

Interstate Forestry Tower

Managing Agency: Forest Service

County: Caroline

DNR Land Unit: Interstate Forestry Tower

Location: Route 404 at Maryland/Delaware line.

Access: Fronts on Route 404.

Base Elevation: 50 above mean sea level

Tax Map and Parcel: Map 44, Parcel 21

Size of Unit: 0.5 acre

Liber/Folio: 92/403

Deed Date: 18 November 1931

Acquired From: Edward and Della Brown

Date of Tower Installation: 1931

Tower Height: 120 feet

Condition: The steel structure is in good shape. The wooden steps and cab are in disrepair. The first 20 feet of steps have been removed for safety reasons. The security fence and adjacent areas are somewhat overgrown.

Sensitive Features: None

Current Use: Fire Tower/Communications site (MSP). There is also a monument commemorating the resurvey of the Mason-Dixon Line in 1976, and an electrical utility cabinet on the property near the base of the tower.

Potential Uses: Communications

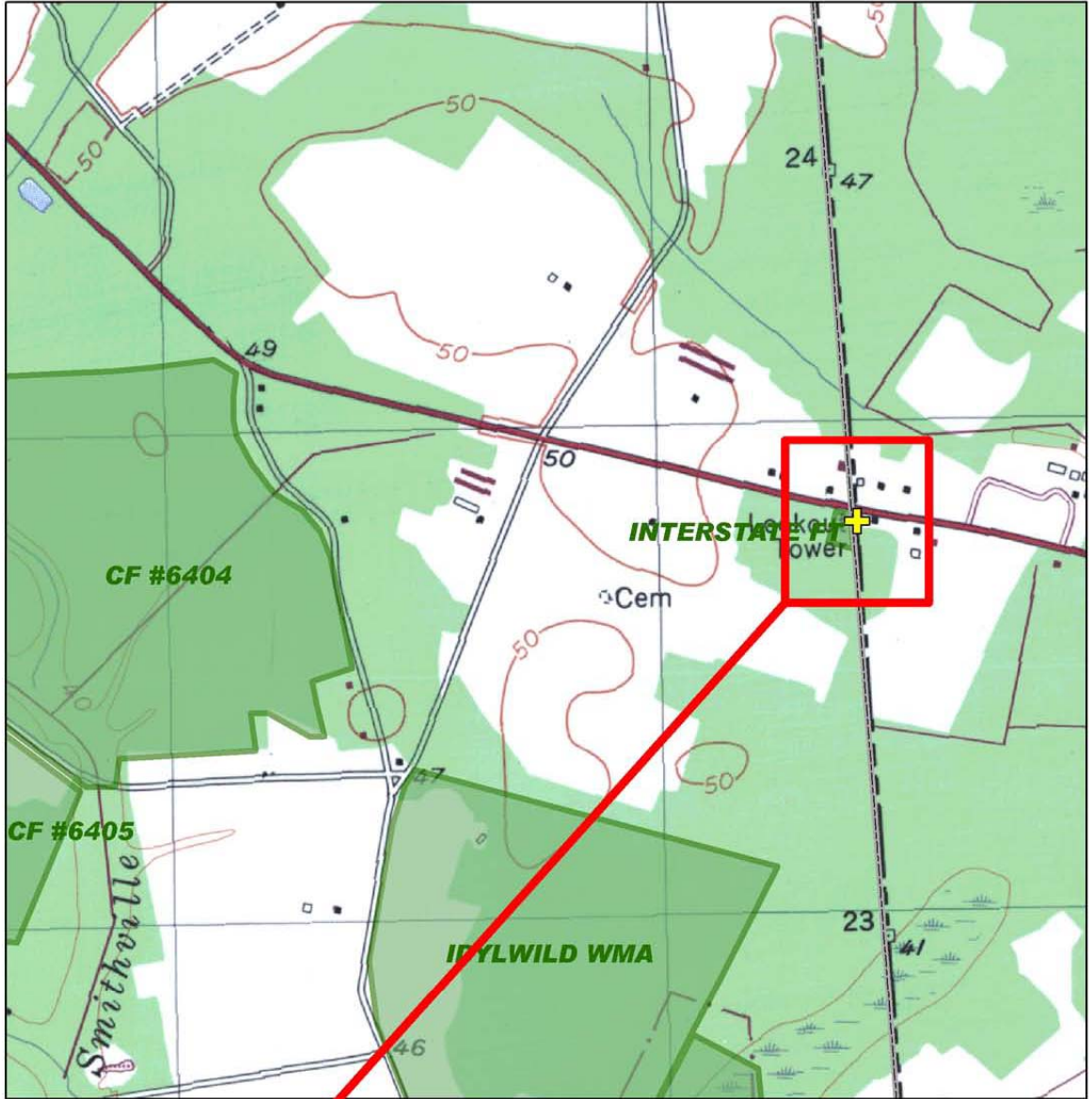
Recommended disposition: Retain as communications facility

Other Notes: Deed does contain a reverter clause. Property reverts to previous owners or their assigns if the State of Maryland stops using the property for the "...administration of the laws of the State of Maryland relating to Forestry..." Portions of the property may cross the Delaware line.



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Enlarged with 2005 Imagery

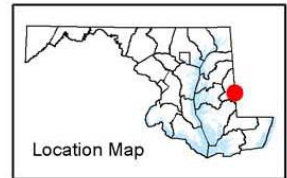


1,320 Feet



Legend

- Forest Tower Property
- DNR Land



This map was created for general planning purposes. Public Lands Policy and Planning compiled it from data sets available at the time of analysis; current conditions may differ.

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