maritime forest and piney flatwoods, which were acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through a \$1 Million National Coastal Wetlands grant. This tract compliments the Grand Bay Savanna acquisitions made since 1996.

Location: T08S, R02W, and portions of Sections 5, 6, 7, and 8

Mgmt. Objectives: Conservation of coastal wetland and maritime forest

ecosystems, outdoor recreation (including public hunting), environmental education, scientific research

Date Acquired: January 18, 2012

Property Value: \$518,000

91. PERDIDO RIVER WMA-SWIFT ADDITION in Baldwin County consists of 160 acres of wetlands and uplands within the Perdido River WMA, adjacent to existing State of Alabama tracts and previous acquisitions made through the Forever Wild Program (acquisitions #48 and #55). The tract is comprised of upland pine-sandhill forest favoring a longleaf pine community, interspersed by pitcher plant bogs.

Location: T05S, R06E, NE ¼ of Section 12

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: January 31, 2012

Property Value: \$432,000

92. COON GULF BLUE HOLE ADDITION in Jackson County consists of 120 acres within the Southern Table Plateaus and Plateau Escarpments of the Southwestern Appalachians Ecoregion. The tract is a mix of Southern Ridge and Valley Dry Calcareous Forest, South-Central Interior Mesophytic Forest, and Southern Appalachian Low Mountain Pine Forest habitats. The headwaters of Coon Creek lies on the State Lands Division's Forest Legacy tract immediately upstream to this tract and Coon Creek flows through the Blue Hole nomination into the Tennessee River/Lake Guntersville. This property adjoins TVA Program lands and State Lands Division Forest Legacy property that adjoin the Forever Wild Coon Gulf Glawson tract.

Location: T03S, R08E, Section 33

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: February 3, 2012

Property Value: \$179,945

93. WEEKS BAY RESERVE-MEADOWS TRACT ADDITION in Baldwin County consists of a 685 acre parcel. This tract, located adjacent to the Weeks Bay Reserve in Baldwin County, Alabama, is within the Barrier Islands and Coastal Marshes Ecoregion, and is comprised of East Gulf Coastal Plain Maritime Forest habitats. The site supports pine savanna within the intermixed bogs and a stream swamp.

Location: T07S, R02E, and portions of Sections 27, 28, 33, 34

and 38

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat Conservation, scientific research and

education

Date Acquired: March 10, 2012 Property Value: \$1,198,750 94. WEEKS BAY RESERVE-METCALFE TRACT ADDITION in Baldwin County consists of a 30 acre parcel. This tract, located adjacent to the Weeks Bay Reserve in Baldwin County, Alabama, is within the Barrier Islands and Coastal Marshes Ecoregion, and is comprised of East Gulf Coastal Plain Maritime Forest habitats. The site supports pine savanna within the intermixed bogs and a stream swamp. The purchase of this tract was supported with a \$88,500 NOAA grant.

Location: T08S, R02E, Section 12

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat Conservation, scientific research and

education

Date Acquired: April 5, 2012 Property Value: \$176,855

95. WEOGUFKA STATE FOREST ADDITION in Coosa County consists of a 762 acre parcel. The Weogufka State Forest Addition tract is located within the Northern Piedmont Upland district of the Piedmont Upland physiographic section. This section is characterized by elevations ranging from 500 to 600 feet. The Coosa WMA is located 1 mile to the south and the Coosa WMA Forever Wild purchase is located at the southern end of the WMA approximately 6 miles to the south. This tract was purchased with a \$500,000 donation of the appraised value.

Location: T23N, R17E, Sections 1, 11, 12, 14 and 23

Mgmt. Objectives: Outdoor recreation (including public hunting), habitat

conservation, scientific research and education

Date Acquired: June 27, 2012 Property Value: \$1,716,000

96. COLDWATER MOUNTAIN CASSIDY ADDITION in Calhoun County consists of a 20 acre parcel. This tract is located within the Southern Sandstone Ridges of the Ridge and Valley Ecoregion. The tract is composed of a mosaic of habitats including South-Central Interior Mesophytic Forest, Allegheny-Cumberland Dry Oak Forest and Woodland – Hardwood, and Southern Appalachian Low Mountain Pine Forest. The geology of this property is capped by sandstone and underlain by limestone. The tract secures additional protection of the local watershed for Coldwater Spring, a unique ecological environment and source of drinking water for local municipalities. Additionally, this tract allows for the expansion of recreational trails across the previously purchase Coldwater Mountain Tract (FW #11).

Location: T16S, R07E, Section 22

Mgmt. Objectives: Outdoor recreation, habitat conservation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: July 20, 2012 Property Value: \$40,000

97. POST OAK FLAT-PATRICK ADDITION in Jackson County consists of a 2,122 acre parcel. The Post Oak Flat - Patrick Addition is located within the Cumberland Plateau and Plateau Escarpment district of the Cumberland Plateau Ecoregion. The tract is comprised of plateaus and bluffs within a sandstone and limestone geology, pine and hardwood forest. The Post Oak Flat - Patrick Addition is located

within one of the most biologically rich habitats in the world-the Eastern Mesophytic Forest, and adjoins the Walls of Jericho Tract and Skyline WMA.

Location: T2S, R6E, Sections 17, 18, 20, 21, 28, 29, 20, 32 and

33

TS3, R6E, Section 4

Mgmt. Objectives: Outdoor recreation (including public hunting), habitat

conservation, scientific research and education

Date Acquired: August 24, 2012

Property Value: \$2,806,876

**98. SKYLINE WMA JACOBS MOUNTAIN ADDITION** in Jackson County consists of 6,392 acres adjoining the Skyline Wildlife Management Area. The tract is comprised of mountainous and wooded terrain, hosting caves, springs, rocky bluffs as well as grassy coves and riparian forests bordering Guess Creek, which is a tributary of the Paint Rock River.

Location: T02S, R04E, T03S, R04E Multiple Sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 20, 2012

Property Value: \$5,252,179

**99. TOM RAY SWAP** in Lauderdale County consists of 80 acres a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This acquisition serves as a public land addition to the Lauderdale Wildlife Management Area.

Location: T01S R14W Section 32

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 28, 2012

Property Value: \$80,000

100. LIVE OAK LANDING in Baldwin County consists of 218 acres floodplain forest land adjacent to the existing State holdings in the Mobile Tensaw Delta and 180 acres of new Coastal Impact Assistance Program land. Additionally, local government agencies have acquired 206 acres adjacent to this tract to be developed as a recreation area and Delta access point.

Location: T01S, R02E Section 43

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: December 31, 2012

Property Value: \$3,747,000

101. DESOTO STATE PARK RIVER CITY ADDITION in DeKalb County consists of 30 acres of dry hardwood forest with some areas of Appalachian pine forest and mesophytic forest. This addition will be used to increase access and supporting current uses within the Park.

Location: T06S, R09E Section 24

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: March 8, 2013 Property Value: \$126,000

102. CATHEDRAL CAVERNS CEDAR WINDS is 4 acres in Marshall County that will serve as an addition to the Cathedral Caverns State Park. The State Parks Division purchased the adjacent 6 acres with camping facilities. The wooded tract provides additional area to act as a buffer to protect the cave and provides an area for extending trails from the campground area of the Park.

Location: T05S, R04E Section 32

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: March 27, 2013

Property Value: \$21,952

103. YATES LAKE WEST WEIL TRUST ADDITION in Elmore County consists of 1,975 acres of a rolling well-dissected pine-hardwood hills and creek valleys on the western shore of Yates Lake. The tract includes approximately 3 miles of shoreline. The habitat has been managed for timber and wildlife for many years, including some longleaf pine plantings. This acquisition is adjacent to the Yates Lake West acquisition and together they comprise the Forever Wild Gothard-AWF Yates Lake Wildlife Management Area. The tract is to be managed for a broad assortment of public recreational opportunities, including public hunting, and as a nature preserve, and an environmental education study area.

Location: T19N, R21E Sections 1, 2, and 12

T19N, R22E Sections 6 and 7

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting) scientific research and education

Date Acquired: June 14, 2013 Property Value: \$4,937,500

104. COOSA WMA HANCOCK PHASE II in comprised of 842 acres in Coosa County and consists of Mountain Longleaf habitat interspersed by hardwood drains and pine plantations within the Weogufka Creek watershed. All of the land lies within the Coosa Wildlife Management Area, one of Alabama's oldest established public hunting areas. The property is thought to be able to support federally listed endangered red-cockaded woodpeckers (*Picoides borealis*) that are known to occur on the adjacent land.

Location: T22N, R17E Sections 26, 27, 34 and 35

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: July 12, 2013 Property Value: \$1,580,000

**105. RIVERTON CHA ABLES ROAD ADDITION** is 160 acres in Colbert County that provides additional public land to the Riverton Community Hunting Area, and the

Freedom Hills WMA (see purchase #20, #43, and #45). The land is a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats.

Location: T3S, R14W Section 19

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: October 17, 2013

Property Value: \$304,000

**106. BLUE SPRINGS STATE PARK ADDITION** is a 100 acres in Barbour County adjacent to Blue Springs State Park and offers an opportunity to increase the trails system and increase visitor use. The tract is composed of upland pine forests, wooded mesic slopes and small stream floodplain forest.

Location: T8N, R25E Section 23

Mgmt. Objectives: State Park addition, outdoor recreation, habitat

conservation, scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 31, 2013

Property Value: \$140,000

107. WEEKS BAY RESERVE—SWIFT #1 MARTIN ADDITION is 63 acres in Baldwin County. This tract is one of three tracts that fill an inholding in the Weeks Bay Reserve along the Mobile Bay shoreline. It is comprised of pine savanna intermixed with bogs and a stream swamp. These habitat types are home to a number of sensitive species including the Eastern Coral Snake (*Micrurus fulvius*), Wood Thrush (*Hylocichla mustelina*) and Long-tailed Weasel (*Mustela frenata*). This tract was acquired by with financial support from the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

Location: T08S, R03E Section 28

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, scientific and education

Date Acquired: January 15, 2014

Property Value: \$248,000

108. WEEKS BAY RESERVE-SWIFT #3 LIPSCOMB ADDITION is a 40 acre tract in Baldwin County. This tract is one of three tracts that fill an inholding in the Weeks Bay Reserve along the Mobile Bay shoreline. It is comprised of pine savanna intermixed with bogs and a stream swamp. These habitat types are home to a number of sensitive species including the Eastern Coral Snake (*Micrurus fulvius*), Wood Thrush (*Hylocichla mustelina*) and Long-tailed Weasel (*Mustela frenata*). This tract was acquired by with financial support from the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

Location: T08S, R03E, Section 33

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, scientific and education

Date Acquired: January 28, 2014

Property Value: \$160,000

**109. CAHABA RIVER-SHELBY COUNTY PARK** is a 460 acre tract in Shelby County along the Cahaba River and adjacent to property owned by Shelby County. It is

comprised of dry oak and pine forest with recovering clear cuts of pine plantation and steep mesic slopes on the river banks. This property has approximately one mile of frontage on the Cahaba River and the Cahaba Shiner (*Notropis cahabae*) has been recorded from that stretch of the river.

Location: T21S, R5W, Section 24

T21S, R4W, Section 19

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: May 21, 2014 Property Value: \$1,886,000

110. WALLS OF JERICHO HURRICANE CREEK ADDITION is a 277 acre tract in Jackson County adjoining the Skyline Wildlife Management Area. The tract is comprised of mountainous and wooded terrain, hosting caves, springs, rocky bluffs as well as grassy coves and riparian forests bordering Hurricane Creek, which is a principal tributary of the Paint Rock River.

Location: T01S, R04E, Section 25 and 36

T01S, R05E, Section 31

Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting, habitat conservation, outdoor

recreation, scientific research and education

Date Acquired: May 21, 2014 Property Value: \$423,000

**111. SIPSEY RIVER SWAMP 2012** is a 624 acres tract in Tuscaloosa County comprised of large areas of small stream and river floodplain forest. This tract lies along the Sipsey River, which is one of the last wild, free flowing swamp streams in Alabama and home to a number of imperiled mollusk species.

The previously purchased FW Sipsey River Swamp Complex of tracts is located an estimated 18 river miles south of this acquisition. The addition of this tract will allow for the expansion of recreational opportunities including hunting, fishing, wildlife observation, and paddling sports along the Sipsey River corridor.

Location: T19S, R12W, Sections 22, 23, 25, and 26

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: May 23, 2014 Property Value: \$918,400

**112. SIPSEY RIVER SWAMP-SPRINGER** is a 936 acre tract in Tuscaloosa County adjacent to tract 111. This tract is also located along the Sipsey River and as mentioned above allows for expansion recreational opportunities and preservation of the unique bottomland habitats found along the river.

Location: T19S, R12W, Sections 26, 26, 35, and 36

T20S, R12W, Sections 2 and 20

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: July 22, 2014

Property Value: \$1,360,000

**113. SIPSEY RIVER SWAMP—TH ROBERTSON** is a 1,889 acre tract in Tuscaloosa County adjacent to tract 112. This tract is also located along the Sipsey River and as mentioned above allows for expansion recreational opportunities and preservation of the unique bottomland habitats found along the river.

Location: T19S, R12W Sections 26, 27, 34 and 35

T20S, R12W Sections 2, 11, 14, 23, 26, and 35

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: August 14, 2014

Property Value: \$2,457,000

**114. DOTHAN TRAIL PARK** is a 251 acre purchase and a 58 acre donation of land within the city limits of Dothan, Houston County. This tract is managed in cooperation with the city of Dothan to provide recreational trail opportunities as well as habitat conservation and education.

Location: T3N, R26E, Sections 20, 21, 28 and 29

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: September 9, 2014

Property Value: \$3,180,000

**115. SIPSEY RIVER SWAMP PRUETT** is a 274 acres tract in Tuscaloosa County adjacent to tract 112. This tract is also located along the Sipsey River and as mentioned above allows for expansion recreational opportunities and preservation of the unique bottomland habitats found along the river.

Location: T20S, R12W, Sections 10 and 11

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: October 29, 2014

Property Value: \$400,000

**116. PERDIDO WMA BARNHILL ADDITION** is a 191 acres tract in Baldwin County. This tract was an inholding within the Perdido WMA. It has frontage along the Perdido River and allows for the expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities.

Location: T4S, R1E, Section 1

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: January 8, 2015

Property Value: \$480,000

**117. GRAND BAY SAVANNA DRAKE ADDITION** in Mobile County consists of 120 acres of coastal marsh and flatwoods, just onshore of the Gulf of Mexico. This tract

was an inholding within the Grand Bay Savanna Community Hunting Area and allows for the expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities.

Location: T7S, R3W, Section 39

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: March 20, 2015

Property Value: \$195,000

118. DOTHAN TRAIL PARK Phase II (part I) is a 27 acre tract of land within the city limits of Dothan, Houston County. This tract is managed in cooperation with the city of Dothan to provide recreational trail opportunities as well as habitat conservation and education.

Location: T3N, R26E, Sections 20, 21, 28 and 29

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: June 18, 2015 Property Value: \$280,000

**119. HERON BAY WETLANDS TRACT** in Mobile County consists of 462 acres of coastal marsh, maritime forest and piney flatwoods, which were acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through a \$1 Million National Coastal Wetlands grant.

Location: T08S, R02W, and portions of Sections 18 and 32
Mgmt. Objectives: Conservation of coastal wetland and maritime forest

ecosystems, outdoor recreation, environmental

education, scientific research

Date Acquired: June 25, 2015 Property Value: \$508,200

**120. FRANK JACKSON STATE PARK – PRITCHETT TRACT** is a 400 acre tract in Covington County. It is comprised of bottomland hardwood habitat along Lightwood Knot Creek and adjacent mixed forest uplands.

Location: T4N, R17E, portions of Sections 25, 31, 35 and 36
Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: July 1, 2015 Property Value: \$770,000

121. YATES LAKE WEST GUY ADDITION in Elmore County consists of 123 acres of a rolling well-dissected pine-hardwood hills and creek valleys. The habitat has been managed for timber and wildlife for many years, including some longleaf pine plantings. This acquisition is adjacent to the Yates Lake West and Yates Lake West Weil Trust Addition acquisitions and together they comprise the Forever Wild Gothard-AWF Yates Lake Wildlife Management Area. The tract is to be managed

for a broad assortment of public recreational opportunities, including public hunting, and as a nature preserve, and an environmental education study area.

Location: T19N, R21E, portions of Sections 2 and 11

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting) scientific research and education

Date Acquired: August 4, 2015

Property Value: \$297,000

122. LILLIAN SWAMP WETLANDS in Baldwin County consists of 689 acres of coastal marsh, maritime forest and piney flatwoods, which were acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through a National Coastal Wetlands grant. This tract is part of the Lillian Swamp Complex providing for an expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities in the southern region of the State.

Location: T7S, R6E, portions of Sections 1 and 12 and T7S, R7E

portions of Sections 7, 8, and 17

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: August 21, 2015

Property Value: \$689,000

**123. AUTAUGA WMA POSEY'S CROSSROAD ADDITION** in Autauga County consists of 365 acres. This Forever Wild Land Trust purchase provided the required state matching funds for a grant awarded to the DCNR Wildlife Section for an additional 1,132 adjoining acres. The 365 acres will become a part of the Autauga WMA providing for an expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities in the central region of the State.

Location: T19N, R15E, portions of Sections 25 and 26 and T19N,

R16E, a portion of Section 30

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: September 9, 2015

Property Value: \$876,100

**124. DESOTO STATE PARK STEWARD GAP ADDITION** in DeKalb County consists of 253 acres of dry hardwood forest with some areas of Appalachian pine forest and mesophytic forest. This addition will be used to increase access and supporting current uses within the Park.

Location: T6S, R9E, and portions of Sections 24 and 25

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: September 21, 2015

Property Value: \$605,000

**125. MARTIN TIMBER SWAP** in Colbert County consists of a value for value swap of land resulting in an increase of 425 acres to the Freedom Hills WMA. The 425

acres provides for an expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities in the north region of the State.

Location: T4S, R13W, Multiple Sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: October 20, 2015
Property Value: Value for Value

**126. AUTAUGA WMA OAK GROVE ADDITION** in Autauga County consists of 359 acres. This Forever Wild Land Trust purchase provided the required state matching funds for a grant awarded to the DCNR Wildlife Section for an additional 993 adjoining acres. The 359 acres will become a part of the Autauga WMA providing for an expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities in the central region of the State.

Location: T19N, R15E, Multiple Sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: November 9, 2015

Property Value: \$732,200

127. WEEKS BAY RESERVE #2 SWIFT TRACT: MEYERS ADDITION in Baldwin County consists of 29 acres. This tract, located adjacent to the Weeks Bay Reserve in Baldwin County, Alabama, is within the Barrier Islands and Coastal Marshes Ecoregion, and is comprised of East Gulf Coastal Plain Maritime Forest habitats. The site supports pine savanna within the intermixed bogs and a stream swamp.

Location: T8S, R3E, Section 28

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: December 14, 2015

Property Value: \$116,000

**128. AUTAUAGA WMA OLD KINGSTON ADDITION** in Autauga County consists of 351.6 acres. This Forever Wild Land Trust purchase provided the required state matching funds for a grant awarded to the DCNR Wildlife Section for an additional 1,060.4 adjoining acres. The 351.6 acres will become a part of the Autauga WMA providing for an expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities in the central region of the State.

Location: T18N, R15E, portions of Section 5

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: January 27, 2016

Property Value: \$770,218

**129. WALLS OF JERICHO – ESTILLFORK ADDITION** in Jackson County consists of 72 acres adjoining the Skyline Wildlife Management Area. The tract is comprised

of mountainous and wooded terrain, hosting caves, springs, rocky bluffs as well as grassy coves and riparian forests.

Location: T1S, R4E, portions of Sections 24 and 25

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: May 27, 2016

Property Value: \$86,500

**130. DALLAS COUNTY WMA PHASE I** in Dallas County consists of 497.2 acres. This Forever Wild Land Trust purchase provided the required state matching funds for a grant awarded to the DCNR Wildlife Section for an additional 1,690.5 adjoining acres. The 497.2 acres will become a part of the Cedar Creek Special Opportunity Area providing for an expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities in the central region of the State.

Location: T14N, R10E, portions of Sections 8, 9, 16, and 17
Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: June 23, 2016 Property Value: \$1,421,500

131. HENSHAW COVE ADDITION in Jackson County consists of 40 acres adjoining the Skyline Wildlife Management Area. The tract is comprised of mountainous and wooded terrain, hosting caves, springs, rocky bluffs as well as grassy coves and riparian forests bordering the junction of Estill Fork and Hurricane Creek, which are two of the three principal tributaries forming the Paint Rock River.

Location: T2S, R4E, portions of Section 1

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: July 11, 2016 Property Value: \$101,000

**132. HINDS ROAD OUTCROP** in Etowah County consists of 80 acres of dry hardwood forest with some areas of Appalachian pine forest, mesophytic forest, ad rock outcrops.

Location: T11S, R6E, portions of Sections 29 and 30

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: July 15, 2016

Property Value: \$76,000

**133. POST OAK FLAT SHIFLETT ADDITION** in Jackson County consists of 160 acres adjoining the Skyline Wildlife Management Area. The tract is comprised of mountainous and wooded terrain, hosting caves, springs, rocky bluffs as well as grassy coves and riparian forests.

Location: T3S, R6E, portions of Section 4

T2S, R6E, portions of Section 33

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: July 27, 2016 Property Value: \$180,000

134. AUTAUGA WMA JOFFRE ADDITION in Autauga County consists of 335 acres. This Forever Wild Land Trust purchase provided the required state matching funds for a grant awarded to the DCNR Wildlife Section for an additional 1306.09 adjoining acres. The 335 acres will become a part of the Autauga WMA providing for an expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities in the central region of the State.

Location: T18N, R14E, portions of Sections 1 and 2

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: August 9, 2016

Property Value: \$688,000

**135.** YATES LAKE TAPLEY ADDITION in Elmore County consists of 40 acres of a pine-hardwood creek valley on Yates Lake that is being managed for a public recreational site, a nature preserve and an environmental education study area. Serves as part of the Forever Wild Gothard-AWF Yates Lake Wildlife Management Area.

Location: T19N, R21E, portions of Section 1

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: August 29, 2016

Property Value: \$96,149

**136. GSP STUBBLEFIELD MOUNTAIN ADDITION** in Marshall County is 640 acres of steep, mixed pine-hardwood covered property that serves as an addition to Guntersville State Park.

Location: T7S, R4E, portions of Sections 13, 14, 23 and 24

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: October 12, 2016

Property Value: \$700,000

**137. MSP DUGHILL WEST ADDITION** in Madison County consists of 133.8 acres of mountainous upland hardwood forest land on the eastern edge of Huntsville that is being managed as an addition to Monte Sano State Park.

Location: T4S, R1E, portions of Sections 2 and 3

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: October 13, 2016

Property Value: \$230,000

138. CAHABA RIVER-SHELBY COUNTY PARK SHADES CREEK ADDITION is a 734 acre tract in Shelby County along the Cahaba River and adjacent to property owned by Shelby County. It is comprised of dry oak and pine forest with recovering clear cuts of pine plantation and steep mesic slopes on the river banks. This property has approximately one mile of frontage on the Cahaba River and the Cahaba Shiner (*Notropis cahabae*) has been recorded from that stretch of the river.

Location: T21S, R5W, Multiple Sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: October 28, 2016

Property Value: \$3,707,000

139. DOTHAN TRAIL PARK Phase II (part II) is a 51 acre tract of land within the city limits of Dothan, Houston County. This tract is managed in cooperation with the city of Dothan to provide recreational trail opportunities as well as habitat conservation and education.

Location: T3N, R26E, Sections 20

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: November 4, 2016

Property Value: \$1,220,000

140. OLD CAHAWBA PRAIRIE ADDITION in Dallas County is a black-belt prairie site that includes a mix of grassland habitats and pine-plantation forest situated between drainages of the Cahaba River and Big Swamp Creek. This 1,505 acre acquisition provides for habitat restoration opportunities of rare prairie habitats, as well as several recreation opportunities.

Location: T16N, R9E, Sections 25 and 36;

T16N, R10E, Sections 19, 30, 31

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 1, 2016

Property Value: \$3,770,000

141. AUTAUGA WMA PHASE II ADDITION in Autauga County consists of 574 acres. This Forever Wild Land Trust purchase provided the required state matching funds for a grant awarded to the DCNR Wildlife Section for an additional 1,272 adjoining acres. The 574 acres will become a part of the Autauga WMA providing for an expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities in the central region of the State.

Location: T19N, R15E, and portions of Sections 25 and 26

T19N. R16E. and Section 30

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 21, 2016

Property Value: \$880,000

**142. DSP TUTWILER ADDITION** in DeKalb County consists of 140 acres that serve as an addition to Desoto State Park. The tracts provides for expansion of the park's trail system and buffer from future development on adjacent land.

Location: T06S, R10E, portions of Sections 4 and 5

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: January 13, 2017

Property Value: \$700,000

143. DALLAS COUNTY WMA PHASE II ADDITION in Dallas County consists of 866.9 acres. This Forever Wild Land Trust purchase provided the required state matching funds for a grant awarded to the DCNR Wildlife Section for an additional 2,839.4 adjoining acres. The 866.9 acres will become a part of the Cedar Creek Special Opportunity Area providing for an expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities in the central region of the State.

Location: T14N, R10E, portions of Sections 4, 9, and 10

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Property Value: \$2,479,000

144. INDIAN MOUNTAIN SIMMONS ADDITION in Cherokee County consists of 520 acres of mountainous upland hardwood forest land along a route which will permit the connection of the Pinhoti Trail in the Talladega National Forest of Alabama with the southern terminus of the Appalachian Trail in Georgia. This tract serves as an addition to acquisitions #7 and #18.

Location: T11S, R11E, portions of Sections 34, 35, and 36

Mgmt. Objectives: Facilitate long-distance hiking and other compatible

conservation uses (including public hunting)

Date Acquired: January 30, 2017

Property Value: \$610,000

145. WBR MEADOWS PHASE II ADDITION in Baldwin County consists of a 242.5 acre parcel. This tract, located adjacent to the Weeks Bay Reserve in Baldwin County, Alabama, is within the Barrier Islands and Coastal Marshes Ecoregion, and is comprised of East Gulf Coastal Plain Maritime Forest habitats. The site supports pine savanna within the intermixed bogs and a stream swamp.

Location: T7S, R2E, portions of sections 28, 29, and 38

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat Conservation, scientific research and

education

Date Acquired: February 1, 2017

Property Value: \$388,000

**146. SKYLINE WMA–THREWER POINT ADDITION** in Jackson County consists of 40 acres adjoining the Skyline Wildlife Management Area. The tract is comprised of mountainous and wooded terrain, hosting caves, springs, rocky bluffs as well as grassy coves and riparian forests.

Location: T3S, R4E, a portion of section 30

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: March 21, 2017

Property Value: \$48,000

**147. YATES LAKE NORTH ADDITION** in Elmore County consists of 277 acres of a pine-hardwood creek valley on Yates Lake that is being managed for a public recreational site, a nature preserve and an environmental education study area. Serves as part of the Forever Wild Gothard-AWF Yates Lake Wildlife Management Area.

Location: T20N, R21E, portions of sections 35 and 36

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: May 12, 2017 Property Value: \$831,000

**148. UCHEE CREEK CONFLUENCE** in Russell County consists of 4,735 acres. This tract serves as the Uchee Creek Special Opportunity Area providing for an expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities in the central region of the State.

Location: T16N, R28E, portions of Sections 6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 17, 18,

19, 20, 21, and 30

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: July 7, 2017 Property Value: \$10,040,000

**149. UPPER WOLF BAY SAVANNA AND MARSH** in Baldwin County consists of 568 acres of pine savanna wetland habitat, adjacent Wolf Bay and is being managed as a Nature Preserve.

Location: T8S, R5E, portions of Sections 17 and 20

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: July 14, 2017 Property Value: \$2,901,837

**150. WEEKS BAY RESERVE BAY ROAD WEST ADDITION** in Baldwin County consists of 64 acres. This tract, located adjacent to the Weeks Bay Reserve in Baldwin County, Alabama, is within the Barrier Islands and Coastal Marshes

Ecoregion, and is comprised of East Gulf Coastal Plain Maritime Forest habitats. The site supports pine savanna within the intermixed bogs and a stream swamp.

Location: T8S, R2E, portion of Section 12

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: August 9, 2017

Property Value: \$294,400

**151. SKYLINE WMA POLE BRANCH ADDITION** in Jackson County consists of 111 acres adjoining the Skyline Wildlife Management Area. The tract is comprised of mountainous and wooded terrain, hosting caves, springs, rocky bluffs as well as grassy coves and riparian forests.

Location: T3S, R5E, portion of Section 7

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: August 31, 2017

Property Value: \$211,000

**152. DESOTO STATE PARK JONES ADDITION** in DeKalb County consists of 8 acres of dry hardwood forest with some areas of Appalachian pine forest and mesophytic forest. This addition will be used to increase access and supporting current uses within the Park.

Location: T6S, R10E, portion of Section 4

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: September 6, 2017

Property Value: \$65,000

**153. WEEKS BAY RESERVE SUNSET SHORES ADDITION** in Baldwin County consists of 2.75 acres. This tract, located adjacent to the Weeks Bay Reserve in Baldwin County, Alabama, is within the Barrier Islands and Coastal Marshes Ecoregion, and is comprised of East Gulf Coastal Plain Maritime Forest habitats. The site supports pine savanna within the intermixed bogs and a stream swamp.

Location: T8S, R2E, portion of Section 12

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: October 4, 2017

Property Value: \$168,000

**154. DALLAS COUNTY WMA ADDITION** in Dallas County consists of 145 acres. This Forever Wild Land Trust serves as an addition to the Cedar Creek Special Opportunity Area providing for an expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities in the central region of the State.

Location: T14N, R10E, portions of Sections 10 and 15

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: October 6, 2017

Property Value: \$200,000

**155. OLD CAHAWBA PRAIRIE CHILDERS CREEK ADDITION** in Dallas County is a black-belt prairie site that includes a mix of grassland habitats and pine-plantation forest situated between drainages of the Cahaba River and Big Swamp Creek. This 54 acre acquisition provides for habitat restoration opportunities of rare prairie habitats, as well as several recreation opportunities.

Location: T16N, R10E, portion of Section 19

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: November 15, 2017

Property Value: \$102,600

**156. DESOTO STATE PARK FRENCH ADDITION** in DeKalb County consists of 3 acres of dry hardwood forest with some areas of Appalachian pine forest and mesophytic forest. This addition will be used to increase access and supporting current uses within the Park.

Location: T6S, R9E, portion of Section 25

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: November 15, 2017

Property Value: \$60,000

157. GRAND BAY SAVANNA-SOLET ADDITION in Mobile County consists of 2,462 acres of piney flatwoods adjacent to existing State of Alabama tracts and previous acquisitions made through the Forever Wild Program. This tract was a donation from The Nature Conservancy which was acquired with National Fish and Wildlife Foundation Funds. This tract is being managed as a nature preserve and for recreation as part of the Grand Bay Savanna Community Hunting Area.

Location: T7S, R4W, portions of Sections 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26,

27, 28, and 34

Mgmt. Objectives: Conservation of coastal wetland ecosystems, outdoor

recreation (including public hunting), environmental

education, scientific research

Date Acquired: December 29, 2017

Property Value: \$4,538,000

158. COON GULF-HEARD ADDITION in Jackson County consists of 40 acres. The Coon Gulf - Heard Addition lies within the Southern Table Plateaus and Plateau Escarpments of the Southwestern Appalachians Ecoregion. The tract is a mix of Southern Ridge and Valley Dry Calcareous Forest, South-Central Interior Mesophytic Forest, and Southern Appalachian Low Mountain Pine Forest habitats. This property adjoins previous Coon Gulf Forever Wild tract purchases to the west.

Location: T03S, R08E, and Section 23

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: January 12, 2018

Property Value: \$55,000

**159. LAKE LURLEEN-ROEBUCK ADDITION** in Tuscaloosa County consists of 70 acres of sloped upland hardwood forest lying to the south and east, adjacent to Lake Lurleen State Park. This tract will be managed as an addition to Lake Lurleen State Park.

Location: T20S, R11W, and Section 22

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: February 26, 2018

Property Value: \$105,000

**160. PINE BARREN CREEK** in Dallas County consists of 1,050 acres. This Forever Wild Land Trust purchase provided the required state matching funds for a grant awarded to the DCNR Wildlife Section for an additional 3,694 adjoining acres. The 1,050 acres is part of the WMA providing for an expansion of Special Opportunity Hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities in the central region of the State.

Location: T13N, R9E, and portions of Sections 8,9,15,16,17,18 Mgmt. Objectives: habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: February 22, 2018

Property Value: \$2,799,600

**161. MCQUINN LAND SWAP** in Jackson County consists of 40 acres of sloped, upland hardwoods. This swap provided for better public access to existing holdings of the Skyline Wildlife Management Area.

Location: T3S, R4E, and a portion of Section 17

Mgmt. Objectives: habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: March 22, 2018

Property Value: \$100,000

**162. FREEDOM HILLS WMA-RANDOLPH HOLLOW ADDITION** in Colbert County is a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 240 acre acquisition provides for public land additions to the Freedom Hills Wildlife Management Area.

Location: T4S, R14W, and portions of Sections 28 and 33

Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: June 7, 2018 Property Value: \$375,000 **163. LAUDERDALE WMA-NEWMAN ADDITION** in Lauderdale County is 1106 acres of mixed pine/hardwood forest habitats. This acquisition provides for additional land to complement the existing Lauderdale Wildlife Management Area.

Location: T1S, R15W, and a portion of Section 35 Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: June 28, 2018 Property Value: \$176,000

**164. BIG CANOE CREEK** in St. Clair County is a 382 acre Ridge and Valley tract that includes a mix of upland hardwood/pine forest situated along the Big Canoe Creek drainage. This acquisition provides for habitat restoration opportunities of rare habitats, as well as several recreation opportunities.

Location: T14S, R2E, and portions of Sections 19, 24, and 25
Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: June 29, 2018 Property Value: \$1,012,000

**165. PERDIDO WMA-FREISE ADDITION** in Baldwin County consists of 47 acres of uplands within the Perdido River Wildlife Management Area, adjacent to existing State of Alabama tracts and previous acquisitions made through the Forever Wild Program. The tract is comprised of upland pine-sandhill forest favoring a longleaf pine community, interspersed by pitcher plant bogs.

Location: T4S, R6E, and a portion of Section 36

Mgmt. Objectives: habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: July 26, 2018 Property Value: \$150,400

166. RED HILLS-ZIEBACH ADDITION in Monroe County is an upland pine forest site that is situated adjacent to a mix of natural coastal plain habitats and pine-plantation forest between drainages of the Alabama River along Beaver and Tallahatchee Creek. This 50 acre acquisition connects a formerly outlying 40 acre property to previously purchased Forever Wild property. This property provides crucial habitat for the federally listed red hills salamander, and many other rare species of plants and animals occupying these habitats.

Location: T10N, R7E, and portions of Section 36

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: July 27, 2018

Property Value: \$65,000

**167. BON SECOUR SWIFT SCHOOL TRACT** in Baldwin County is 250 acres of blackwater floodplain forest, and pine flatwoods, opening into brackish, tidally influenced marshland.

Location: T8S, R3E, and a portion of Section 25

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: August 22, 2018

Property Value: \$875,000

**168. RUM CREEK** in Dallas County is a 1,106 acre tract largely comprised of hardwood floodplain forest, with the Alabama River serving as the northern boundary of the tract. This acquisition provides for additional land purchased concurrently for the creation of the Portland Landing Special Opportunity Area.

Location: T13N, R9E, and portions of Sections 4 and 5

T14N, R9E, a portion of Sections 28, 29, 32, and 33

Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: September 4, 2018

Property Value: \$2,601,728

169. COLDWATER MOUNTAIN-RICE ADDITION in Calhoun County is an 18.64 acre tract that was a former in-holding within the larger Coldwater Mountain Tract (purchase #11). The 18.64 acres consists of an upland pine-hardwood forest overlooking portions of Anniston and Oxford, AL. The tract secures a ridgetop, as well as contributing to the larger conservation goal of protecting a portion of the local watershed of Coldwater Spring.

Location: T16S, R7E, a portion of Section 24

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: October 15, 2018

Property Value: \$21,000

170. MTD-SLAUGHTER LAND SWAP in Baldwin County was a land swap that resulted in a net gain of 418 acres added to the MTD Tract (purchase #15). The MTD Tracts that span the northern portions of Baldwin and Mobile Counties are comprised of bottomland hardwoods, cypress/tupelo swamps, bogs, marshes and a variety of other wetland habitat types interspersed amid abundant water ways of rivers, creeks, sloughs, ponds and lakes. These lands are managed for public hunting and habitat conservation within the Upper Delta Wildlife Management Area.

Location: T20S, R5W, a portion of Sections 43 and 46

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: November 5, 2018

Property Value: \$1,233,100

171. TANNEHILL AYERS ADDITION in Jefferson County is a 354 acre tract largely comprised of rolling hills and wooded terrain, hosting a variety of habitats bordering Shades Creek, a primary tributary to the Cahaba River. The tract is cooperatively managed with the Tannehill Ironworks Historic State Park.

Location: T20S, R5W, and portions of Sections 26, 27, and 28 Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: November 20, 2018

Property Value: \$1,655,000

**172. BARBOUR WMA-LEAK CREEK ADDITION** in Barbour County is a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 1,048 acre acquisition serves as a public land addition to the Barbour Wildlife Management Area, which is one of the largest and oldest state owned public hunting areas in Alabama (see purchase #2, #74, and #88).

Location: T11N, R27E, portions of Sections 7, 16, 17, and 18
Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 11, 2018

Property Value: \$1,619,200

**173. GRAND BAY SAVANNA-LITTLE RIVER ADDITION** in Mobile County consists of 363.5 acres of piney flatwoods adjacent to existing State of Alabama tracts and previous acquisitions made through the Forever Wild Program. This tract is being managed as a nature preserve and for outdoor recreation.

Location: T7S, R3W, portions of Sections 28, 29, 32, 33, and 39 Mgmt. Objectives: Conservation of coastal wetland ecosystems, outdoor

recreation (including public hunting), environmental

education, scientific research

Date Acquired: April, 1, 2019 Property Value: \$1,396,000

174. COLDWATER MOUNTAIN-SARRELL ADDITION in Calhoun County is a 19.5 acre tract adjacent to the larger Coldwater Mountain Tract (purchase #11). The addition consists of an upland pine-hardwood forest overlooking portions of Anniston and Oxford, AL. The tract secures a ridgetop, as well as contributing to the larger conservation goal of protecting a portion of the local watershed of Coldwater Spring.

Location: T16S, R8E, a portion of Section 18

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: June 20, 2019

Property Value: \$26,000

175. BIG CANOE CREEK-EPPS ADDITION in St. Clair County is a 40 acre addition to the Big Canoe Creek tract (purchase #164). This addition includes a mix of upland mixed hardwood forest situated in the Big Canoe Creek drainage. This acquisition provides for habitat restoration opportunities of rare habitats, as well as furthering access and recreation opportunities.

Location: T14S, R1E, a portion of Section 24

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: June 28, 2019 Property Value: \$110,000

**176. WBR MEADOWS PHASE III ADDITION** in Baldwin County consists of a 29 acre parcel. This tract is adjacent to previously purchased Weeks Bay Reserve property in Baldwin County and support pine savanna with intermixed bogs and stream swamp/marshland.

Location: T7S, R2E, a portion of Sections 38

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, scientific research and education

Date Acquired: July 2, 2019 Property Value: \$160,000

177. GRAND BAY SAVANNA-RICHARD ADDITION in Mobile County consists of 80 acres of piney flatwoods adjacent to existing State of Alabama tracts and previous acquisitions made through the Forever Wild Program. This tract was a donation from The Nature Conservancy which was acquired with National Fish and Wildlife Foundation Funds. This tract is being managed as a nature preserve and for recreation as part of the Grand Bay Savanna Community Hunting Area.

Location: T7S, R4W, a portion of Section 23

Mgmt. Objectives: Conservation of coastal wetland ecosystems, outdoor

recreation (including public hunting), environmental

education, scientific research

Date Acquired: July 22, 2019 Property Value: \$160,000

**178. FREEDOM HILLS WMA-ROBBINS ADDITION** in Colbert County is a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This 154 acre acquisition provides for public land additions to the Freedom Hills Wildlife Management Area.

Location: T4S, R14W, a portion of Sections 20 Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: August 5, 2019

Property Value: \$127,000

**179. FREEDOM HILLS WMA-BURGESS SWAP** in Colbert County was a 44.2 acre gain in a value for value swap of mixed of pine and hardwood forest habitats that provided for greater public land access to the Freedom Hills Wildlife Management Area.

Location: T5S, R13W, and portions of Sections 5, 6, and 8

Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: September 13, 2019
Property Value: Value-For-Value Swap

**180. GSP SMITH CEMETERY ADDITION** in Marshall County is a 46 acre addition to Guntersville State Park, north of Town Creek. This property is a mix of regenerating pine/hardwoods and is adjacent to State Park property.

Location: T7S, R5E, portions of Section 5

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: September 30, 2019

Property Value: \$74,000

**181. CAHABA RIVER-SAVAGE CREEK TRACT** in Shelby County consists of 311 acres along the Cahaba River. The tract is comprised of sloping wooded terrain with sandy floodplains along the river. Potential habitat exists for discovery of new populations of the rare Alabama endemic, *Phlox pulchra* (Alabama Phlox).

Location: T21S, R5W, portions of Sections 25 and 36

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: November 26, 2019

Property Value: \$1,500,000

**182. BEAVERDAM SWAMP TRACT** in Limestone County has aquatic habitat that is vital to the Federally listed Spring Pygmy Sunfish (*Elassoma alabamae*). This 497.11 acre property will be preserved primarily to protect the existing and future population of this species at this location.

Location: T4S, R3W, a portion of Sections 10 and 15

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation (consistent with the recovery of

the Spring Pygmy Sunfish), outdoor recreation,

scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 12, 2019

Property Value: \$13,920,000

183. RED HILLS SECTION 2 ADDITION in Monroe County is a wet ravine and upland pine forest site that includes a mix of natural coastal plain habitats and pine-plantation forest. This 330 acre addition to existing holdings provides crucial habitat for the federally listed red hills salamander, and many other rare species of plants and animals occupying these habitats. The tract also offers recreation opportunities like hunting and bird watching. This tract was acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through a \$250,000 Recovery Land Acquisition Grant.

Location: T9N, R7E, and a portion of Section 2

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 27, 2019

Property Value: \$825,000

**184. RED HILLS – FLAT CREEK PHASE 1** in Monroe County is a wet ravine and upland pine forest site that includes a mix of natural coastal plain habitats and pine-

plantation forest. This 370 acre addition to existing holdings provides crucial habitat for the federally listed red hills salamander, and many other rare species of plants and animals occupying these habitats. The tract also offers recreation opportunities like hunting and bird watching. This tract was acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through a Recovery Land Acquisition Grant.

Location: T9N, R7E, and a portion of Sections 28 and 29

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: January 31, 2020

Property Value: \$851,000

185. RED HILLS – FLAT CREEK PHASE 2 in Monroe County is a wet ravine and upland pine forest site that includes a mix of natural coastal plain habitats and pine-plantation forest. This 53 acre addition to existing holdings provides crucial habitat for the federally listed red hills salamander, and many other rare species of plants and animals occupying these habitats. The tract also offers recreation opportunities like hunting and bird watching. This tract was acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through a Recovery Land Acquisition Grant.

Location: T9N, R7E, and a portion of Section 33

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: January 31, 2020

Property Value: \$127,200

186. SKYLINE WMA – CROW MOUNTAIN ADDITION in Jackson County is a 178 acre property located within the Cumberland Plateau and Plateau Escarpment district of the Cumberland Plateau Ecoregion. The tract is comprised of wide plateaus and steep bluffs within a sandstone and limestone geology, supporting mixed pine and hardwood forest. The addition is located within one of the most biologically rich habitats in the world, the Eastern Mesophytic Forest and adjoins Skyline WMA.

Location: T2E, R6E, and a portion of Section 30

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: February 14, 2020

Property Value: \$312,000

187. CAHABA RIVER-MOHON TRACT is a 351 acre tract in Bibb County which lies within the Southern Sandstone Ridges of the Ridge and Valley Ecoregion. The tract is comprised of Allegheny-Cumberland Dry Oak Forest and Woodland, Southern Appalachian Low Mountain Pine Forest, and pine plantations. The federally threatened Round Rocksnail (*Leptoxis ampla*) and the federally endangered Cylindrical Lioplax (*Lioplax cyclostomaformis*) are known to occur in the adjacent Cahaba River. This tract has about 2.3 miles of river frontage including three small islands in an area of river shoals with Cahaba Lilies. This tract will serve as an addition to the Cahaba River Wildlife Management Area.

Location: T22S, R5W, and portions of Sections 11, 13, 14, and

15

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: February 21, 2020

Property Value: \$1,125,000

188. BLACKWATER RIVER SOUTH is a 2,269.11 acre tract in Baldwin County consisting of upland sandy, wet-pine savanna, and associated wetland habitats adjacent the Perdido River and upper Perdido Bay. The entirety of the tract shall be managed as a SOA and Nature Preserve, serving as refugia for species.

Location: T6S/T7S, R6E, and portions of multiple sections Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including Mgmt. Objectives:

public hunting), scientific research and education

March 6, 2020 Date Acquired: Property Value: \$7,147,700

189. **RED HILLS – BAUCOM ADDITION** is a 20 acre tract addition to the Red Hills Complex in Monroe County. The area is a mosaic of wet ravine and upland pine forest site that includes a mixture of natural coastal plain habitats and pineplantation forest. This addition, adjacent to existing holdings, provides crucial habitat for the federally listed red hills salamander, and many other rare species of plants and animals occupying these habitats. The tract also offers recreation opportunities like hunting and bird watching. This tract was acquired, in part, with funds from the Pittman-Roberts Act.

Location: T9N, R7E, and a portion of Section 33

Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including Mgmt. Objectives:

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: June 26, 2020

Property Value: \$62,000

190. PORTLAND LANDING - GILMORE ADDITION is a 317 acre tract addition to the Portland Landing Special Opportunity Area in Dallas County. It provides expanded hunting, habitat preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities in the central region of the State.

Location: T13N/T14N, R9W, and portions of multiple sections Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including Mgmt. Objectives:

public hunting), scientific research and education

August 18, 2020 Date Acquired:

Property Value: \$769,000

191. MSP - MCCOMBS ADDITION is a 121 acre tract in Madison County of mountainous upland hardwood forest land on the north eastern edge of Huntsville that is being managed as an addition to Monte Sano State Park.

Location: T3S, R1E, and a portion of Section 26

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: August 18, 2020

Property Value: \$296,000

192. RED HILLS – FLAT CREEK PHASE 3 is a 998 acre tract in Monroe County acre tract addition to the Red Hills Complex in Monroe County. The area is a mosaic of wet ravine and upland pine forest site that includes a mixture of natural coastal plain habitats and pine-plantation forest. This addition, adjacent to existing holdings, provides crucial habitat for the federally listed red hills salamander, and many other rare species of plants and animals occupying these habitats. The tract also offers recreation opportunities like hunting and bird watching.

Location: T9N, R7E, and a portion of Section 33

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: August 31, 2020

Property Value: \$2,794,400

193. RED HILLS – BROWN ADDITION is a 570 acre tract in Monroe County acre tract addition to the Red Hills Complex in Monroe County. The area is a mosaic of wet ravine and upland pine forest site that includes a mixture of natural coastal plain habitats and pine-plantation forest. This addition, adjacent to existing holdings, provides crucial habitat for the federally listed red hills salamander, and many other rare species of plants and animals occupying these habitats. The tract also offers recreation opportunities like hunting and bird watching.

Location: T9N/T10N, R7E, and portions of multiple sections Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: September 10, 2020

Property Value: \$1,439,500

**194. D'OLIVE BAY** is a 212 acre tract in Baldwin County, a portion of which lies in the City of Daphne. The nature preserve/recreation area is a mosaic of mixed hardwoods and pines, with low-lying areas eventually draining into Mobile Bay. The tract offers recreation opportunities like hunting and bird watching. This tract also provides habitat suitable for the Alabama Red-bellied Turtle (Pseudemys alabamensis), a Federally Listed as Endangered Species.

Location: T4S, R1E/R2E, and portions of multiple sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research, and education

Date Acquired: October 23, 2020

Property Value: \$378,200

195. PERDIDO WMA – MCNEILL ADDITION, in Baldwin County, is a 23 acre inholding addition adjacent to existing State of Alabama tracts and previous acquisitions made through the Forever Wild Program (beginning with acquisition #48). The tract adds to the forested wetland habitats supporting an Atlantic whitecedar community within a unique blackwater stream corridor, as well as associated drains and bogs, which are bordered by an upland pine-sandhill forest favoring a longleaf pine community.

Location: T4S, R6E, S36

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 18, 2020

Property Value: \$88,500

196. THIGPEN HILL OPTION A, PHASE I is a 2,245 acre tract dominated by mixed hardwood draws, interspersed pine stands in Butler County. The tract is being managed as a Special Opportunity Area (SOA) and Recreation Area. The tract is located on both the eastern and western side of AL Hwy 263/Braggs Road. The tract is adjacent to land owned by the Retirement Systems of Alabama (The Cambrian Ridge Golf Course) and the City of Greenville.

Location: T11N, R13E/R14E, and portions of multiple sections Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 23, 2020

Property Value: \$4,090,000

197. LITTLE RIVER STATE FOREST ADDITION is a 712 acre tract in Escambia County northwest of McCullough Road and east of Presswood Bridge Road. The tract lies due west of Huxford and is approximately four miles from Interstate 65. The tract is an addition to the southern portion of Little River State Forest and is being managed as a Special Opportunity Area.

Location: T3N, R6E, and portions of multiple sections

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: December 28, 2020

Property Value: \$1,797,200

**198. CEDAR CREEK SOA – ELM BLUFF ADDITION** in Dallas County consists of 245 acres. This Forever Wild Land Trust serves as an addition to the Cedar Creek Special Opportunity Area providing for an expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration, and recreation opportunities in the central region of the State.

Location: T14N, R10E, Portions of Sections 19 & 30 Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: May 12, 2021

Property Value: \$704,500

**199. MTD – THE CUTOFF ADDITION** in Baldwin County consists of 223 acres. This Forever Wild Land Trust acquisition will provide many immediate consumptive and non-consumptive recreational opportunities to the public. The tract and adjacent properties are open to public hunting, and trapping, consistent with Departmental regulations for Mobile-Tensaw Delta's Upper Delta and W.L. Holland Wildlife Management Areas.

Location: T04S, R01E, Section 1

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: July 28, 2021 Property Value: \$245,300

**200. THIGPEN HILL OPTION A, PHASE II** in Butler County consists of 2290 acres. The tract is being managed as a Special Opportunity Area (SOA) and Recreation Area. The tract is dominated by mixed hardwood draws, interspersed pine stands in Butler County. The tract is located on both the eastern and western side of AL Hwy 263/Braggs Road. The tract is adjacent to land owned by the Retirement Systems of Alabama (The Cambrian Ridge Golf Course) and the City of Greenville.

Location: T11N, R14E, Portions of Sections 3,4,5,6,7, and 8

Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: October 8, 2021 Property Value: \$4,515,000

**201. CWM-CARROLL ADDITION** in Calhoun County consists of 43 acres. The Coldwater Mountain Tracts are not open to public hunting, fishing, or trapping. The tract will provide as many immediate consumptive and non-consumptive recreational opportunities to the public as the tract will accommodate, consistent with the protection of the resource; will also provide opportunities for academic research, field studies and ecological education on the property.

Location: T16S, R07E, Portions of Section 22
Mgmt. Objectives: Public hunting and habitat conservation

Date Acquired: October 15, 2021

Property Value: \$55,000

202. OAK MOUNTAIN STATE PARK - BELCHER LAKE ADDITION in Shelby County consists of 1611 acre that lies within the Southern Sandstone Ridges of the Ridge and Valley Ecoregion. The tract is primarily Allegheny-Cumberland Dry Oak Forest and woodlands with Southern-central Mesopphytic Forest and Southern Piedmont Longleaf Pine Woodlands. The tract offers recreation opportunities, like hiking, horseback riding trails, hunting and wildlife observation.

Location: T19S, R01W, Portions of Sections 17,18,19,29,30,31

And T19S, R02W Sections 35 and 36.

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: December 29, 2021

Property Value: \$12,082,000

203. RED HILLS PARRIS TRUST ADDITION in Monroe County consists of 305 acres. The area is a mosaic of wet ravine and upland pine forest site that includes a mixture of natural coastal plain habitats and pine-plantation forest. This addition, adjacent to existing holdings, provides crucial habitat for the federally listed red hills salamander, and many other rare species of plants and animals occupying these habitats. The tract also offers recreation opportunities like hunting and bird watching. This tract was acquired, in part, with funds from the Pittman-Roberts Act.

Location: T09N, R07E, Section 22

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: May 9, 2022 Property Value: \$717,000

**204. D'OLIVE BAY ADDITION** is a 29 acre tract in Baldwin County that lies within the Gulf Coastal Marshes of the Southern Coastal Plain Ecoregion. The tract Tidal Wooded Swamps and Salt and Brackish Tidal Marsh bounded by Larger River Floodplain Forest. The tract offers Nature Preserve and a Recreation Area, with the potential to offer protected habitat for sensitive wildlife species and for recreational opportunities such water access point for canoes and kayaks and a trail head site for hiking trails.

Location: T4S, R02E, Sections 30 and 31

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research, and education

Date Acquired: August 26, 2022

Property Value: \$232,000

205. STYX RIVER WETLANDS is a 140 acre tract in Baldwin County that lies within the Mississippi Alluvial and Southeast Coastal Plains Ecoregion. The tract is comprised of Gulf Coast Flatwoods and Eastern Temperate Forests. The geological make-up of the tract is described as alluvial, coastal, and low terrace deposits. The tract offers recreation opportunities with potential to provide wildlife observation and river access for paddlers. The tract has ample paved road frontage and an existing limited road system.

Location: T6S, R06E, Section 15

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research, and education

Date Acquired: August 29, 2022

Property Value: \$697,000

206. TURKEY CREEK NATURE PRESERVE – PARKER ADDITION in Jefferson County consists of 173 acres of mixed pine and hardwood forest along Turkey Creek. The tract is managed as a Nature Preserve and hosts passive recreational opportunities that include hiking and nature photography. The tract is cooperatively managed with the Black Warrior Cahaba Rivers Land Trust, the City of Pinson, and local citizens groups supporting the conservation of the Turkey Creek Watershed.

Location: T15S, R02W, Section 26

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research, and education

Date Acquired: August 30, 2022

Property Value: \$500,000

**207. COLDWATER MOUNTAIN – MCVEY ADDITION** in Calhoun County consists of 56 acres of a former inholding comprised of upland pine-hardwood forest overlooking portions of Anniston and Oxford, AL. The tract secures a ridgetop, as well as contributing to larger conservation goals.

Location: T16S, R7E, Section 22

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research, and education

Date Acquired: November 18, 2022

Property Value: \$70,000

208. PERDIDO RIVER WMA – SNOWDEN BRANCH ADDITION in Baldwin County consists of 620 acres of low wetlands and some sandy upland areas adjacent to a previous acquisition made through the Forever Wild Program (acquisition #48). The entirety of this tract is comprised of low wetlands, black water drainages, sandhills with sandy uplands favoring dynamic longleaf pine communities, interspersed by pitcher plant bogs.

Location: T3S, R04E, Section 1

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research, and education

Date Acquired: December 1, 2022

Property Value: \$1,550,000

209. RED HILLS WMA – FLAT CREEK PHASE IV in Monroe County consists of 269 acres of a wet ravine and upland pine forest that includes a mix of natural coastal plain habitats and pine-plantation forest adjacent to previous purchases. This addition provides crucial protection of habitat for the federally listed red hills salamander, and many other umbrella species of plants and animals occupying these habitats. The tract also offers recreation opportunities like hunting and bird watching. This tract was acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through a Recovery Land Acquisition Grant.

Location: T9N, R07E, Section 32 & T8N, R07E, Section 5

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research, and education

Date Acquired: December 20, 2022

Property Value: \$652,000

**210. FREEDOM HILLS WMA – BODDIE ADDITION** in Colbert County consists of 149 acres is a mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This purchase is adjacent to existing purchases and adds to the public land of the Freedom Hills Wildlife Management Area.

Location: T4S, R14W, Section 6

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research, and education

Date Acquired: March 17, 2023

Property Value: \$190,000

**211. AUTAUGA COUNTY WMA – CR112 ADDITION** in Autauga County consists of 580 acres adding to the rolling upland and pine ridges of the Autauga WMA. This allows for an expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities in the central region of the State.

Location: T19N, R14E, Sections 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, & 27
Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research, and education

Date Acquired: March 31, 2023 Property Value: \$1,750,000

**212. COLDWATER MOUNTAIN – ROBERTSON ADDITION** in Calhoun County consists of 43 acres of an inholding comprised of upland pine-hardwood forest overlooking portions of Anniston and Oxford, AL. The tract secures a ridgetop, as well as contributing to larger conservation goals.

Location: T16S, R7E, Section 22

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research, and education

Date Acquired: April 6, 2023 Property Value: \$56,000

213. CAHABA RIVER – SHELBY CO. PARK PEEL ADDITION in Shelby County consists of 110 acres of an inholding in the Cahaba River Park. The tract has 1.25 miles of riverbank of the Cahaba River. The acreage is comprised of sloping wooded terrain with sandy floodplains along the river.

Location: T21S, R5W, Sections 25, 26,35, & 36

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research, and education

Date Acquired: May 5, 2023 Property Value: \$825,000 214. RED HILLS - FLAT CREEK PHASE V in Monroe County consists of 593 acres of a wet ravine and upland pine forest that includes a mix of natural coastal plain habitats and pine-plantation forest adjacent to previous purchases. This addition provides crucial protection of habitat for the federally listed red hills salamander, and many other umbrella species of plants and animals occupying these habitats. The tract also offers recreation opportunities like hunting and bird watching. This tract was acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through a Recovery Land Acquisition Grant.

Location: T8N, R7E, Sections 5 & 8

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research, and education

Date Acquired: June 2, 2023 Property Value: \$1,334,000

215. RIVERTON CHA - BARNETT MILL HOLLOW in Colbert County consists of 507 dry upland hardwood forests. This tract provides addition acreage to the Riverton Community Hunting Area for public hunting. This tract also provides suitable habitat for the Golden Eagle (Aquila chrysaetos) and protects the watershed of Ross Creek.

Location: T2S, R14W, Sections 19 & 20

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research, and education

Date Acquired: June 13, 2023 Property Value: \$910,000

**216. RIVERTON CHA - HURD HOLLOW ADDITION** in Colbert County consists of 237 acres dry upland hardwood forests. This tract provides addition acreage to the Riverton Community Hunting Area for public hunting.

Location: T3S, R15W, Sections 14 & 23

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research, and education

Date Acquired: June 16, 2023 Property Value: \$470,000

**217. AUTAUGA WMA - HART ADDITION** in Autauga County consists of 20 acres adding to the rolling upland and pine ridges of the Autauga WMA. This allows for an expansion of public hunting, preservation, habitat restoration and recreation opportunities in the central region of the State.

Location: T19N, R14E, Section 26

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research, and education

Date Acquired: August 13, 2023

Property Value: \$25,000

218. OAK MOUNTAIN STATE PARK – BELCHER PHASE 2 ADDITION in Shelby County consists of 277 acres that lies within the Southern Sandstone Ridges of the Ridge and Valley Ecoregion. The tract is primarily Allegheny-Cumberland Dry Oak Forest and woodlands with Southern-central Mesophytic Forest and Southern Piedmont Longleaf Pine Woodlands. The tract as an addition to Oak Mountain State Park, offers recreation opportunities, like hiking, horseback riding trails, and wildlife observation.

Location: T19N, R01W, Sections 29, 30, & 31

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: December 1, 2023

Property Value: \$3,320,000

**219.** LAKE GUNTERSVILLE STATE PARK – JOHN DOSS MOUNTAIN ADDITION in Marshall County consists of 60 acres of mixed pine-hardwood covered property that serves as an addition to Guntersville State Park.

Location: T07S, R05E, Section 7

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research, and education

Date Acquired: January 24, 2024

Property Value: \$180,000

**220. HERON BAY WETLANDS ADDITION** in Mobile County consists of 4,666 acres of salt and brackish tidal marsh, pine flatwoods and wet savannah with some tidal wooded swamp. The tract was acquired by the State Lands Division with Gulf of Mexico Energy Security Act (GOMESA) funds and is donated to the FWLT as a 100% value donation.

Location: T08S, R01W & 02W

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research, and education

Date Acquired: August 15, 2024

Property Value: \$5,138,000

**221. LILLIAN SWAMP BLACKWATER ADDITION** in Baldwin County consists of 166 acres of mix of pine flatwoods, tidal wooded swamp, treeless savanna and wet prairie, salt and brackish tidal marsh and floodplain forest.

Location: T07S, R06E, Section 2

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research, and education

Date Acquired: September 17, 2024

Property Value: \$365,200

**222. SIPSEY RIVER SWAMP – BROWNVILLE ADDITION** in Tuscaloosa County consists of 1,212 acres river floodplain forest in the Sipsey River swamp and allows for expansion recreational opportunities and preservation of the unique bottomland habitats found in the Sipsey River Swamp Complex.

Location: T19S, R12W, Sections 2,3,11,14, & 15

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat preservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research and education

Date Acquired: September 17, 2024

Property Value: \$1,790,000

223. RED HILLS – SECTION 23 ADDITION in Monroe County consists of 20 acres of wet ravine and upland pine forest that includes a mixture of natural coastal plain habitats and pine-plantation forest. This addition, adjacent to existing holdings, provides crucial habitat for the federally listed red hills salamander, and many other rare species of plants and animals occupying these habitats. The tract also offers recreation opportunities like hunting and bird watching. This tract was acquired, in part, with funds from the Pittman-Roberts Act.

Location: T09N, R07E, Section 23

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research, and education

Date Acquired: February 18, 2025

Property Value: \$27,000

**224. FREEDOM HILLS WMA – SUTTON HILL ADDITION** in Colbert County consists of 17 acres mix of pine and hardwood forest habitats. This purchase is adjacent to existing purchases and adds to the public land of the Freedom Hills Wildlife Management Area.

Location: T04S, R14W, Section 6 & 7

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation (including

public hunting), scientific research, and education

Date Acquired: March 19, 2025

Property Value: \$40,000

**225. BON SECOUR RIVER WETLANDS ADDITION** in Baldwin County consists of 67 acres of blackwater floodplain forest, and pine flatwoods, opening into brackish, tidally influenced marshland. This tract was acquired with financial support from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, through a National Coastal Wetlands Program grant.

Location: T08S, R03E, Section 39

Mgmt. Objectives: Habitat conservation, outdoor recreation, scientific

research and education

Date Acquired: April 21, 2025 Property Value: \$263,100

TOTAL NUMBER OF TRACTS ACQUIRED TO DATE: 225

TOTAL FOREVER WILD ACREAGE (reflecting exchanges and swaps): 293,533 acres TOTAL OF TRACT PROPERTY VALUES (at the time of purchase): \$337,025,633