



Alaska Department of
**NATURAL
RESOURCES**

Proposed Amendment
CSSB28(RES): Susitna State Forest; Sale of Timber
Division of Forestry
March 21, 2014

The Department of Natural Resources, Division of Forestry, proposes removing certain parcels from the Susitna State Forest after public outreach in the surrounding areas. Concern was expressed that designating those parcels as state forest could preclude future community expansion opportunities. The following parcels were removed: S-35, U-01a through U-01f, W-01g, H-06A and b, P-03 and P-02—a total of 76,200 acres.

The table below provides the parcels recommended for inclusion in the state forest, as amended.

PROPOSED SUSITNA STATE FOREST, AS AMENDED			
Parcel	Acreage	General Location	Block
Susitna-Matanuska Area Plan			
P-13a	18,100	Kroto Creek East	East Petersville
P-13b	49,600	Kroto Creek West	West Petersville
P-13c	3,300	Amber Lake	West Petersville
U-26a	35,400	Yentna River West	Yentna
R-03a	6,500	Nakoshna River	Yentna
R-03b	33,600	Skwentna River North	West Skwentna
U-26b	15,500	Skwentna River North	West Skwentna
R-03c	5,100	Hayes River	West Skwentna
M-07a	24,200	Canyon Creek	South Skwentna
M-07b	187,000	Mount Susitna	Mount Susitna
M-07c	2,500	Theodore River	Mount Susitna
M-07d	5,800	Alexander Creek West	Alexander Creek
U-24a	10,300	Alexander Creek East	Alexander Creek
U-04a	500	Kroto Slough	Susitna
U-04b	155,800	Kahiltna River	Susitna
U-07e	104,100	Skwentna Village	East Skwentna
B-10	15,200	Yenlo Creek	East Skwentna
Southeast Susitna Area Plan			
S-03a	300	Deshka Landing	Red Shirt Lake
S-03b	13,300	Deshka Landing South	Red Shirt Lake
S-03c	700	Susitna Village	Red Shirt Lake
TOTAL	686,800		

An additional amendment on page 2, line 11, would clarify that the transportation objective for the Susitna State Forest is to provide access for management and multiple use throughout the Susitna State Forest.

