

APPENDIX H-9

Kentucky Division of Forestry Correspondence

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Subject: RE: I-69 ORX Project; Section 4(f) - Green River State Forest
Date: Friday, July 28, 2017 9:52:11 AM
Attachments: [GRSF boundary-Rd. Map "15.pdf](#)
[Green River Topo.pdf](#)

Answers below

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Eric,

In FHWA's consideration of the Green River State Forest (GRSF) as a Section 4(f) resource, they have asked for formal documentation (a response via email will suffice) of the following information:

- 1) Are there any areas within GRSF that are specifically used for recreation? This can include designated hiking trails, camping grounds, shelters, or other facilities specifically developed for recreation within the forest. If there are recreational facilities, could you please identify them on the attached map? [Map attached shows the maintained designated multi-use trails \(hiking, horseback riding, hunter access, birdwatchers etc.\)](#) They're numbered 10-21, we're unsure why they start at 10.

- 2) If there are no designated recreation areas, are there areas that are frequently used for those purposes? [The slough areas that show up on the topo map are used by waterfowl hunters, the river frontage is used for bank fishing, the entire area is used by small game, deer, and turkey hunters when in season.](#)

- 3) Are there any organized recreational programs that occur at GRSF? [No](#)

- 4) In our earlier conversation, you indicated that there are a few dirt roads which had been used to access gas wells in GRSF that are now used as footpaths by hikers. Are these roads shown on the attached map? If not, do you have a map that shows these roads? [The show up on the attached topo map.](#)

Thank you again for your help with the I-69 ORX Project!

Sincerely,

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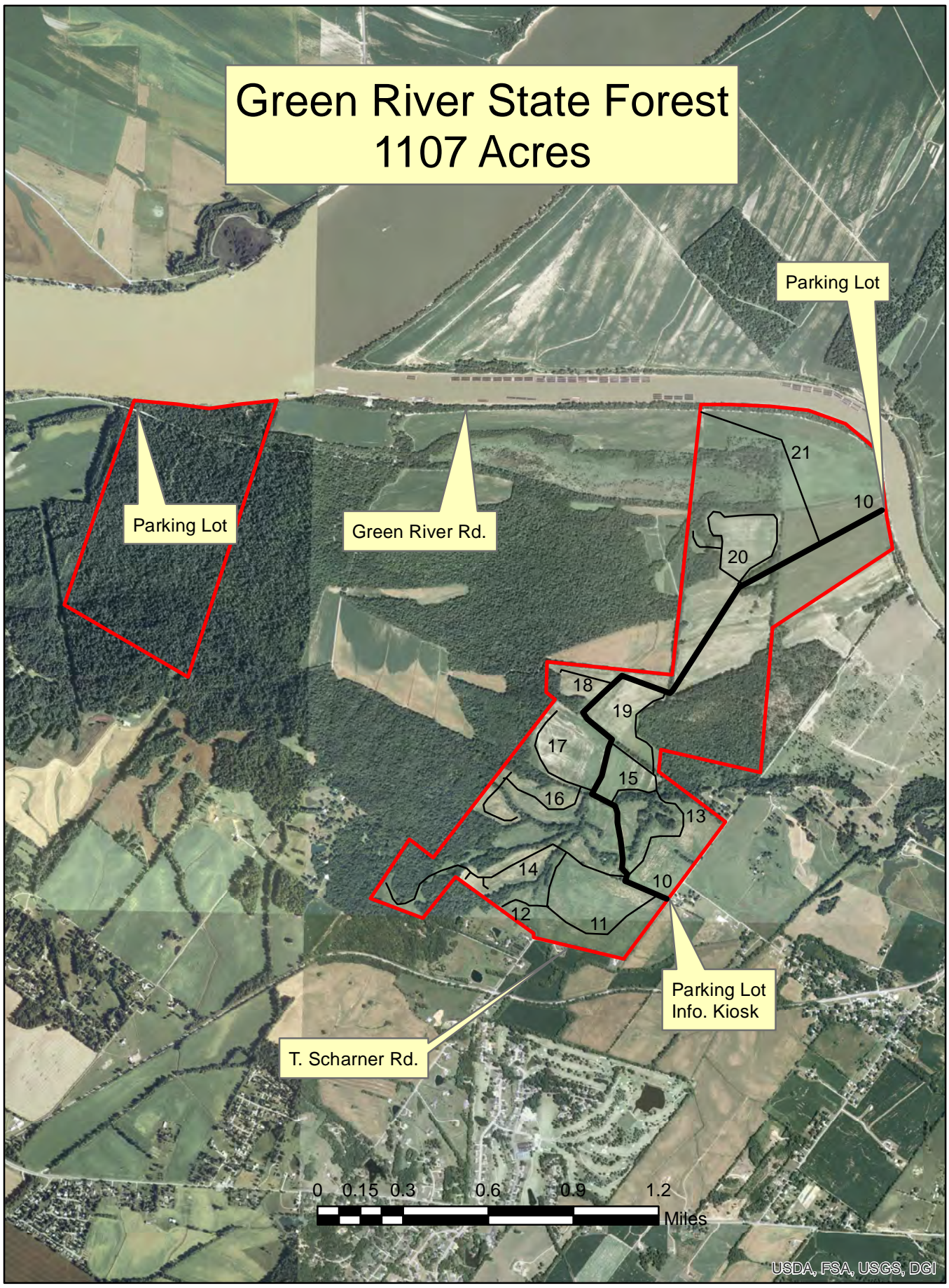


Figure C-3: Aerial of Green Rivers State Forest with Multi-Use Trails
 Source: Eric Gracey, Kentucky Division of Forest, July 28, 2017

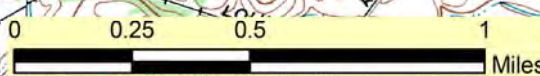
Green River State Forest

Slough Area and Riverfront Used for Fishing and Waterfowl Hunting

Figure C-4
Green River State Forest
Topographical Map

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Source: Eric Gracey, KY Division of Forestry