

**RARE PLANT SURVEYS, HABITAT MAPPING, AND DOCUMENTATION ON ALLIGATOR CREEK WILDLIFE  
MANAGEMENT AREA, WHEELER COUNTY, GEORGIA**

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## INTRODUCTION

The Georgia Department of Natural Resources Wildlife Resources Division (GA DNR-WRD) is preparing a Strategic Plan for Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area (ACWMA) in Wheeler County, Georgia. Knowledge about rare species and unique habitats for this area is limited. Although several rare plants are known from the area, detailed information about their current population levels and vigor is lacking. Based upon an initial habitat assessment, it is also believed that the potential for occurrences of other rare plants is high at ACWMA. Whereas the presence of rare species and habitats will influence the management objectives of the Strategic Plan for ACWMA, there is a need to conduct rigorous rare plant surveys there. This will involve visiting historic rare plant sites and conducting surveys in suitable habitats. Thus, the primary objectives of this project are to search for rare plants on ACWMA at historical sites and in suitable habitats, to document any such populations discovered, and to provide data on these populations and on rare habitats to GA DNR-WRD staff. Funding from the federal State Wildlife Grants program, available through the State Lands Survey grant, will be used to conduct this survey (Anonymous 2019), which is continuation of field efforts during 2018 (cf. Carter and Snow 2018).

## OBJECTIVES

As detailed in Anonymous (2019), following are the major objectives of this project.

1. Conduct vascular plant surveys for plants of conservation concern and their habitats on Alligator Creek WMA during the spring and summer of 2019.
2. Report rare plant locations and submit data to the Biotics Database for use in developing the Strategic Plan. Maintain communication with WCS project administrator on important finds throughout the agreement period. Provide feedback on current land use and future conditions mapping efforts that are underway by WCS staff.
3. Submit a final report containing site descriptions, maps, and important botanical discoveries made during the project.

## METHODS

Rare plant surveys were conducted across ACWMA in late spring and summer of 2019 (Figure 1). Locations of confirmed rare species and their habitats were reported to the NCS project administrator throughout the project period to keep staff working on the Strategic Plan up to date on important finds, this included all potential tracked plant species and others thought to be of special interest by the surveyors. Additionally, comments were made to the NCS project administrator using Avenza Maps ([avenza.com](http://avenza.com)) about mapped community types (Figure 2). The list of priority target species includes, but is not limited to, *Amorpha georgiana*, *Litsea aestivalis*, *Lindera melissifolia*, *Marshallia ramosa*, *Penstemon dissectus*, *Rhexia salicifolia*, *Rhynchospora crinipes*, *Rhynchospora culixa*, *Rhynchospora solitaria*, *Sarracenia flava*, *Sarracenia minor*, and *Sarracenia psittacina* (Krakow 2018). Global Positioning System (GPS) locations and data on each rare plant species found are provided in the final report, based upon the GA DNR-WRD Special Plant Survey Form, i.e., biology (phenology, number of individuals, population area, age structure, vigor), habitat (environmental and associated natural community), identification, threats, as well as conservation, management, or research needs.

Global Positioning System (GPS) data (latitude, longitude) were taken to locate each population or rare plant. GPS data (Datum WGS 84, equivalent to NAD 83) were taken using a Garmin GPSMAP 64s unit. These data were subsequently used to map each population with Google Earth Pro (version 7.3.2.5491, 64-bit). All GPS data provided herein are given as decimal degrees latitude/longitude. Additional data recorded in the field included date of survey, community type, lists of associated species, attributes of topography, evidence of disturbance, observations on management practices, and observations of other rare or unusual species.

**PREPARATION OF VOUCHERS.** In order to document populations of rare plants and associated species, voucher specimens were prepared from selected populations. All voucher specimens will be deposited in the Valdosta State University Herbarium (VSC).

**Table 1. List of rare plants observed and documented at Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area during our 2019 survey; abbreviations from Krakow (2018).**

ACCEPTED TAXON NAME SYNONYM	FEDERAL STATUS	GEORGIA STATUS	GLOBAL/STATE RANK
<i>Marshallia ramosa</i> Beadle & F.E. Boynton	NA	R	G2G3/S2
<i>Muscadinia rotundifolia</i> (Michaux) Small <i>var. munsoniana</i> (Simpson ex Planch.) Weakley & Gandhi <i>Vitis rotundifolia</i> Michaux <i>var. munsoniana</i> (J.H. Simpson ex Munson) M.O. Moore	NA	NA	G5T4?/S2?
<i>Penstemon dissectum</i> Elliott	NA	R	G2/S2
<i>Rhynchospora harperi</i> Small	NA	NA	G4?/S1S2

## RESULTS

Working together, Snow and Carter logged eight (8) days of field work during the 2019 survey period: 5/11, 5/16, 6/7, 6/21, 7/19, 7/25, 8/18, and 9/1. Field data and other results are included in appendices A, B and C. Field data for voucher specimens collected by Carter and Snow are provided in Appendix A with the names of rare plants tracked by DNR and other taxa the PI's found to be of special interest highlighted in yellow. Data on survey sites, including names of observers, dates of observations, GPS coordinates, descriptions of habitats, and plant communities, and lists of associated species observed are also provided in Appendix A. Rare plants observed during our 2019 survey and reported here are listed in Table 1. Based upon the GA DNR-WRD Special Plant Survey Form, element occurrence data on these rare plants are included in Appendix B. Appendix C is a list of species from ACWMA that we have documented through the collection of voucher specimens during our 2018 and 2019 surveys as well as preliminary surveys during 2016 and 2017. Nomenclature generally follows Weakley (2015). Table 2 and corresponding figures 3 through 6 summarize our observations and comments on a preliminary map of plant communities (Figure 2) that were reported to the project coordinator 7/26/2019 as a kmz file, an updated version of which is attached to this report.

## MANAGEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS

Management recommendations remain essentially unchanged from our earlier report (Carter and Snow 2018), although we herein request permission to make additional survey trips to ACWMA in September and October 2019 and spring and early summer of 2010. This will enable us to compile a more complete vouchered list of the flora of ACWMA which we would like to submit for publication in a botanical journal.

**Table 2. Notes on preliminary map of plant communities at Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area; sites correspond with those mapped in figures 3–6 and in the kmz file attached to this report.**

Site 1: Mature longleaf pine [LLP] observed
Site 2: Mature LLP observed
Site 3: Mature LLP observed
Site 4: Natural LLP regeneration
Site 5: Scrub Oak/Wiregrass, LLP apparently absent
Site 6: Community map? – Map showed communities on both sides of this road to be the same; however, they have been managed very differently and should probably be treated differently in future. Particular emphasis should be placed on maintaining the integrity of the remnant community on the west side of this road, as it is still ±intact.
Site 7: Mature LLP observed
Site 8: Mature LLP observed
Site 9: Mature LLP observed
Site 10: Mature LLP observed
Site 11: Near mature LLP observed
Site 12: The unmulched turkey oak community in this portion of the block north of Livingston Road is still ±intact despite the LLP having been removed. It should be preserved and managed differently from the highly degraded, mulched sand ridge remnant along Livingston Road.
Site 13: Community map? – Map showed this as Wet Longleaf Pine-Pond Pine Flatwoods; however, we did not observe longleaf pine in this community; thus, we recommend Wet Pond Pine – Slash Pine Flatwoods as the community type.

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**Appendix A. Fieldbook Voucher Log: 5/11/2019–9/1/2019**  
**Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, Wheeler County, Georgia**

**5/11/2019**

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**U.S.A. Georgia: Wheeler County**

**31.95478N/82.65755W**

2.17 airmi NE (36.16°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, along trail E of Little Pond

--cut-over flatwoods, gray sandy loam

with *Nyssa biflora*, *Quercus hemisphaerica*, *Q. ellottii*, *Acer rubrum*, *Persea palustris*, *Ilex glabra*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *V. stamineum*, *V. myrsinites*, *Morella cerifera*, *Serenoa repens*, *Pteridium aquilinum*

**23673 [1] Euphorbiaceae *Euphorbia discoidalis* Chapman**

det. R. Carter

occasional, cyathial glands white

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.9555N/82.65847W**

2.18 airmi NE (34.19°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, Little Pond

--edge of pond cypress-swamp black gum-myrtle holly pond

with *Taxodium ascendens*, *Nyssa biflora*, *Ilex myrtifolia*, *Acer rubrum*, *Magnolia virginiana*, *Persea palustris*, *Litsea aestivalis*, *Gordonia lasianthus*, *Diospyros virginiana*, *Morella cerifera*, *Lyonia lucida*, *Eubotrys racemosa*, *Vaccinium fuscatum*, *Pieris phillyreifolia*, *Smilax laurifolia*, *Hypericum myrtifolium*, *Anchistea virginica*, *Carex striata*, *Rhexia virginica*, *Rhynchospora*, *Xyris*, *Sphagnum*

**23674 [3] Aquifoliaceae *Ilex glabra* (L.) A. Gray**

det. R. Carter

dominant shrub along edge of pond and in adjacent flatwoods, 1-2 m tall, flowers white

**23675 [9] Ebenaceae *Diospyros virginiana* L.**

det. R. Carter

common tree, ca. 8 m tall, corolla white

**23676 [4] Ericaceae *Vaccinium fuscatum* Aiton**

det. R. Carter

plant 4-5 m tall, mature fruits black and shiny, not glaucous

--pond cypress-swamp black gum-myrtle holly pond

with *Taxodium ascendens*, *Nyssa biflora*, *Ilex myrtifolia*, *Acer rubrum*, *Magnolia virginiana*, *Persea palustris*, *Litsea aestivalis*, *Gordonia lasianthus*, *Diospyros virginiana*, *Morella cerifera*, *Lyonia lucida*, *Eubotrys racemosa*, *Vaccinium fuscatum*, *Pieris phillyreifolia*, *Smilax laurifolia*, *Hypericum myrtifolium*, *Anchistea virginica*, *Carex striata*, *Rhexia virginica*, *Rhynchospora*, *Xyris*, *Sphagnum*

**23677 [3] Aquifoliaceae *Ilex myrtifolia* Walter**

det. R. Carter

common tree, ca. 8 m tall, corolla white

**23678** [3] Ericaceae *Pieris phillyreifolia* (Hooker) A.P. de Candolle  
det. R. Carter  
vine climbing beneath outer bark of pond cypress, or shrubby around stumps of pond cypress

**23679** [2] Cyperaceae *Carex striata* Michaux var. *striata*  
det. R. Carter  
locally abundant, covering much of shallow pond bottom

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95531N/82.65887W**

2.16 airmi NE (33.87°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, along W side of Little Pond  
--ecotone between pond and mesic flatwoods, disturbed peaty sand  
with *Taxodium ascendens*, *Nyssa biflora*, *Ilex myrtifolia*, *Acer rubrum*, *Magnolia virginiana*, *Persea palustris*, *Lyonia lucida*, *Eubotrys racemosa*, *Anchistea virginica*, *Pieris phillyreifolia*, *Rhexia mariana*, *Rhynchospora*, *Xyris*, *Syngonanthus flavidulus*, *Lycopodiella alopecuroides*, *Drosera capillaris*, *Sphagnum*

**23680** [1] Sarraceniaceae *Sarracenia minor* Walter  
det. R. Carter  
rare and local

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.96608N/82.68523W**

2.55 airmi N (352.28°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--disturbed sand along edge of open, seasonally wet depression

**23681** [1] Poaceae *Dichanthelium acuminatum* (Swartz) Gould & Clark var. *fasciculatum* (Torrey)  
Freckmann  
det. R. Carter  
occasional

**23682** [2] Poaceae *Dichanthelium villosissimum* (Nash) Freckmann var. *villosissimum*  
det. R. Carter  
occasional

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.96672N/82.68449W**

2.59 airmi N (353.46°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--open, drying, seasonally wet depression, sandy loam  
with *Dichanthelium*, *Polypremum procumbens*, *Nuttallanthus canadensis*, *Gratiola ramosa*, *Rhexia mariana*, *Rhynchospora pusilla*, *Eleocharis melanocarpa*, *Scleria georgiana*, *Xyris*, *Drosera*

**23683** [1] Poaceae *Dichanthelium erectifolium* (Nash) Gould & Clark  
det. R. Carter  
occasional

**23684** [1] Cyperaceae *Eleocharis melanocarpa* Torrey  
det. R. Carter  
infrequent

**23685** [3] Poaceae *Dichanthelium longiligulatum* (Nash) Freckmann [*Panicum spretum* J.A. Schultes  
*longiligulatum* (Nash) D.B. Ward]  
det. R. Carter  
locally common

**23686** [5] Cyperaceae *Scleria georgiana* Core  
det. R. Carter  
locally common, achenes bony white

**23687** [2] Xyridaceae *Xyris baldwiniana* J.A. Schultes  
det. R. Carter  
plants locally common, densely cespitose, flowers yellow, present in the morning

**23688** [5] Poaceae *Dichanthelium wrightianum* (Scribnier) Freckmann  
det. R. Carter  
locally abundant

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.96625N/82.68616W**

2.57 airmi N (351.21°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
Management Area

--slope of xeric sand ridge, exposed white sand

with *Quercus laevis*, *Q. margareta*, *Chrysoma pauciflosculosa*, *Clinopodium coccineum*, *Opuntia  
mesacantha*, *Licania michauxii*, *Cnidoscolus stimulosus*, *Selaginella arenicola*

**23689** [1] Caryophyllaceae *Sabulina caroliniana* (Walter) Small [*Arenaria caroliniana* Walter]  
det. R. Carter  
locally common, flowers white

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.96568N/82.68518W**

2.53 airmi N (352.36°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
Management Area

--ecotone along lower slope of sand ridge and seasonally wet shallow pond

**23690** [2] Poaceae *Dichanthelium ovale* (Elliott) Gould & Clark var. *addisonii* (Nash) Gould & Clark  
det. R. Carter  
occasional

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.96625N/82.68616W**

2.53 airmi N (352.36°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
Management Area

--ecotone along lower slope of sand ridge and seasonally wet shallow pond

**23691 [2]** Caryophyllaceae *Stipulicida setacea* Michaux

det. R. Carter

occasional, flowers white

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.97134N/82.70014W**

3.14 airmi NNW (337.31°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, vic. canoe launch

--lower slope of sand ridge, loose pale brown sand, site burned earlier in the season

**23692 [1]** Krameriaeae *Krameria lanceolata* Torrey

det. R. Carter

plants occasional to locally common; multiple decumbent stems arising from ±central woody rootstock, corolla maroon

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.97128N/82.70036W**

3.14 airmi NNW (337.07°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, vic. canoe launch

--edge of jeep trail, disturbed sand

**23693 [1]** Plantaginaceae *Penstemon dissectus* Elliott

det. R. Carter

plants generally rare, but locally common, <1% of plants flowering

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.94501N/82.67207W**

1.16 airmi NNE (21.71°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, along N side of Livingston Rd

--xeric sand ridge, disturbed, loose gray sand

with *Quercus laevis*, *Q. margareta*, *Chrysoma pauciflosculosa*, *Clinopodium coccineum*, *Opuntia mesacantha*

**23694 [6]** Cyperaceae *Carex tenax* Chapman

det. R. Carter

plants occasional to locally common, cespitose

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.95726N/82.67219W**

1.97 airmi NNE (12.40°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--open, sandy peat of clear-cut flatwoods, site heavily mechanically disturbed, scraped

with *Pteridium aquilinum*, *Lycopodiella prostrata*, *Sophronanthe pilosa*, *Aletris*, *Polygala lutea*, *Rhynchospora*, *Syngonanthus flavidulus*

**23695 [3]** Poaceae *Dichanthelium strigosum* (Mühlenberg) Freckmann var. *strigosum*

det. R. Carter

plants locally abundant, cespitose

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.95783N/82.67372W**

1.99 airmi N (9.65°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--disturbed peaty sand of pond pine flat, along jeep trail

with *Pinus serotina*, *Cliftonia monophylla*, *Gordonia lasianthus*, *Persea palustris*, *Lyonia lucida*, *Serenoa repens*, *Arundinaria tecta*, *Pteridium aquilinum*, *Osmunda cinnamomea*, *Syngonanthus flavidulus*, *Xyris elliottii*, *Rhynchospora*, *Juncus*, *Dichanthelium*, *Sphagnum*

**23696 [6] Poaceae** *Dichanthelium webberianum* (Nash) LeBlond

det. R. Carter

plants tufted, occasional, locally common

**23697 [4] Poaceae** *Dichanthelium wrightianum* (Scribner) Freckmann

det. R. Carter

plants tufted, occasional, locally common

**23698 [4] Poaceae** *Dichanthelium portoricense* (Desvaux ex Hamilton) B.F. Hansen & Wunderlin subsp. *portoricense*

det. R. Carter

plants tufted, locally common

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.95902N/82.67758W**

2.05 airmi N (3.03°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife

Management Area

--overgrown pocosin along ecotone between xeric sand ridge and pond cypress-swamp black gum-myrtle holly depression

with *Magnolia virginiana*, *Gordonia lasianthus*, *Persea palustris*, *Ilex glabra*, *Morella cerifera*, *Lyonia lucida*, *L. mariana*, *L. ligustrina foliosiflora*, *Gaylussacia tomentosa*, *Vaccinium myrsinites*, *Rhus copallina*, *Serenoa repens*, *Pteridium aquilinum*

**23699 [4] Ericaceae** *Lyonia lucida* (Lamarck) K. Koch

det. R. Carter

shrub, locally common, 1.5 - 3 m tall, flowers deep purple, wine-tinted, and very fragrant (too much so!)

**23700 [3] Ericaceae** *Vaccinium stamineum* L. var. *caesium* (Greene) D.B. Ward

det. R. Carter

shrub, occasional, 1.5 - 2 m tall; fresh leaves abaxially very glaucous, much more so than when dried specimen; corolla white

**23701 [6] Ericaceae** *Gaylussacia tomentosa* (A. Gray) Pursh ex Small [*Gaylussacia frondosa* (L.) Torrey & A. Gray ex Torrey *tomentosa* A. Gray]

det. R. Carter

shrub, ca. 1 m tall, locally common

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95882N/82.67798W**

2.03 airmi N (2.39°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--open, drying, peaty bottom of disturbed pond cypress-swamp black gum-myrtle holly depression with *Nyssa biflora*, *Taxodium ascendens*, *Ilex myrtifolia*, *Gordonia lasianthus*, *Persea palustris*, *Lyonia lucida*, *Anchistea virginica*, *Sphagnum*

**23702** [2] Droseraceae *Drosera capillaris* Poiret

det. R. Carter

locally common

**5/16/2019**

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**U.S.A. Georgia: Wheeler County**

**31.96103N/82.68252W**

2.19 airmi N (355.30°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--cut-over sand ridge, exposed tan sand

with *Quercus laevis*, *Q. margarettae*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *V. stamineum caesium*, *Crataegus*, *Opuntia*

**23703** [3] Cyperaceae *Rhynchospora grayi* Kunth

det. R. Carter

**23704** [1] Asteraceae *Gamochaeta calviceps* (Fernald) Cabrera

det. R. Carter

**23705** [3] Poaceae *Dichanthelium ovale* (Elliott) Gould & Clark var. *addisonii* (Nash) Gould & Clark

det. R. Carter

**23706** [2] Poaceae *Dichanthelium ovale* (Elliott) Gould & Clark var. *ovale*

det. R. Carter

**23707** [5] Poaceae *Dichanthelium ovale* (Elliott) Gould & Clark var. *ovale*

det. R. Carter

**23708** [2] Asteraceae *Krigia virginica* (L.) Willdenow

det. R. Carter

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95959N/82.67941W**

2.08 airmi N (0.06°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--open sandy jeep trail through flatwoods

**23709** [2] Poaceae *Festuca octoflora* Walter var. *octoflora* [*Vulpia octoflora* (Walter) Rydb. *octoflora* ]

det. R. Carter

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95955N/82.68143W**

2.08 airmi N (356.81°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--open sandy jeep trail through flatwoods

**23710** [1] Convolvulaceae *Stylosma patens* (Desr.) Myint

det. R. Carter

**23711** [1] Plantaginaceae *Sophronanthe hispida* Bentham ex Lindley [*Gratiola hispida* (Bentham ex Lindley) Pollard]

det. R. Carter

**23712** [2] Poaceae *Agrostis hyemalis* (Walter) Britton et al.

det. R. Carter

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95643N/82.67776W**

1.87 airmi N (3.04°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--Gordonia swamp with deep mucky substrate

with *Gordonia lasianthus*, *Magnolia virginiana*, *Pinus serotina*, *Nyssa biflora*, *Clifftonia monophylla*, *Persea palustris*, *Toxicodendron vernix*, *Ilex coriacea*, *Morella cerifera*, *Vaccinium fuscum*, *Clethra alnifolia*, *Smilax laurifolia*

**23713** [1] Smilacaceae *Smilax laurifolia* L.

det. R. Carter

**23714** [2] Aquifoliaceae *Ilex coriacea* (Pursh) Chapman

det. R. Carter

**23715** [1] Ericaceae *Vaccinium fuscum* Aiton

det. R. Carter

**23716** [1] Cyrillaceae *Clifftonia monophylla* (Lamarck) Britton ex Sargent

det. R. Carter

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**31.95673N/82.67807W**

1.89 airmi N (2.45°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife

Management Area

--cut-over sandridge

with *Quercus laevis*, *Q. margarettae*, *Q. incana*, *Q. hemisphaerica*, *Carya pallida*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *V. stamineum caesium*, *Serenoa repens*, *Opuntia mesacantha*, *Clinopodium coccineum*, *Licania michauxii*, *Eriogonum tomentosum*, *Aristida beyrichiana*, *Carex tenax*, *Pt*

**23717** [3] Myricaceae *Morella pumila* (Michaux) Small [*Myrica pusilla* Rafinesque]

det. R. Carter

**23718** [1] Cyperaceae *Scleria ciliata* Michaux var. *ciliata*  
det. R. Carter

**23719** [3] Ericaceae *Vaccinium stamineum* L. var. *caesium* (Greene) D.B. Ward  
det. R. Carter

**23720** [1] Euphorbiaceae *Euphorbia exserta* (Small) Coker  
det. R. Carter

**23721** [2] Juglandaceae *Carya pallida* (W.W. Ashe) Engler & Graebner  
det. R. Carter

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95605N/82.67902W**

1.84 airmi N (0.78°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area  
--seepage slope along Gordonia swamp  
with *Gordonia lasianthus*, *Magnolia virginiana*, *Nyssa biflora*, *Cliftonia monophylla*, *Persea palustris*,  
*Toxicodendron vernix*, *Ilex coriacea*, *Rhododendron viscosum serrulatum*, *Vaccinium fuscum*,  
*Lyonia lucida*, *Smilax laurifolia*, *Arundinaria*, *Osmundastrum cinnamomeum*

**23722** [2] Rubiaceae *Pinckneya bracteata* (Bartram) Rafinesque

det. R. Carter  
shrub, 3-4 m tall, infrequent, 1 of 5 sepals greatly enlarged, petaloid and pink, very showy

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95745N/82.67802W**

1.94 airmi N (2.49°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--palmetto swale in sand ridge, recently burned, loose white sand  
with *Serenoa repens*, *Ilex glabra*, *Lyonia mariana*, *Pteridium aquilinum*

**23723** [2] Arecaceae *Serenoa repens* (Bartram) Small

det. R. Carter  
locally abundant, most plants in flower, flowers fragrant

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.96019N/82.68546W**

2.15 airmi NNW (350.60°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--mid slope of sand ridge, gently sloping to adjacent shrub bog  
with *Quercus laevis*, *Q. margarettae*, *Q. incana*, *Sassafras albidum*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *V. stamineum caesium*, *Serenoa repens*, *Opuntia mesacantha*, *Clinopodium coccineum*, *Eriogonum tomentosum*, *Aristida beyrichiana*, *Carex tenax*

**23724** [1] Ericaceae *Lyonia mariana* (L.) D. Don

det. R. Carter

**23725** [2] Euphorbiaceae *Stillingia sylvatica* Garden ex Linnaeus  
det. R. Carter

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.96366N/82.66336W**

2.54 airmi NNE (21.70°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--severely cut-over flatwoods ecotone adjacent to sandhill gordonia seep  
with *Gordonia lasianthus*, *Nyssa biflora*, *Persea palustris*, *Serenoa repens*, *Rhus copallinaum*, *Castanea pumila*, *Ilex glabra*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *V. myrsinites*, *V. stamineum caesium*, *Lyonia lucida*, *L. ligustrina foliosiflora*, *Pteridium aquilinum*

**23726** [6] Fagaceae *Castanea pumila* (L.) P. Miller  
det. R. Carter

**23727** [5] Ericaceae *Lyonia ligustrina* (L.) A.P. de Candolle var. *foliosiflora* (Michaux) Fernald  
det. R. Carter

**23728** [1] Annonaceae *Asimina angustifolia* Rafinesque [*Asimina longifolia* Kral]  
det. R. Carter

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**31.96398N/82.67919W**

2.39 airmi N (0.41°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--cut-over lower slope of sand hill, near edge of seepage swamp, disturbed sand

**23729** [1] Convolvulaceae *Stylisma angustifolia* (Nash) House

det. R. Carter

prostrate vine, occasional, flowers white

**23730** [1] Asteraceae *Coreopsis delphiniifolia* Lam.

det. R. Carter

plants infrequent, heads yellow

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.96411N/82.67887W**

2.40 airmi N (0.85°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--degraded lower slope of sand hill

with *Quercus laevis*, *Q. margarettae*, *Q. incana*, *Q. hemisphaerica*, *Q. nigra*, *Pinus palustris*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *V. stamineum caesium*, *V. myrsinites*, *Diospyros*, *Ilex glabra*, *Crataegus*, *Gaylussacia tomentosa*, *Clinopodium coccineum*, *Opuntia mesacantha*, *Stillingia sylvatica*, *Aristida beyrichiana*, *Schizachyrium tenerum*, *Pteridium aquilinum*, *Tephrosia virginiana*, *Solidago odora*,

*Eriogonum tomentosum*, *Eupatorium compositifolium*, *Baptisia simplicifolia*, *Ionactis linariifolia*,  
*Gymnopogon*

**23731 [2] Asteraceae *Marshallia ramosa* Beadle & F.E. Boynton**

det. R. Carter

plants infrequent but locally common, heads pale pink

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.97654N/82.67418W**

3.27 airmi N (5.42°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
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--degraded lower slope of sand hill

with *Quercus marilandica*, *Q. laevis*, *Q. margarettae*, *Q. incana*, *Q. hemisphaerica*, *Diospyros*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *V. stamineum caesium*, *Crataegus*, *Toxicodendron pubescens*, *Baptisia simplicifolia*,  
*Pteridium aquilinum*, *Tephrosia virginiana*, *Eriogonum tomentosum*, *Smilax auriculata*

**23732 [6] Rosaceae *Prunus alabamensis* C. Mohr**

det. R. Carter

plants occasional; stump sprout, 3 m tall

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**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow, Wilson Baker**

**U.S.A. Georgia: Wheeler County**

**31.94953N/82.66619W**

1.60 airmi NE (29.08°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
Management Area

--degraded sand ridge, disturbed sand

with *Pinus palustris*, *Quercus laevis*, *Q. margarettae*, *Q. incana*, *Licania*, *Opuntia*

**23733 [1] Asteraceae *Cirsium nuttallii* A.P. de Candolle**

det. R. Carter

**23734 [1] Selaginellaceae *Bryodesma acanthonota* (Underwood) Škoda [*Selaginella acanthonota*  
Underwood]**

det. R. Carter

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**31.96486N/82.69585W**

2.64 airmi NNW (338.69°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
Management Area

--floodplain of Little Ocmulgee River

with *Nyssa aquatica*, *N. biflora*, *Taxodium distichum*, *Pinus taeda*, *Acer rubrum*, *Quercus laurifolia*, *Q. nigra*, *Cyrilla racemiflora*, *Vaccinium elliotii*, *Sabal minor*, *Campsipis radicans*

**23737 [2] Altingiaceae *Liquidambar styraciflua* L.**

det. R. Carter

large tree, common

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow, Wilson Baker

**31.97803N/82.67398W**

3.38 airmi N (5.46°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--cut-over upland woods

with *Quercus marilandica*, *Q. margarettae*, *Q. hemisphaerica*, *Q. incana*, *Diospyros*, *Prunus alabamensis*,  
*Pinus taeda*, *Ilex opaca*, *Acer rubrum*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *V. stamineum caesium*, *Crataegus*,  
*Rhus copallina*, *Serenoa repens*, *Yucca flaccida*, *Toxicodendron pubescens*, *Hypericum*  
*hypericoides*, *Rubus cuneifolius*, *Muscadina*, *Gelsemium sempervirens*, *Aristida beyrichiana*,  
*Gymnopogon*, *Eupatorium compositifolium*, *Baptisia simplicifolia*, *Berlandiera pumila*,

**23738** [6] Ulmaceae *Ulmus alata* Michaux

det. R. Carter

tree, 6 m tall, infrequent

**23739** [1] Boraginaceae *Lithospermum virginianum* L. [*Onosmodium virginianum* A.L.P.P. de Candolle]

det. R. Carter

infrequent

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**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

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**31.9538N/82.65996W**

2.07 airmi NE (33.74°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, along Livingston Rd

--flatwoods, ditch

**23741** [1] Melastomataceae *Rhexia virginica* L.

det. R. Carter

common, flowers lavender-rose

**23742** [2] Onagraceae *Ludwigia linearis* Walter

det. R. Carter

locally abundant, flowers yellow

**23743** [1] Hypericaceae *Hypericum tetrapetalum* Lamarck

det. R. Carter

occasional, flowers yellow

**23744** [3] Smilacaceae *Smilax glauca* Walter

det. R. Carter

common vine

**23745** [1] Plantaginaceae *Sophronanthe pilosa* (Michaux) Small [*Gratiola pilosa* Michaux]

det. R. Carter

occasional, flowers white

**23746** [1] Juncaceae *Juncus repens* Michaux

det. R. Carter

locally abundant, forming mat in moist ditch bottom

**23747** [1] Cyperaceae *Scirpus cyperinus* (L.) Kunth

det. R. Carter

locally common, forming large clumps

--bayswamp and adjacent sandy flatwoods, soil heavily mechanically disturbed  
with *Pinus palustris*, *P. serotina*, *P. taeda*, *Gordonia lasianthus*, *Cliftonia monophylla*, *Persea palustris*,  
*Ilex glabra*, *Hypericum tetrapetalum*, *Rhexia alifanus*, *R. mariana*, *Juncus scirpoides*, *Xyris*  
*caroliniana*, *Polygala lutea*, *Andropogon*, *Pteridium aquilinum*, *Lycopodiella alopecuroides*

**23749** [3] Theaceae *Gordonia lasianthus* (L.) Ellis

det. R. Carter

common tree, corolla white, contrasting with numerous yellow stamens

--sandy flatwoods adjacent to bayswamp, soil heavily mechanically disturbed  
with *Pinus palustris*, *P. serotina*, *P. taeda*, *Gordonia lasianthus*, *Cliftonia monophylla*, *Persea palustris*,  
*Ilex glabra*, *Hypericum tetrapetalum*, *Rhexia alifanus*, *R. mariana*, *Juncus scirpoides*, *Xyris*  
*caroliniana*, *Polygala lutea*, *Andropogon*, *Pteridium aquilinum*, *Lycopodella alopecuroides*

**23750** [2] Poaceae *Coleataenia longifolia* (Torrey) Soreng subsp. *longifolia*

det. R. Carter

occasional

**23751** [1] Pinaceae *Pinus taeda* L.

det. R. Carter

common tree

**23752** [1] Melastomataceae *Rhexia alifanus* Walter

det. R. Carter

occasional, flowers lavender-purple

**23753** [1] Melastomataceae *Rhexia alifanus* Walter

det. R. Carter

occasional, flowers lavender-purple

**23754** [2] Onagraceae *Ludwigia virgata* Michaux

det. R. Carter

occasional, flowers yellow

**23755** [1] Cyperaceae *Scleria ciliata* Michaux var. *glabra* (Chapman) Fairey

det. R. Carter

locally common

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**31.95883N/82.66195W**

2.29 airmi NE (26.61°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
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--disturbed mesic flatwoods, sandy soil  
with *Quercus incana*, *Diospyros*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *Persea palustris*, *Ilex glabra*, *Rhus copallina*, *V. myrsinifolia*, *Lyonia mariana*, *Serenoa repens*, *Smilax auriculata*, *Pteridium aquilinum*,  
*Sophronanthe hispida*

**23756** [1] Malvaceae *Hibiscus aculeatus* Walter

det. R. Carter

plants occasional, flowers creamy white, becoming pink with age, purple basally

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95933N/82.66434W**

2.26 airmi NE (23.05°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--disturbed subxeric flatwoods, sandy soil

with *Quercus margarettae*, *Q. incana*, *Q. hemisphaerica*, *Q. elliottii*, *Persea*, *Rhus copallina*, *Callicarpa americana*, *Serenoa repens*, *Pteridium aquilinum*

**23757** [1] Convolvulaceae *Ipomoea pandurata* (L.) G.F.W. Meyer

det. R. Carter

twining vine, occasional

--disturbed subxeric flatwoods, sandy soil, roadside

**23758** [3] Poaceae *Eragrostis virginica* (Zuccagni) Steudel [*Eragrostis refracta* (Muhlenberg) Scribnier]

det. R. Carter

plants cespitose, occasional

--flatwoods ditch

**23759** [1] Xyridaceae *Xyris jupicai* L.C. Richard

det. R. Carter

common

**23760** [1] Hypericaceae *Hypericum galiooides* Lamarck

det. R. Carter

low shrub, common

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.96115N/82.68231W**

2.22 airmi N (355.75°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--xeric sand ridge

with *Quercus laevis*, *Q. margarettae*, *Q. incana*, *Diospyros*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *V. stamineum caesium*, *Rhus copallina*, *Yucca filamentosa*, *Toxicodendron pubescens*, *Licania michauxii*, *Chrysoma pauciflosculosa*, *Aristida beyrichiana*, *Opuntia*, *Cnidoscolus stimulosus*, *Eriogonum tomentosum*, *Rhynchospora grayi*, *Cyperus grayi*, *Solidago odora*, *Liatris tenuifolius*, *Paronychia herniarioides*, *Stipulicida setacea*, *Bulbostylis warei*

**23761** [2] Amaranthaceae *Froelichia floridana* (Nuttall) Moquin-Tandon

det. R. Carter

plants occasional

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**31.96102N/82.68052W**

2.19 airmi N (358.40°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--ecotone between sand ridge and pond cypress-gordonia-slash pine wetland

with *Quercus hemisphaerica*, *Persea palustris*, *Cliftonia monophylla*, *Clethra alnifolia*, *Lyonia lucida*, *L. mariana*, *Ilex coriacea*, *I. glabra*, *Vaccinium fuscum*, *Serenoa repens*, *Gaylussacia tomentosa*, *Aronia arbutifolia*, *Vaccinium myrsinites*, *Pieris phyllireifolia*, *Smilax laurifolia*, *Pteridium aquilinum*

**23762** [1] Rosaceae *Aronia arbutifolia* (L.) Persoon [*Photinia pyrifolia* (Lam.) K. Roberts. & J.B. Phipps]

det. R. Carter

shrub, 2 m tall, common

**23763** [1] Asteraceae *Coreopsis delphinifolia* Lamarck

det. R. Carter

occasional, heads yellow

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95585N/82.69144W**

1.97 airmi NNW (339.16°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--steep sandy bluff along north bank of Little Ocmulgee River, actively eroding loose sand with sparse vegetation

**23764** [2] Cyperaceae *Bulbostylis ciliatifolia* (Elliott) Fernald

det. R. Carter

plants cespitose, common

**23765** [2] Molluginaceae *Mollugo verticillata* L.

det. R. Carter

locally common, prostrate stems radiating from taproot

**23766** [1] Rubiaceae *Diodella teres* (Walter) Small [*Diodia teres* Walter]

det. R. Carter

locally common

--recently exposed moist sand along north bank of Little Ocmulgee River, at base of steep sandy bluff

**23767** [1] Onagraceae *Ludwigia glandulosa* Walter

det. R. Carter

infrequent

--steep sandy bluff along north bank of Little Ocmulgee River, actively eroding loose sand with sparse vegetation

**23768** [1] Convolvulaceae *Stylisma patens* (Desr.) Myint

det. R. Carter

occasional, stems prostrate on exposed sand

**23769** [1] Asteraceae *Pityopsis graminifolia* (Michaux) Nuttall var. *graminifolia*

det. R. Carter

occasional, heads yellow

--recently exposed moist sand along north bank of Little Ocmulgee River, at base of steep sandy bluff

**23770** [1] Linderniaceae *Lindernia dubia* (L.) Pennell var. *anagallidea* (Michaux) Cooperrider

det. R. Carter

locally common

**23771** [1] Linderniaceae *Lindernia dubia* (L.) Pennell var. *dubia*

det. R. Carter

locally common

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**31.95432N/82.69078W**

1.85 airmi NNW (339.10°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--floodplain of Little Ocmulgee River

with *Nyssa ogeche*, *N. biflora*, *Taxodium distichum*, *Acer rubrum*, *Liquidambar styraciflua*, *Quercus laurifolia*

**23772** [1] Acanthaceae *Dyschoriste humistrata* (Michaux) Kuntze

det. R. Carter

plants common but rarely flowering

**23773** [2] Cyperaceae *Carex intumescens* Rudge

det. R. Carter

common

**23774** [2] Poaceae *Digitaria ciliaris* (Retzius) Köler

det. R. Carter

plants locally abundant, leaves with a gray-green cast

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.95512N/82.69151W**

1.92 airmi NNW (338.50°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--base of bluff and adjacent low terrace in floodplain of Little Ocmulgee River

with *Quercus laurifolia*, *Pinus taeda*, *Taxodium distichum*, *Nyssa*, *Liquidambar*, *Diospyros*, *Ilex opaca*, *Ditrysinia*, *Asimina parviflora*, *Vaccinium elliottii*, *Callicarpa americana*

**23775** [2] Fagaceae *Quercus laurifolia* Michaux

det. R. Carter

common tree, ca. 12 m tall

**23776** [2] Aquifoliaceae *Ilex opaca* Aiton

det. R. Carter

tree with smooth, pale bark, ca. 7 in dbh, occasional

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.95781N/82.69295W**

2.12 airmi NNW (338.22°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--open jeep trail on terrace adjacent to Little Ocmulgee River

**23777** [1] Turneraceae *Piriqueta caroliniana* (Walter) Urban var. *caroliniana* [*Piriqueta cistoides* (L.) Grisebach subsp. *caroliniana* (Walter) M.M. Arbo]

det. R. Carter

occasional, flowers yellow

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.95853N/82.69361W**

2.18 airmi NNW (337.62°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--low bluff of terrace along Little Ocmulgee River

with *Quercus alba*, *Q. michauxii*, *Liquidambar styraciflua*, *Pinus taeda*

**23778** [3] Rosaceae *Crataegus marshallii* Eggleston

det. R. Carter

understory shrub with spreading crown, 3-4 m tall, infrequent

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.95468N/82.68816W**

1.82 airmi NNW (343.68°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--edge of heavily disturbed hammock

with *Magnolia grandiflora*, *Carya glabra*, *C. pallida*, *Quercus hemisphaerica*, *Q. nigra*, *Ilex opaca*, *Pinus taeda*, *Prunus caroliniana*, *Aralia spinosa*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *Cartrema americana*, *Persea borbonia*, *Symplocos tinctoria*, *Sideroxylon lanuginosum*, *Asimina parviflora*, *Callicarpa americana*

**23779** [3] Menispermaceae *Cocculus carolinus* (L.) A.P. de Candolle

det. R. Carter

locally common climbing vine

**23780** [3] Smilacaceae *Smilax auriculata* Walter

det. R. Carter

locally common climbing vine

**23781** [5] Lamiaceae *Callicarpa americana* L.

det. R. Carter

occasional

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**31.97621N/82.67463W**

3.24 airmi N (4.97°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area  
--degraded xeric sand ridge  
with *Quercus laevis*, *Q. margarettae*, *Diospyros virginiana*, *Vaccinium stamineum caesium*, *Crataegus*,  
*Opuntia mesacantha*, *Solidago odora*, *Aristida beyrichiana*, *Eriogonum tomentosum*, *Baptisia perfoliata*

**23782** [1] Asteraceae *Silphium compositum* Michaux var. *ovatifolium* Torrey & A. Gray  
det. R. Carter  
infrequent

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.9741N/82.67177W**

3.12 airmi N (8.27°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area  
--degraded xeric flatwoods, exposed white sand  
with *Quercus margarettae*, *Q. incana*, *Q. hemisphaerica*, *Diospyros virginiana*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *V. stamineum caesium*, *Serenoa repens*, *Crataegus*, *Smilax auriculata*, *Opuntia mesacantha*,  
*Solidago odora*, *Aristida beyrichiana*, *Eupatorium compositifolium*, *Eriogonum tomentosum*,  
*Krameria lanceolata*, *Pteridium aquilinum*

**23783** [1] Apocynaceae[Asclepiadaceae] *Asclepias tuberosa* Walter var. *tuberosa*  
det. R. Carter  
occasional, flowers orange

**23784** [1] Euphorbiaceae *Croton glandulosus* L. var. *septentrionalis* Müller of Aargau  
det. R. Carter  
plant with aromatic roots, occasional

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.98037N/82.67972W**

3.51 airmi N (359.73°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area  
--ecotone between bay head and sand ridge

**23785** [2] Rosaceae *Prunus serotina* Ehrhart var. *serotina*  
det. R. Carter  
tree, 8-10 m tall, occasional

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.98071N/82.67957W**

3.54 airmi N (359.84°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area  
--head of bay creek  
with *Liriodendron tulipifera*, *Nyssa biflora*, *Magnolia virginiana*, *Persea palustris*, *Ilex coriacea*, *Morella cerifera*, *M. caroliniensis*, *Lyonia lucida*, *Smilax laurifolia*, *Osmundastrum cinnamomeum*,  
*Sphagnum*

**23786** [1] Magnoliaceae *Liriodendron tulipifera* L.

det. R. Carter

tree, 8-10 in dbh, common

**23787** [1] Lentibulariaceae *Utricularia juncea* Vahl

det. R. Carter

locally common

**23788** [2] Cyperaceae *Rhynchospora leptocarpa* (Chapman ex Britton) Small

det. R. Carter

plants cespitose, stems lax and reclining on adjacent vegetation, locally common

**23789** [1] Cyperaceae *Rhynchospora gracilenta* A. Gray

det. R. Carter

plants cespitose, locally common

**23790** [1] Xyridaceae *Xyris curtissii* Malme [*Xyris difformis* Chapman *curtissii* (Malme) Kral]

det. R. Carter

plants locally common

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.98106N/82.68106W**

3.57 airmi N (358.46°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--clear-cut strip on slope, sandy loam

with *Quercus marilandica*, *Q. laevis*, *Q. margarettae*, *Q. incana*, *Q. hemisphaerica*, *Liquidambar styraciflua*, *Diospyros virginiana*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *Morella cerifera*, *Ilex decidua*, *Rhus copallina*, *Eupatorium compositifolium*, *Pteridium aquilinum*

**23791** [2] Hypericaceae *Hypericum galiooides* Lamark

det. R. Carter

shrub, 1 -1.5 m tall, flowers yellow, occasional

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**31.94681N/82.66901W**

1.35 airmi NNE (26.89°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--degraded sand ridge, xeric, exposed white sand

with *Quercus laevis*, *Q. margarettae*, *Opuntia mesacantha*, *Chrysoma pauciflosculosa*, *Licania michauxii*, *Clinopodium coccineum*, *Cnidoscolus*, *Polanisia tenuifolia*, *Stipulicida setacea*, *Bryodesma*

**23792** [3] Selaginellaceae *Bryodesma arenicola* (Underwood) Soják subsp. *arenicola*

det. R. Carter

occasional, forming tufts

**23793** [1] Chrysobalanaceae *Licania michauxii* Prance  
det. R. Carter  
plant clonal, forming large patches, common

**23794** [1] Poaceae *Paspalum notatum* Flügge  
det. R. Carter  
locally common along road

**23795** [1] Passifloraceae *Passiflora incarnata* L.  
det. R. Carter  
locally common, forming patches

**23796** [1] Euphorbiaceae *Cnidoscolus stimulosus* (Michaux) Engelmann & A. Gray  
det. R. Carter  
plant with stinging hairs, occasional, flowers white

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.95663N/82.6945W**

2.08 airmi NNW (334.92°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--floodplain along northeast bank of Little Ocmulgee River

**23797** [3] Poaceae *Chasmanthium sessiliflorum* (Poiret) Yates var. *sessiliflorum*  
det. R. Carter  
locally common

--open sandy riparian zone along northeast bank of Little Ocmulgee River

**23798** [2] Poaceae *Urochloa platyphylla* (Munro ex Wright) R. Webster  
det. R. Carter  
occasional

**23799** [1] Poaceae *Digitaria bicornis* (Lamarck) Roemer & J.A. Schultes  
det. R. Carter  
occasional

**23800** [1] Cyperaceae *Lipocarpha maculata* (Michaux) Torrey [*Cyperus neotropicalis* Alain]  
det. R. Carter  
occasional

--riparian zone along northeast bank of Little Ocmulgee River, in shallow water along edge of channel

**23801** [1] Poaceae *Luziola fluitans* (Michaux) Terrell & H. Robinson var. *fluitans* [*Hydrochloa carolinensis* Palisot de Beauvois]  
det. R. Carter  
plants rooted in sandy stream bottom, stems being swept along by flowing water

--open sandy riparian zone along northeast bank of Little Ocmulgee River

**23802** [1] Lythraceae *Rotala ramosior* (L.) Koehne  
det. R. Carter

occasional

**23803** [1] Euphorbiaceae *Acalypha gracilens* A. Gray  
det. R. Carter  
occasional

**23804** [1] Poaceae *Dichanthelium dichotomum* (L.) Gould var. *dichotomum*  
det. R. Carter  
locally common

**23805** [1] Euphorbiaceae *Phyllanthus caroliniensis* Walter subsp. *caroliniensis*  
det. R. Carter  
occasional

--riparian zone along northeast bank of Little Ocmulgee River, recently exposed moist sand along edge of channel

**23806** [1] Onagraceae *Ludwigia palustris* (L.) Elliott  
det. R. Carter  
prostrate herb, occasional

**23807** [1] Linderniaceae *Micranthemum umbrosum* (J.F. Gmelin) Blake  
det. R. Carter  
prostrate herb, rooting at the nodes, common

--open sandy riparian zone along northeast bank of Little Ocmulgee River

**23808** [2] Euphorbiaceae *Euphorbia maculata* L. [*Chamaesyce maculata* (L.) Small]  
det. R. Carter  
prostrate herb with latex, occasional

**23809** [2] Euphorbiaceae *Euphorbia maculata* L. [*Chamaesyce maculata* (L.) Small]  
det. R. Carter  
±upright herb with latex, occasional

--floodplain along northeast bank of Little Ocmulgee River

**23810** [3] Poaceae *Leersia virginica* Willdenow  
det. R. Carter  
locally common

**23811** [1] Bignoniaceae *Campsis radicans* (L.) Seemann ex Bureau  
det. R. Carter  
occasional vine with orange flowers

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.95853N/82.69361W**

2.18 airmi NNW (337.62°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--low bluff of terrace along Little Ocmulgee River floodplain

**23812** [3] Fagaceae *Quercus michauxii* Nuttall  
det. R. Carter  
tree, 8-10 m tall, infrequent

**23813** [2] Fagaceae *Quercus alba* L.  
det. R. Carter  
tree, 8-10 m tall, infrequent

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**31.95663N/82.6945W**  
2.08 airmi NNW (334.92°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area  
--floodplain along northeast bank of Little Ocmulgee River  
**23814** [2] Arecaceae *Sabal minor* (Jacquin) Persoon  
det. R. Carter  
common

**23815** [5] Aquifoliaceae *Ilex decidua* Walter var. *decidua*  
det. R. Carter  
understory shrub, 4-5 m tall, occasional

**23816** [9] Aquifoliaceae *Ilex decidua* Walter var. *decidua*  
det. R. Carter  
understory shrub, 4-5 m tall, occasional

--riparian zone along northeast bank of Little Ocmulgee River

**23817** [2] Betulaceae *Betula nigra* L.  
det. R. Carter  
tree with platey bark, ±exfoliating in papery sheets, 10 m tall, occasional

--floodplain along northeast bank of Little Ocmulgee River

**23818** [3] Sapindaceae[Aceraceae] *Acer rubrum* L. var. *trilobum* Torrey & A. Gray ex K. Koch  
det. R. Carter  
tree, 10 m tall, common

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**31.97126N/82.70034W**  
3.14 airmi NNW (337.09°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area  
--open disturbed jeep trail on bluff at edge of sand ridge along east bank of Alligator Creek, sandy soil with *Pinus taeda*, *P. palustris*, *Quercus nigra*, *Q. incana*, *Q. margarettae*, *Liquidambar styraciflua*, *Diospyros virginiana*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *Serenoa repens*, *Pteridium aquilinum*, *Aristida beyrichiana*  
**23819** [1] Polygalaceae *Polygala curtissii* A. Gray  
det. R. Carter  
locally common

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**31.97243N/82.70114W**

3.23 airmi NNW (336.87°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--terrace in floodplain along east bank of Alligator Creek

with *Quercus laurifolia*, *Liquidambar styraciflua*, *Pinus taeda*, *Nyssa sylvatica*, *Acer rubrum*, *Vaccinium elliottii*, *Asimina parviflora*, *Serenoa repens*

**23820** [4] Smilacaceae *Smilax glauca* Walter

det. R. Carter

vine with glaucous abaxial leaf surfaces, common

**23821** [2] Smilacaceae *Smilax bona-nox* L. var. *bona-nox*

det. R. Carter

common vine

**23822** [3] Cornaceae[Nyssaceae] *Nyssa sylvatica* Marshall

det. R. Carter

tree, 7-8 m tall, occasional

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**31.97355N/82.69918W**

3.26 airmi NW (339.26°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--upper slope of wooded bluff along western edge of sand ridge and creek floodplain

with *Quercus laevis*, *Q. margarettae*, *Q. incana*, *Q. hemisphaerica*, *Pinus taeda*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *Cartrema americana*, *Hamamelis virginiana*, *Amelanchier arborea*

**23823** [1] Rosaceae *Amelanchier arborea* (Michaux f.) Fernald

det. R. Carter

tree, 8 m tall, occasional

**23824** [1] Dennstaedtiaceae *Pteridium latiusculum* (Desvaux) Hieronymus ex Fries var. *pseudocaudatum* (Clute) Maxon

det. R. Carter

common

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**31.9743N/82.69881W**

3.30 airmi NW (339.93°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--shaded sphagnous seep at base of bluff along floodplain of Alligator Creek

**23825** [1] Osmundaceae *Osmundastrum cinnamomeum* (L.) C. Presl [*Osmunda cinnamomea* L.]

det. R. Carter

locally common

**23826** [1] Thelypteridaceae *Macrothelypteris torresiana* (Gaudichaud-Beaupré) Ching [*Thelypteris torresiana* (Gaudichaud-Beaupré) Alston]

det. R. Carter  
locally common

**23827** [1] Blechnaceae *Lorinseria areolata* (L.) C. Presl

det. R. Carter  
locally common

**23828** [1] Cyperaceae *Rhynchospora corniculata* (L.) A. Gray

det. R. Carter  
locally common

**23829** [2] Osmundaceae *Osmunda spectabilis* Willdenow [*Osmunda regalis* L. *spectabilis* (Willd.) A. Gray]

det. R. Carter  
occasional

**23830** [1] Ericaceae *Leucothoe axillaris* (Lamarck) D. Don

det. R. Carter  
shrub 1-1.5 m tall, forming low thickets, locally abundant

**23831** [3] Cyperaceae *Rhynchospora leptocarpa* (Chapman ex Britton) Small

det. R. Carter  
plants cespitose, stems lax, reclining on adjacent vegetation, locally common

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**31.97352N/82.69154W**

3.12 airmi NNW (346.92°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--degraded sand ridge, xeric, exposed white sand, along edge of scrub  
with *Pinus palustris*, *Quercus laevis*, *Q. margarettae*, *Q. incana*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *Aristida beyrichiana*

**23832** [1] Apocynaceae[Asclepiadaceae] *Asclepias humistrata* Walter

det. R. Carter  
plant exuding latex, infrequent

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**31.95362N/82.65781W**

2.10 airmi NNE (37.14°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, vic. kiosk along Livingston Rd

--flatwoods ditch

**23833** [2] Onagraceae *Ludwigia pilosa* Walter

det. R. Carter  
locally common

--gravelly roadside

**23834** [1] Cyperaceae *Cyperus compressus* L.

det. R. Carter  
occasional

**23835** [1] Poaceae *Setaria pumila* (Poiret) Roem. & J.A. Schultes

det. R. Carter  
occasional

--sandy roadside

**23836** [2] Poaceae *Eragrostis virginica* (Zuccagni) Steudel [*Eragrostis refracta* (Muhl.) Scribnér]

det. R. Carter  
occasional to locally common

**23837** [1] Poaceae *Paspalum urvillei* Steudel

det. R. Carter  
common

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**31.95702N/82.66019W**

2.22 airmi NNE (30.57°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, Big Pond

--exsiccated pond bottom

with *Taxodium ascendens*, *Nyssa biflora*, *Acer rubrum*, *Persea palustris*, *Litsea aestivalis*, *Ilex myrtifolia*, *Lyonia lucida*, *Eubotrys racemosa*, *Smilax laurifolia*, *Pieris phillyreifolia*, *Carex glaucescens*, *C. striata*, *Dulichium arundinaceum*, *Xyris fimbriata*, *Scirpus cyperinus*, *Rhynchospora cephalantha*, *R. filiformis*, *R. harperi*, *Scleria muehlenbergia*, *Juncus repens*, *Ludwigia pilosa*, *Proserpinaca pectinata*

**23838** [1] Cyperaceae *Eleocharis brittonii* Svenson ex Small

det. R. Carter  
occasional, cespitose

**23839** [4] Cyperaceae *Rhynchospora cephalantha* A. Gray var. *cephalantha*

det. R. Carter  
common

**23840** [4] Haloragaceae *Proserpinaca pectinata* Lam.

det. R. Carter  
locally abundant

**23841** [1] Cyperaceae *Fimbristylis autumnalis* (L.) Roem. & J.A. Schultes

det. R. Carter  
locally abundant in lowest areas

**23842** [1] Poaceae *Dichanthelium leucothrix* (Nash) Freckmann  
det. R. Carter  
occasional

**23843** [3] Cyperaceae *Rhynchospora filifolia* A. Gray  
det. R. Carter  
occasional, cespitose

**23844** [1] Cyperaceae *Rhynchospora filifolia* A. Gray  
det. R. Carter  
occasional, cespitose

**23845** [2] Cyperaceae *Carex glaucescens* Elliott  
det. R. Carter  
common

**23846** [5] Cyperaceae *Rhynchospora harperi* Small  
det. R. Carter  
locally common

**23847** [3] Cyperaceae *Scleria muehlenbergii* Steudel  
det. R. Carter  
locally abundant

**23848** [1] Bromeliaceae *Tillandsia usneoides* (L.) L.  
det. R. Carter  
common epiphyte on pond cypress and other trees

**23849** [1] Melastomataceae *Rhexia virginica* L.  
det. R. Carter  
common

**23850** [2] Cupressaceae *Taxodium ascendens* Brongniart  
det. R. Carter  
tree, 7-8 m tall, common

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**31.95811N/82.66143W**

2.24 airmi NNE (28.00°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, Big Pond

--exsiccated pond bottom

with *Taxodium ascendens*, *Nyssa biflora*, *Acer rubrum*, *Persea palustris*, *Litsea aestivalis*, *Ilex myrtifolia*, *Lyonia lucida*, *Eubotrys racemosa*, *Smilax laurifolia*, *Pieris phillyreifolia*, *Carex glaucescens*, *C. striata*, *Dulichium arundinaceum*, *Xyris fimbriata*, *Scirpus cyperinus*, *Rhynchospora cephalantha*, *R. filiformis*, *R. harperi*, *Scleria muehlenbergia*, *Juncus repens*, *Ludwigia pilosa*, *Proserpinaca pectinata*

**23851** [1] Xyridaceae *Xyris flabelliformis* Chapman

det. R. Carter  
locally abundant on exposed peaty soil

**23852 [1]** Blechnaceae *Anchistea virginica* (L.) C. Presl [*Woodwardia virginica* (L.) J.E. Smith]  
det. R. Carter  
locally common on exposed peaty soil

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**31.95751N/82.65902W**

2.28 airmi NNE (31.63°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
Management Area

--recently burned flatwoods along margin of pond

**23853 [1]** Ericaceae *Vaccinium myrsinites* Lam.

det. R. Carter  
shrub, 3-4 dm tall, common

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**31.95753N/82.65872W**

2.29 airmi NNE (31.97°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
Management Area

--ditch through recently burned flatwoods, sandy soil

**23854 [1]** Xyridaceae *Xyris jupicai* L.C. Richard

det. R. Carter  
locally common

**23855 [1]** Cyperaceae *Fimbristylis autumnalis* (L.) Roem. & J.A. Schultes

det. R. Carter  
locally common, cespitose

--recently burned flatwoods

**23856 [2]** Pinaceae *Pinus elliottii* Engelmann

det. R. Carter  
3 m tall, occasional

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**31.96023N/82.66248W**

2.35 airmi NNE (25.00°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
Management Area

--edge of degraded mesic flatwoods over sand

**23857 [2]** Poaceae *Panicum virgatum* L. var. *virgatum*

det. R. Carter  
occasional, forming large clumps

**23858 [1]** Cistaceae *Lechea mucronata* Raf

det. R. Carter

occasional

**23859** [1] Lauraceae *Persea palustris* (Raf.) Sargent  
det. R. Carter  
small tree, occasional

**23860** [1] Fabaceae *Stylosanthes biflora* (L.) Britton et al.  
det. R. Carter  
occasional, flowers yellow

**23861** [1] Asteraceae *Berlandiera pumila* (Michaux) Nuttall var. *pumila*  
det. R. Carter  
occasional, rays yellow

**23862** [1] Polygalaceae *Asemeia grandiflora* (Walter) Small [*Polygala grandiflora* Walter]  
det. R. Carter  
occasional, roots aromatic, flowers purplish blue

**23863** [1] Fabaceae *Clitoria mariana* L. var. *mariana*  
det. R. Carter  
rare, corolla blue

**23864** [1] Apiaceae *Eryngium yuccifolium* Michaux  
det. R. Carter  
occasional

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**31.9617N/82.663W**

2.43 airmi NNE (23.35°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--edge of degraded mesic flatwoods over sand

**23865** [7] Vitaceae *Muscadinia rotundifolia* (Michaux) Small var. *munsoniana* (J.H. Simpson ex Planchon) Weakley & Gandhi

det. R. Carter

occasional vine

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**31.96099N/82.66743W**

2.29 airmi NNE (17.87°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--mechanically disturbed ecotone along edge of pocosin, moist sand

**23866** [1] Xyridaceae *Xyris flabelliformis* Chapman

det. R. Carter

occasional and local

**23867** [4] Hypericaceae *Hypericum cistifolium* Lam.

det. R. Carter  
locally common

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.95945N/82.66744W**

2.19 airmi NNE (18.71°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--mechanically disturbed ecotone along edge of pocosin, sand

**23868** [1] Poaceae *Paspalum setaceum* Michaux var. *longepedunculatum* (LeConte) A. Wood

det. R. Carter  
occasional

**23869** [1] Cistaceae *Lechea torreyi* Leggett ex Britton var. *congesta* Hodgdon ex Lemke

det. R. Carter  
occasional

**23870** [2] Poaceae *Paspalum setaceum* Michaux var. *setaceum*

det. R. Carter  
occasional

**23871** [2] Poaceae *Paspalum setaceum* Michaux var. *longepedunculatum* (LeConte) A. Wood

det. R. Carter  
occasional

**23872** [1] Fagaceae *Quercus nigra* L.

det. R. Carter  
occasional

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**31.95745N/82.68224W**

1.94 airmi NNW (355.17°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--degraded sand ridge

**23873** [2] Lauraceae *Sassafras albidum* (Nuttall) Nees

det. R. Carter  
occasional

**23874** [2] Vitaceae *Parthenocissus quinquefolia* (L.) Planchon

det. R. Carter  
occasional

**23875** [2] Asteraceae *Croptilon divaricatum* (Nuttall) Raf.

det. R. Carter  
locally common, heads yellow

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95458N/82.68766W**

1.80 airmi NNW (344.52°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--degraded sandy hammock

with *Magnolia grandiflora*, *Carya glabra*, *C. pallida*, *Quercus hemisphaerica*, *Q. nigra*, *Ilex opaca*, *Pinus taeda*, *Prunus caroliniana*, *Aralia spinosa*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *Cartrema americana*, *Persea borbonia*, *Symplocos tinctoria*, *Sideroxylon lanuginosum*, *Asimina parviflora*, *Callicarpa americana*

**23876** [5] Rosaceae *Prunus caroliniana* (P. Miller) Aiton

det. R. Carter

tree 5-6 m tall, occasional

**23877** [2] Sapotaceae *Sideroxylon lanuginosum* Michaux subsp. *lanuginosum*

det. R. Carter

shrub, 2.5 m tall, occasional

**23878** [5] Sapotaceae *Sideroxylon lanuginosum* Michaux subsp. *lanuginosum*

det. R. Carter

shrub, 3 m tall, occasional, leaves yellowish green

**23879** [1] Bignoniaceae *Bignonia capreolata* L.

det. R. Carter

common vine

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**31.95582N/82.69142W**

1.95 airmi NNW (339.02°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--steep sandy bluff along N bank of Little Ocmulgee River, actively eroding loose sand with sparse vegetation

**23880** [2] Caryophyllaceae *Paronychia rugelii* (Chapman) Shuttleworth ex Chapman

det. R. Carter

locally common on loose exposed sand

--recently exposed moist sand along river bank at base of steep sandy bluff along N bank of Little Ocmulgee River

**23881** [1] Cyperaceae *Cyperus polystachyos* Rottb. var. *texensis* (Torrey) Fernald

det. R. Carter

occasional

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**31.96013N/82.6825W**

2.13 airmi NNW (355.20°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--ecotone between sandridge and head of drain

**23882** [1] Asteraceae *Elephantopus elatus* Bertolini

det. R. Carter  
occasional

**23883 [1]** Euphorbiaceae *Euphorbia exserta* (Small) Coker  
det. R. Carter  
occasional

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**31.95153N/82.65538W**

2.08 airmi NNE (42.64°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, ca. 35 m W of jct. Hwy GA 19 and Livingston Rd, S of Livingston Rd --degraded sandy flatwoods hammock

with *Quercus hemisphaerica*, *Q. incana*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *Morella cerifera*, *Crataegus*, *Vitis*

**23884 [1]** Smilacaceae *Smilax pumila* Walter

det. R. Carter  
prostrate vine, locally common

**23885 [3]** Fagaceae *Quercus hemisphaerica* Bartram ex Willdenow

det. R. Carter  
tree, ca. 3 m tall, common

**23886 [2]** Commelinaceae *Commelina erecta* L. var. *angustifolia* (Michaux) Fernald

det. R. Carter  
plants occasional, stems prostrate, 2 larger petals blue

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95302N/82.65639W**

2.12 airmi NNE (39.53°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, ca. 250 m W of jct. Hwy GA 19 and Bells Ferry Rd, along Livingston Rd --degraded edge of cypress-gum pond

with *Quercus hemisphaerica*, *Q. incana*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *Morella cerifera*, *Crataegus*, *Vitis*

**23887 [2]** Melastomataceae *Rhexia mariana* L. var. *exalbida* Michaux

det. R. Carter  
locally common, petals rose-pink

**23888 [2]** Cyperaceae *Fuirena breviseta* (Coville) Coville

det. R. Carter  
plants occasional, cespitose

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**31.95357N/82.656W**

2.16 airmi NNE (39.33°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, ca. 240 m W of jct. Hwy GA 19 and Bells Ferry Rd, along Livingston Rd

--cypress-gum pond  
with *Taxodium ascendens*, *Nyssa biflora*, *Persea palustris*, *Acer rubrum*, *Ilex myrtifolia*, *Lyonia lucida*,  
*Clethra alnifolia*, *Vaccinium fuscum*, *Pinus palustris*, *Smilax laurifolia*, *Carex striata*,  
*Rhynchospora cephalantha*, *Hypericum myrtifolium*, *Sarracenia flava*, *Anchistea virginica*

**23889** [3] Hypericaceae *Hypericum myrtifolium* Lamarck

det. R. Carter

plants occasional, petals five, yellow

**23890** [1] Sarraceniaceae *Sarracenia flava* L.

det. R. Carter

infrequent, margin of pond

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**31.96415N/82.67989W**

2.40 airmi N (359.38°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
Management Area

--disturbed moist sandy slope along bayhead

with *Magnolia virginiana*, *Persea palustris*

**23891** [2] Eriocaulaceae *Lachnocaulon anceps* (Walter) Morong

det. R. Carter

locally common, cespitose

--sandy bottom and slope of ditch along bayhead

with *Magnolia virginiana*, *Persea palustris*

**23892** [2] Apiaceae *Centella asiatica* (L.) Urban

det. R. Carter

plants locally common in moist sand

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95779N/82.69448W**

2.15 airmi NNW (335.85°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
Management Area

--open, narrow swale in floodplain of Little Ocmulgee River

with *Quercus nigra*, *Q. laurifolia*, *Liquidambar styraciflua*, *Acer rubrum*, *Cyrilla racemiflora*, *Vaccinium*  
*elliottii*, *Erianthus*

**23893** [3] Smilacaceae *Smilax glauca* Walter

det. R. Carter

vine, common, adaxial leaf surface glaucous

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95752N/82.69515W**

2.15 airmi NNW (334.68°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
Management Area

--low bluff along main channel of Little Ocmulgee River, incised first terrace, sandy loam

with *Quercus nigra*, *Q. laurifolia*, *Liquidambar styraciflua*, *Diospyros virginiana*, *Serenoa repens*,  
*Vaccinium arboreum*, *V. elliottii*, *Ditrysinia*, *Hypericum hypericoides*, *Campsis radicans*,  
*Dyschoriste humistrata*, *Dichanthelium*, *Scleria triglomerata*, *Lobelia flaccidifolia*

**23894** [2] Asteraceae *Eupatorium glaucescens* Elliott [*Eupatorium cuneifolium* Willdenow]

det. R. Carter

occasional

**23895** [2] Lamiaceae *Scutellaria arenicola* Small

det. R. Carter

locally common

**23896** [2] Poaceae *Agrostis perennans* (Walter) Tuckerman

det. R. Carter

occasional

**23897** [2] Rubiaceae *Cephaelanthus occidentalis* L.

det. R. Carter

shrub, ca. 4 m tall with arching crown, streambank

**23898** [2] Asteraceae *Pluchea camphorata* (L.) A.P. de Candolle

det. R. Carter

plants with a pungent, unpleasant odor, occasional, heads pink

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.95673N/82.69471W**

2.09 airmi NNW (334.68°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--open terrace along Little Ocmulgee River, sandy loam

**23899** [1] Solanaceae *Solanum americanum* P. Miller

det. R. Carter

plants infrequent, corolla white, berries shiny black

**23900** [2] Cyperaceae *Cyperus entrerianus* Boeckeler

det. R. Carter

plants locally common, otherwise infrequent

**23901** [1] Solanaceae *Solanum carolinense* L. var. *carolinense*

det. R. Carter

plants locally common

**23902** [3] Asteraceae *Solidago leavenworthii* Torrey & A. Gray

det. R. Carter

plants occasional, slender rhizomes present, heads yellow

**23903** [3] Fabaceae *Lespedeza cuneata* (Dumont-Cours.) G. Don

det. R. Carter

plants common

**23904** [1] Convolvulaceae *Ipomoea triloba* L.

det. R. Carter

plant infrequent, stems trailing on sandbar, corolla lavender

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95672N/82.69338W**

2.05 airmi NNW (336.62°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--low bluff along bank of Little Ocmulgee River, moist sandy loam, ±shaded

**23905** [4] Smilacaceae *Smilax rotundifolia* L.

det. R. Carter

vine, occasional

**23906** [1] Phyllanthaceae *Phyllanthus caroliniensis* Walter subsp. *caroliniensis*

det. R. Carter

infrequent

**23907** [1] Urticaceae *Boehmeria cylindrica* (L.) Swartz

det. R. Carter

occasional

**23908** [1] Polygonaceae *Persicaria hydropiperoides* (Michaux) Small [*Polygonum hydropiperoides* Michaux]

det. R. Carter

occasional

--moist sand of sandbar along Little Ocmulgee River

**23909** [1] Onagraceae *Ludwigia palustris* (L.) Elliott

det. R. Carter

stems prostrate, plants occasional

--low bluff along bank of Little Ocmulgee River, moist sandy loam, ±shaded

**23910** [1] Solanaceae *Physalis angulata* L. var. *angulata*

det. R. Carter

occasional

**23911** [1] Rubiaceae *Diodia virginiana* L.

det. R. Carter

occasional

**23912** [4] Poaceae *Paspalum boscianum* Flügge

det. R. Carter

common, stems ±flaccid

**23913** [2] Poaceae *Axonopus furcatus* (Flügge) A.S. Hitchcock

det. R. Carter

infrequent

**23914** [1] Euphorbiaceae *Euphorbia hyssopifolia* L.

Nascent leaves and young stems with sparse long hairs; seeds 1.1 mm long, sides with 2-3 low ridges

det. R. Carter

infrequent

**23915** [1] Cyperaceae *Cyperus erythrorhizos* Mühlenberg

det. R. Carter

locally common

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95766N/82.69285W**

2.10 airmi NNW (338.11°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--open sandy terrace along northern edge of Little Ocmulgee River floodplain, jeep jeep trail

**23916** [2] Asteraceae *Eupatorium glaucescens* Elliott [*Eupatorium cuneifolium* Willdenow]

det. R. Carter

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.96503N/82.68177W**

2.46 airmi N (356.82°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--sandy roadside, edge of disturbed flatwoods

**23917** [3] Asteraceae *Conyza canadensis* (L.) Cronquist var. *pusilla* (Nuttall) Cronquist

det. R. Carter

common, heads white

**23918** [1] Fabaceae *Kummerowia striata* (Thunberg) Schindler

det. R. Carter

infrequent

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.96663N/82.68455W**

2.59 airmi NNW (353.37°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--open pond dominated by graminoids

**23919** [1] Poaceae *Aristida virgata* Trinius [*Aristida purpurascens* Poiret *virgata* (Trinius) Allred]

det. R. Carter

locally common

**23920** [1] Polygalaceae *Polygala ramosa* elliott

det. R. Carter

plants occasional, roots aromatic, flowers yellow

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.96595N/82.68478W**

2.54 airmi NNW (352.95°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

--open pond dominated by graminoids

**23921 [1] Poaceae *Paspalum setaceum* Michaux var. *setaceum***

det. R. Carter

common along upper edge of depression

**23922 [2] Poaceae *Tridens ambiguus* (Elliott) J.A. Schultes**

det. R. Carter

common along upper edge of depression, spikelets purple-tinted

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.97108N/82.70031W**

3.13 airmi NNW (337.02°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, vic. proposed canoe launch

--sandy stream terrace along base of sand ridge

**23923 [1] Poaceae *Sporobolus curtisii* Small ex Kearney**

det. R. Carter

occasional

**Richard Carter with Frankie Snow**

**31.97092N/82.70062W**

3.12 airmi NNW (336.61°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, vic. proposed canoe launch; bank of Little Ocmulgee River just below confluence with Alligator Creek

--moist sandy stream bank, in shade

**23924 [1] Urticaceae *Boehmeria cylindrica* (L.) Swartz**

det. R. Carter

occasional

**23925 [1] Onagraceae *Ludwigia leptocarpa* (Nuttall) Hara**

det. R. Carter

occasional, petals yellow

**23926 [1] Onagraceae *Ludwigia decurrens* Walter**

det. R. Carter

occasional, petals yellow

**23927 [1] Loganiaceae *Mitreola petiolata* (J.F. Gmelin) Torrey & A. Gray**

det. R. Carter

occasional, petals white

--moist sandy stream bank

**23928** [1] Fagaceae *Quercus laurifolia* Michaux  
det. R. Carter  
large tree, specimen found on the ground beneath tree

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow  
**31.97703N/82.67364W**  
3.30 airmi N (5.90°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
Management Area  
--degraded mesic mixed pine-hardwood slope along drain  
**23929** [1] Pinaceae *Pinus glabra* Walter  
det. R. Carter  
occasional tree, ca. 6 m tall, needles dark green, no seed cones evident

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow  
**31.97188N/82.66647W**  
3.03 airmi NNE (14.50°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
Management Area  
--degraded sandy flatwoods, formerly longleaf pine-wiregrass  
**23930** [8] Poaceae *Triplasis americana* P. Beauvoir  
det. R. Carter  
occasional in disturbed sand, cespitose

**23931** [1] Poaceae *Aristida purpurascens* Poiret  
Glaucous bluish green form  
det. R. Carter  
occasional in disturbed sand, cespitose, plant glaucous bluish green

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow  
**31.96426N/82.65474W**  
2.81 airmi NNE (30.98°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
Management Area  
--open seepage slope, most sand  
with *Magnolia virginiana*, *Nyssa biflora*, *Persea palustris*, *Cliftonia*, *Pinus serotina*, *P. palustris*, *Vaccinium fuscum*, *V. myrsinites*, *Gaylussacia tomentosa*, *Ilex glabra*, *Eubotrys racemosa*, *Hypericum stans*, *Lycopodiella*, *Sphagnum*  
**23932** [1] Asteraceae *Eupatorium pilosum* Walter  
det. R. Carter  
occasional, heads white

**23933** [2] Asteraceae *Eupatorium leucolepis* (A.P. de Candolle) Torrey & A. Gray  
det. R. Carter  
occasional, heads white

**23934** [1] Eriocaulaceae *Eriocaulon decangulare* L. var. *decangulare*  
det. R. Carter

occasional, cespitose, heads dingy white

**23935** [3] Lycopodiaceae *Lycopodiella alopecuroides* (L.) Cranfill [*Lycopodium alopecuroides* L.]  
det. R. Carter

locally common, horizontal stems arching up and rooting at tips

**23936** [3] Lycopodiaceae *Lycopodiella appressa* (Chapman) Cranfill [*Lycopodium appressum* (Chapman)  
Lloyd & Underwood]

det. R. Carter

locally common, horizontal rooting at regular intervals

**23937** [1] Lycopodiaceae *Pseudolycopodiella caroliniana* (L.) Holub [*Lycopodium caroliniana* L.]  
det. R. Carter

locally common

**23938** [1] Droseraceae *Drosera capillaris* Poiret

det. R. Carter

locally common

**Richard Carter** with Frankie Snow

**31.95682N/0.0W**

0.27 mi N of jct. Hwy GA 19 and Bells Ferry Rd, along east side of Hwy GA 19, Alligator Creek Wildlife  
Management Area

--edge of open graminoid dominated seasonally wet depression and adjacent road ditch, moist sandy  
loam

**23939** [3] Phyllanthaceae *Phyllanthus urinaria* L. subsp. *urinaria*

det. R. Carter

common

**23940** [1] Onagraceae *Ludwigia alternifolia* L.

det. R. Carter

occasional

**23941** [1] Euphorbiaceae *Croton glandulosus* L. var. *septentrionalis* Müller of Aargau

det. R. Carter

occasional

**23942** [1] Portulacaceae *Portulaca amilis* Spegazzini

det. R. Carter

occasional

**23943** [1] Loganiaceae *Mitreola petiolata* (J.F. Gmelin) Torrey & A. Gray

det. R. Carter

occasional, corolla white

**23944** [4] Onagraceae *Ludwigia decurrens* Walter

det. R. Carter

common

**23945** [1] Euphorbiaceae *Euphorbia hyssopifolia* L.

det. R. Carter

occasional

**23946** [1] Plantaginaceae *Gratiola ramosa* Walter

det. R. Carter

locally abundant

**23947** [1] Haemodoraceae *Lachnanthes caroliniana* (Lamarck) Dandy

det. R. Carter

locally common

**23948** [1] Cyperaceae *Lipocarpha microcephala* (R. Brown) Kunth [*Cyperus leptocarpus* (F. Mueller)

Bauters]

det. R. Carter

occasional

**23949** [1] Cyperaceae *Bulbostylis barbata* (Rottbøll) C.B. Clarke

det. R. Carter

occasional

**23950** [3] Cyperaceae *Rhynchospora nitens* (Vahl) A. Gray [*Psilocarya nitens* (Vahl) A. Wood]

det. R. Carter

locally abudant

**23951** [4] Eriocaulaceae *Eriocaulon decangulare* L. var. *decangulare*

det. R. Carter

locally common, cespitose, heads dingy white

**Appendix B. GA DNR-WRD Special Plant Survey Form Data for Rare Plant Taxa Observed at Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, Wheeler County, Georgia**

Element name: ***Marshallia ramosa* 01**

Site name: Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

Survey date(s): 3 July 2018, 7 June 2019

Surveyor(s): Frankie Snow, Richard Carter

Quad name: Lumber City

State: Georgia

County: Wheeler

GPS coordinates: 31.971333, -82.700334

Datum (NAD 1983 preferred):

Site description: Vicinity of proposed canoe launch, near confluence of Alligator Creek and Little Ocmulgee River; 3.14 airmi NNW (337.15°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341

Additional GPS data: NA

**Biology**

2018 observations

Phenology: in leaf, in fruit

Population size: two plants

Population area: 10–100 m<sup>2</sup>

Age structure: 100% mature

Vigor: normal

2019 observations

Phenology: one in flower

Population size: three plants

Population area: 10–100 m<sup>2</sup>

Age structure: 100% mature

Vigor: normal

Comments on above, general description of the character of the occurrence (e.g. stem density, dispersion in space): Only two plants were observed in 2018 and three plants in 2019; observations were made well beyond anthesis when search conditions are optimal; survey should be conducted at the optimal time to better describe this population. Earlier survey by Nature Conservancy personnel reported a larger population than we observed.

Evidence of reproduction: yes, sexual

Describe: plants were observed in fruit

Evidence of symbiotic or parasitic relationship: no

Describe:

Evidence of disease: no

Describe:

Habitat

Aspect: W

Slope: moderate (5-19°)

Light: open to partial

Topo position: lowslope

Moisture regime: moist (mesic) to dry-mesic

Soil texture: soils mapped as Osier and Bibb soils, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded [Obs]

Plant community: *Quercus nigra*, *Q. hemisphaerica*, *Liquidambar styraciflua*, *Nyssa sylvatica*, *Pinus palustris*, *Ilex opaca*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *Diospyros virginiana*, *Cyrilla racemiflora*, *Serenoa repens*, *Asimina angustifolia*, *Dytrisnia*, *Chasmanthium laxum*

Element name: ***Marshallia ramosa* 02**

Site name: Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

Survey date(s): 7 June 2019

Surveyor(s): Frankie Snow, Richard Carter

Quad name: Lumber City

State: Georgia

County: Wheeler

GPS coordinates: 31.96411, -82.67887

Datum (NAD 1983 preferred):

2.40 airmi N (0.85°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

Additional GPS data: NA

#### Biology

Phenology: in leaf, 75% in flower

Population size: 30 plants

Population area: 100–200 m<sup>2</sup>

Age structure: 100% mature

Vigor: normal

Comments on above, general description of the character of the occurrence (e.g. stem density, dispersion in space): Thirty plants were observed in very dry conditions with some flowers withered due to drought.

Evidence of reproduction: yes, sexual

Describe: plants were observed in flower

Evidence of symbiotic or parasitic relationship: no

Describe:

Evidence of disease: no

Describe:

#### Habitat

Aspect: S

Slope: nearly level (0-5%)

Light: open

Topo position: lower slope

Moisture regime: moist (mesic) to dry-mesic

Soil texture: soils mapped at transition between Ocilla loamy sand and Mascotte sand, both 0 to 2 percent slopes [Oh, Mn]

Plant community: *Quercus laevis*, *Q. margarettae*, *Q. incana*, *Q. hemisphaerica*, *Q. nigra*, *Pinus palustris*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *V. stamineum caesium*, *V. myrsinites*, *Diospyros*, *Ilex glabra*, *Crataegus*, *Gaylussacia tomentosa*, *Clinopodium coccineum*, *Opuntia mesacantha*, *Stillingia sylvatica*, *Aristida beyrichiana*, *Schizachyrium tenerum*, *Pteridium aquilinum*, *Tephrosia virginiana*, *Solidago odora*, *Eriogonum tomentosum*, *Eupatorium compositifolium*, *Baptisia perfoliata*, *Ionactis linariifolia*,

*Gymnopogon*

Voucher: Carter 23731 (VSC)

Element name: ***Muscadinia rotundifolia* var. *munsoniana* \_03**

Site name: Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

Survey date(s): 18 August 2019

Surveyor(s): Frankie Snow, Richard Carter

Quad name: Lumber City

State: Georgia

County: Wheeler

GPS coordinates: 31.96170, -82.6630

Datum (NAD 1983 preferred):

Site description: 2.43 airmi NNE (23.35°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

Additional GPS data: NA

#### Biology

Phenology: in leaf, in fruit

Population size: 1-10 plants

Population area: 5–10 m<sup>2</sup>

Age structure: 100% mature

Vigor: normal

Comments on above, general description of the character of the occurrence (e.g. stem density, dispersion in space): Because of the scandent habit, it was not possible to determine with a high degree of confidence how many individual plants were present.

Evidence of reproduction: yes, sexual

Describe: Fruits were present, with well-developed seeds.

Evidence of symbiotic or parasitic relationship: no

Describe:

Evidence of disease: no

Describe:

#### Habitat

Aspect: ±flat

Slope: gentle (0-4°)

Light: open

Topo position: lower slope

Moisture regime: dry (xeric)

Soil texture: dark gray sandy loam, mapped at transition between Lakeland and Troup soils (0 to 8 percent slopes) and Mascotte sand (0 to 2 percent slopes) [LTC, Mn]

Plant community: degraded mesic flatwoods

Voucher: *Carter 23865 (VSC)*

Element name: *Penstemon dissectus*

Site name: Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

Survey date(s): 3 July 2018; 11 May 2019

Surveyor(s): Frankie Snow, Richard Carter

Quad name: Lumber City

State: Georgia

County: Wheeler

GPS coordinates: 31.971333, -82.700334

Datum (NAD 1983 preferred):

Site description: Vicinity of proposed canoe launch, near confluence of Alligator Creek and Little Ocmulgee River; 3.14 airmi NNW (337.15°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341

Additional GPS data: NA

#### Biology

2018 observations

Phenology: in leaf, in fruit

Population size: ca. 50 plants observed

Population area: ca. 200 m<sup>2</sup>

Age structure: 80% juvenile, 20% mature

Vigor: normal

2019 observations

Phenology: three in flower

Population size: 200 plants flagged

Population area: ca. 200 m<sup>2</sup>

Age structure: 80% juvenile, 20% mature

Vigor: vigorous post burn

Comments on above, general description of the character of the occurrence (e.g. stem density, dispersion in space): Observations were made well beyond anthesis when search conditions were less than optimal; survey should be conducted during anthesis to better describe this population.

Evidence of reproduction: yes, sexual

Describe: some plants were observed in fruit

Evidence of symbiotic or parasitic relationship: no

Describe:

Evidence of disease: no

Describe:

#### Habitat

Aspect: W

Slope: moderate (5-19°)

Light: open to partial

Topo position: lowslope

Moisture regime: moist (mesic) to dry-mesic

Soil texture: soils mapped as Osier and Bibb soils, 0 to 2 percent slopes, frequently flooded [Obs]

Plant community: *Quercus nigra*, *Q. hemisphaerica*, *Liquidambar styraciflua*, *Nyssa sylvatica*, *Pinus palustris*, *Ilex opaca*, *Vaccinium arboreum*, *Diospyros virginiana*, *Cyrilla racemiflora*, *Serenoa repens*, *Asimina angustifolia*, *Dytrisinia*, *Chasmanthium laxum*

Voucher: Carter 23693 (VSC)

Element name: *Rhynchospora harperi*

Site name: Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area

Survey date(s): 18 August 2019

Surveyor(s): Frankie Snow, Richard Carter

Quad name: Lumber City

State: Georgia

County: Wheeler

GPS coordinates: 31.95702, -82.66019

Datum (NAD 1983 preferred):

Site description: 2.22 airmi NNE (30.57°) of Lumber City jct. Hwy GA 19 and Hwy US 23/341, Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area, Big Pond

Additional GPS data:

31.95811, -82.66143

### Biology

Phenology: in leaf, in fruit

Population size: 10–30 plants observed

Population area: 1.5 hectare

Age structure: 100% mature

Vigor: normal

Comments on above, general description of the character of the occurrence (e.g. stem density, dispersion in space): Observations were made well beyond anthesis when search conditions were less than optimal; survey should be conducted during anthesis to better describe this population.

Evidence of reproduction: yes, sexual

Describe: plants were observed in fruit

Evidence of symbiotic or parasitic relationship: no

Describe:

Evidence of disease: no

Describe:

### Habitat

Aspect: flat

Slope: flat (0%)

Light: open to partial

Topo position: low (terrace)

Moisture regime: seasonally inundated, although when the EO was observed the pond was dry except for the deepest parts

Soil texture: soil mapped as Pelham loamy sand [Pl]

Plant community: drawn down blackwater cypress gum pond "Big Pond"; *Taxodium ascendens*, *Nyssa biflora*, *Acer rubrum*, *Persea palustris*, *Litsea aestivalis*, *Ilex myrtifolia*, *Lyonia lucida*, *Eubotrys racemosa*, *Smilax laurifolia*, *Pieris phillyreifolia*, *Carex glaucescens*, *C. striata*, *Dulichium arundinaceum*, *Xyris fimbriata*, *Scirpus cyperinus*, *Rhynchospora cephalantha*, *R. filiformis*, *R. harperi*, *Scleria muehlenbergia*, *Juncus repens*, *Ludwigia pilosa*, *Proserpinaca pectinata*, *Anchistea virginica*

Voucher: Carter 23846 (VSC)

**Appendix C. Vouchered Checklist of Flora of Alligator Creek Wildlife Management Area,  
Wheeler County, Georgia  
9/1/2019**

Family	Genus	Species	Subsp	Var				
Acanthaceae	<i>Dyschoriste</i>	<i>humistrata</i>			23772			
Adoxaceae	<i>Viburnum</i>	<i>ovobatum</i>			23371			
Alismataceae	<i>Helanthium</i>	<i>tenellum</i>			22746			
Altingiaceae	<i>Liquidambar</i>	<i>styraciflua</i>			23737			
Amaranthaceae	<i>Froelichia</i>	<i>floridana</i>			23761			
Anacardiaceae	<i>Rhus</i>	<i>copallinum</i>		<i>copallinum</i>	23260			
Anacardiaceae	<i>Toxicodendron</i>	<i>pubescens</i>			23234			
Annonaceae	<i>Asimina</i>	<i>angustifolia</i>			23728			
Annonaceae	<i>Asimina</i>	<i>parviflora</i>			23193			
Apiaceae	<i>Centella</i>	<i>asiatica</i>			23892			
Apiaceae	<i>Eryngium</i>	<i>yuccifolium</i>			23864			
Apocynaceae	<i>Asclepias</i>	<i>cinerea</i>			22740			
Apocynaceae	<i>Asclepias</i>	<i>humistrata</i>			23832			
Apocynaceae	<i>Asclepias</i>	<i>tuberosa</i>		<i>tuberosa</i>	23783			
Apocynaceae	<i>Asclepias</i>	<i>verticillata</i>			23203	23349		
Aquifoliaceae	<i>Ilex</i>	<i>ambigua</i>			23299			
Aquifoliaceae	<i>Ilex</i>	<i>coriacea</i>			23228	23301	23714	
Aquifoliaceae	<i>Ilex</i>	<i>decidua</i>		<i>decidua</i>	23374	23472	23585	23815
Aquifoliaceae	<i>Ilex</i>	<i>glabra</i>			22730	22941	23220	23674
Aquifoliaceae	<i>Ilex</i>	<i>myrtifolia</i>			22949	23677		
Aquifoliaceae	<i>Ilex</i>	<i>opaca</i>			23776			
Araliaceae	<i>Aralia</i>	<i>spinosa</i>			23323			
Araliaceae	<i>Hydrocotyle</i>	<i>verticillata</i>			23297			
Arecaceae	<i>Sabal</i>	<i>minor</i>			23814			
Arecaceae	<i>Serenoa</i>	<i>repens</i>			22935	23210	23723	
Asteraceae	<i>Balduina</i>	<i>angustifolia</i>			22717	23401		
Asteraceae	<i>Balduina</i>	<i>uniflora</i>			22741			
Asteraceae	<i>Berlandiera</i>	<i>pumila</i>		<i>pumila</i>	23861			
Asteraceae	<i>Chrysoma</i>	<i>pauciflosculosa</i>			23403			
Asteraceae	<i>Chrysopsis</i>	<i>gossypina</i>			23452			
Asteraceae	<i>Chrysopsis</i>	<i>marianna</i>			23466			
Asteraceae	<i>Cirsium</i>	<i>nuttallii</i>			23733			

Asteraceae	<i>Conyza</i>	<i>canadensis</i>	<i>pusilla</i>	23917		
Asteraceae	<i>Coreopsis</i>	<i>delphinifolia</i>		23763	23198	23730
Asteraceae	<i>Croptilon</i>	<i>divaricatum</i>		23875		
Asteraceae	<i>Eclipta</i>	<i>prostrata</i>		23292		
Asteraceae	<i>Elephantopus</i>	<i>elatus</i>		23882		
Asteraceae	<i>Erechtites</i>	<i>hieraciifolius</i>		23216		
Asteraceae	<i>Erigeron</i>	<i>strigosus</i>	<i>strigosus</i>	23189		
Asteraceae	<i>Eupatorium</i>	<i>glaucescens</i>		23894	23916	
Asteraceae	<i>Eupatorium</i>	<i>hyssopifolium</i>		23326		
Asteraceae	<i>Eupatorium</i>	<i>leucolepis</i>		23933		
Asteraceae	<i>Eupatorium</i>	<i>pilosum</i>		23932		
Asteraceae	<i>Euthamia</i>	<i>caroliniana</i>		23447		
Asteraceae	<i>Gamochaeta</i>	<i>calviceps</i>		23704		
Asteraceae	<i>Helenium</i>	<i>flexuosum</i>		23185	23190	
Asteraceae	<i>Hieracium</i>	<i>gronovii</i>		23347		
Asteraceae	<i>Krigia</i>	<i>virginica</i>		23205	23708	
Asteraceae	<i>Liatris</i>	<i>elegans</i>	<i>kralii</i>	23441		
Asteraceae	<i>Liatris</i>	<i>elegantula</i>		23319		
Asteraceae	<i>Liatris</i>	<i>patens</i>		23459		
Asteraceae	<i>Liatris</i>	<i>squarrosa</i>		23200		
Asteraceae	<i>Liatris</i>	<i>tenuifolia</i>		23407		
Asteraceae	<i>Marshallia</i>	<i>ramosa</i>		23731		
Asteraceae	<i>Pityopsis</i>	<i>adenolepis</i>		23445		
Asteraceae	<i>Pityopsis</i>	<i>graminifolia</i>	<i>graminifolia</i>	23769		
Asteraceae	<i>Pluchea</i>	<i>camphorata</i>		23293	23898	
Asteraceae	<i>Pseudognaphalium</i>	<i>obtusifolium</i>		23469		
Asteraceae	<i>Sericocarpus</i>	<i>tortifolius</i>		23463		
Asteraceae	<i>Silphium</i>	<i>compositum</i>	<i>ovatifolium</i>	23782		
Asteraceae	<i>Solidago</i>	<i>kralii</i>		23474		
Asteraceae	<i>Solidago</i>	<i>leavenworthii</i>		23902		
Asteraceae	<i>Solidago</i>	<i>odora</i>		23443		
Asteraceae	<i>Symphyotrichum</i>	<i>concolor</i>	<i>concolor</i>	23457		
Asteraceae	<i>Symphyotrichum</i>	<i>dumosum</i>	<i>dumosum</i>	23456		

Asteraceae	<i>Vernonia</i>	<i>angustifolia</i>	<i>scaberrima</i>	23274	23348		
Betulaceae	<i>Betula</i>	<i>nigra</i>		23817			
Bignoniaceae	<i>Bignonia</i>	<i>capreolata</i>		23879			
Bignoniaceae	<i>Campsis</i>	<i>radicans</i>		23267	23811		
Blechnaceae	<i>Anchistea</i>	<i>virginica</i>		23850			
Blechnaceae	<i>Lorinseria</i>	<i>areolata</i>		23827			
Boraginaceae	<i>Lithospermum</i>	<i>virginianum</i>		23739			
Bromeliaceae	<i>Tillandsia</i>	<i>usneoides</i>		23848			
Burmanniaceae	<i>Apteria</i>	<i>aphylla</i>		23285			
Burmanniaceae	<i>Burmannia</i>	<i>biflora</i>		23290			
Cactaceae	<i>Opuntia</i>	<i>mesacantha</i>	<i>mesacantha</i>	23388	23412	23413	
Campanulaceae	<i>Lobelia</i>	<i>flaccidifolia</i>		23187			
Caryophyllaceae	<i>Paronychia</i>	<i>americana</i>		23346	23390	23581	
Caryophyllaceae	<i>Paronychia</i>	<i>herniarioides</i>		23345			
Caryophyllaceae	<i>Paronychia</i>	<i>rugelii</i>		23880			
Caryophyllaceae	<i>Sabulina</i>	<i>caroliniana</i>		23689			
Caryophyllaceae	<i>Stipulicida</i>	<i>setacea</i>		22718	23179	23223	23691
Chrysobalanaceae	<i>Licania</i>	<i>michauxii</i>		23180	22716	23793	
Cistaceae	<i>Lechea</i>	<i>minor</i>		23320			
Cistaceae	<i>Lechea</i>	<i>mucronata</i>		23858			
Cistaceae	<i>Lechea</i>	<i>torreyi</i>	<i>congesta</i>	23869			
Cleomaceae	<i>Polanisia</i>	<i>tenuifolia</i>		22720	23221		
Clethraceae	<i>Clethra</i>	<i>alnifolia</i>	<i>pubescens</i>	23226			
Commelinaceae	<i>Commelina</i>	<i>erecta</i>	<i>angustifolia</i>	23177	23886		
Commelinaceae	<i>Cuthbertia</i>	<i>graminea</i>		23178			
Convolvulaceae	<i>Ipomoea</i>	<i>pandurata</i>		23757			
Convolvulaceae	<i>Ipomoea</i>	<i>triloba</i>		23904			
Convolvulaceae	<i>Stylosma</i>	<i>angustifolia</i>		23729	23257		
Convolvulaceae	<i>Stylosma</i>	<i>patens</i>		23710	23768		
Convolvulaceae	<i>Stylosma</i>	<i>villosa</i>		23264			
Cornaceae	<i>Nyssa</i>	<i>biflora</i>		22950	23239	23476	
Cornaceae	<i>Nyssa</i>	<i>ogeche</i>		23269			
Cornaceae	<i>Nyssa</i>	<i>sylvatica</i>		23822			

Cupressaceae	<i>Juniperus</i>	<i>virginiana</i>	<i>silicicola</i>	23465							
Cupressaceae	<i>Taxodium</i>	<i>ascendens</i>		23852							
Cupressaceae	<i>Taxodium</i>	<i>distichum</i>		23270							
Cyperaceae	<i>Bulbostylis</i>	<i>barbata</i>		23949							
Cyperaceae	<i>Bulbostylis</i>	<i>ciliatifolia</i>	<i>ciliatifolia</i>	22727	23335	23764					
Cyperaceae	<i>Bulbostylis</i>	<i>coarctata</i>		23208	23411						
Cyperaceae	<i>Bulbostylis</i>	<i>warei</i>		22737	23176	23350					
Cyperaceae	<i>Carex</i>	<i>floridana</i>		23288							
Cyperaceae	<i>Carex</i>	<i>glaucescens</i>		23315	23845						
Cyperaceae	<i>Carex</i>	<i>intumescens</i>		23773							
Cyperaceae	<i>Carex</i>	<i>joorii</i>		23271							
Cyperaceae	<i>Carex</i>	<i>lonchocarpa</i>		23295							
Cyperaceae	<i>Carex</i>	<i>striata</i>	<i>striata</i>	23679							
Cyperaceae	<i>Carex</i>	<i>tenax</i>		23184	23230	23247	23694				
Cyperaceae	<i>Cyperus</i>	<i>compressus</i>		23834							
Cyperaceae	<i>Cyperus</i>	<i>croceus</i>		23172							
Cyperaceae	<i>Cyperus</i>	<i>diminutus</i>		23209	23368	23402					
Cyperaceae	<i>Cyperus</i>	<i>entrerianus</i>		23900							
Cyperaceae	<i>Cyperus</i>	<i>erythrorhizos</i>		23915							
Cyperaceae	<i>Cyperus</i>	<i>grayi</i>		23175	23211	23214	23385	23410	23415		
Cyperaceae	<i>Cyperus</i>	<i>hystricinus</i>		23181							
Cyperaceae	<i>Cyperus</i>	<i>lecontei</i>		22722							
Cyperaceae	<i>Cyperus</i>	<i>nashii</i>		23182	23409						
Cyperaceae	<i>Cyperus</i>	<i>plukanetii</i>		23233							
Cyperaceae	<i>Cyperus</i>	<i>polystachyos</i>	<i>texensis</i>	23881							
Cyperaceae	<i>Cyperus</i>	<i>polystachyos</i>		22728							
Cyperaceae	<i>Cyperus</i>	<i>retrorsus</i>		23334							
Cyperaceae	<i>Dulichium</i>	<i>arundinaceum</i>	<i>arundinaceum</i>	23376							
Cyperaceae	<i>Eleocharis</i>	<i>baldwinii</i>		23398							
Cyperaceae	<i>Eleocharis</i>	<i>brittonii</i>		23838							
Cyperaceae	<i>Eleocharis</i>	<i>melanocarpa</i>		23343	23684						
Cyperaceae	<i>Eleocharis</i>	<i>microcarpa</i>		22749							
Cyperaceae	<i>Eleocharis</i>	<i>tricostata</i>		22750							

Cyperaceae	<i>Fimbristylis</i>	<i>autumnalis</i>		23841	23855			
Cyperaceae	<i>Fimbristylis</i>	<i>puberula</i>	<i>puberula</i>	23331				
Cyperaceae	<i>Fuirena</i>	<i>breviseta</i>		23888				
Cyperaceae	<i>Fuirena</i>	<i>squarrosa</i>		22729				
Cyperaceae	<i>Lipocarpha</i>	<i>maculata</i>		23800				
Cyperaceae	<i>Lipocarpha</i>	<i>microcephala</i>		23948				
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>cephalantha</i>	<i>cephalantha</i>	23839				
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>chalarocephala</i>		22752				
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>chapmanii</i>		23397				
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>corniculata</i>		23828				
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>distans</i>		23215	23246	23355		
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>fascicularis</i>		23237	23243			
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>filifolia</i>		23843	23844			
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>globularis</i>	<i>globularis</i>	23333				
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>gracilenta</i>		23789				
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>grayi</i>		23183	23703			
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>harperi</i>		23846				
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>inexpansa</i>		23244				
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>leptocarpa</i>		23254	23298	23313	23788	23831
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>megalocarpa</i>		23191				
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>microcephala</i>		22751	23245			
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>nitens</i>		23950				
Cyperaceae	<i>Rhynchospora</i>	<i>sulcata</i>		22742				
Cyperaceae	<i>Scirpus</i>	<i>cyperinus</i>		23747				
Cyperaceae	<i>Scleria</i>	<i>ciliata</i>	<i>ciliata</i>	22943	23718			
Cyperaceae	<i>Scleria</i>	<i>ciliata</i>	<i>glabra</i>	23755				
Cyperaceae	<i>Scleria</i>	<i>georgiana</i>		22753	23686			
Cyperaceae	<i>Scleria</i>	<i>muehlenbergii</i>		23847				
Cyperaceae	<i>Scleria</i>	<i>triglomerata</i>		23321				
Cyrillaceae	<i>Cliftonia</i>	<i>monophylla</i>		22721	23227	23716		
Cyrillaceae	<i>Cyrilla</i>	<i>racemiflora</i>		23225				
Dennstaedtiaceae	<i>Pteridium</i>	<i>latiusculum</i>	<i>pseudocaudatum</i>	23824				
Droseraceae	<i>Drosera</i>	<i>capillaris</i>		22757	23702	23938		



Euphorbiaceae	<i>Euphorbia</i>	<i>exserta</i>		23279	23720	23883
Euphorbiaceae	<i>Euphorbia</i>	<i>hyssopifolia</i>		23914	23945	
Euphorbiaceae	<i>Euphorbia</i>	<i>maculata</i>		23808	23809	
Euphorbiaceae	<i>Euphorbia</i>	<i>pubentissima</i>		23324		
Euphorbiaceae	<i>Phyllanthus</i>	<i>carolinensis</i>	<i>carolinensis</i>	23805		
Euphorbiaceae	<i>Stillingia</i>	<i>sylvatica</i>		23725		
Fabaceae	<i>Clitoria</i>	<i>marianna</i>	<i>marianna</i>	23863		
Fabaceae	<i>Galactia</i>	<i>minor</i>		23217	23307	
Fabaceae	<i>Indigofera</i>	<i>caroliniana</i>		23256		
Fabaceae	<i>Kummerowia</i>	<i>striata</i>		23918		
Fabaceae	<i>Lespedeza</i>	<i>cuneata</i>		23903		
Fabaceae	<i>Stylosanthes</i>	<i>biflora</i>		23860		
Fabaceae	<i>Tephrosia</i>	<i>virginiana</i>		23188		
Fagaceae	<i>Castanea</i>	<i>pumila</i>		22931	23473	23726
Fagaceae	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>alba</i>		23813		
Fagaceae	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>elliottii</i>		23372	23373	
Fagaceae	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>hemisphaerica</i>		23885		
Fagaceae	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>laurifolia</i>		23775	23928	
Fagaceae	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>margarettae</i>		23439		
Fagaceae	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>marilandica</i>	<i>marilandica</i>	23454		
Fagaceae	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>michauxii</i>		23812		
Fagaceae	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>nigra</i>		23872		
Gelsemiaceae	<i>Gelsemium</i>	<i>semperflorens</i>		23462		
Gentianaceae	<i>Bartonia</i>	<i>paniculata</i>		23289		
Gentianaceae	<i>Sabatia</i>	<i>brevifolia</i>		23364		
Haemodoraceae	<i>Lachnanthes</i>	<i>caroliniana</i>		23947		
Haloragaceae	<i>Proserpinaca</i>	<i>pectinata</i>		23840		
Hamamelidaceae	<i>Hamamelis</i>	<i>virginiana</i>	<i>henryae</i>	23194	23588	
Hypericaceae	<i>Hypericum</i>	<i>cistifolium</i>		23867		
Hypericaceae	<i>Hypericum</i>	<i>galiooides</i>		23201	23235	23760
Hypericaceae	<i>Hypericum</i>	<i>gentianoides</i>		22736	23339	
Hypericaceae	<i>Hypericum</i>	<i>hypericoides</i>		23338		
Hypericaceae	<i>Hypericum</i>	<i>mutilum</i>	<i>mutilum</i>	23294		

Hypericaceae	<i>Hypericum</i>	<i>myrtifolium</i>		23889
Hypericaceae	<i>Hypericum</i>	<i>tetrapetalum</i>		23743
Hypoxidaceae	<i>Hypoxis</i>	<i>junccea</i>		23367
Iridaceae	<i>Iris</i>	<i>verna</i>	<i>verna</i>	23444
Iteaceae	<i>Itea</i>	<i>virginica</i>		23296
Juglandaceae	<i>Carya</i>	<i>glabra</i>		23197
Juglandaceae	<i>Carya</i>	<i>pallida</i>		23196 23721
Juglandaceae	<i>Carya</i>	<i>tomentosa</i>		23362 23438
Juncaceae	<i>Juncus</i>	<i>biflorus</i>		23238
Juncaceae	<i>Juncus</i>	<i>marginatus</i>		22734
Juncaceae	<i>Juncus</i>	<i>repens</i>		23746
Juncaceae	<i>Juncus</i>	<i>scirpoidea</i>	<i>compositus</i>	23366
Juncaceae	<i>Juncus</i>	<i>scirpooides</i>		22723
Krameriaceae	<i>Krameria</i>	<i>lanceolata</i>		23692
Lamiaceae	<i>Callicarpa</i>	<i>americana</i>		23781
Lamiaceae	<i>Clinopodium</i>	<i>coccineum</i>		23408
Lamiaceae	<i>Dicerandra</i>	<i>linearifolia</i>	<i>linearifolia</i>	23453
Lamiaceae	<i>Pycnanthemum</i>	<i>muticum</i>		23310
Lamiaceae	<i>Salvia</i>	<i>azurea</i>	<i>azurea</i>	23450
Lamiaceae	<i>Scutellaria</i>	<i>arenicola</i>		23895
Lamiaceae	<i>Trichostema</i>	<i>dichotomum</i>		23337
Lauraceae	<i>Litsea</i>	<i>aestivalis</i>		22946 23377
Lauraceae	<i>Persea</i>	<i>borbonia</i>		23306
Lauraceae	<i>Persea</i>	<i>palustris</i>		23213 23353 23399 23475 23477 23859
Lauraceae	<i>Sassafras</i>	<i>albidum</i>		23873
Lentibulariaceae	<i>Utricularia</i>	<i>biflora</i>		23483
Lentibulariaceae	<i>Utricularia</i>	<i>cornuta</i>		22747
Lentibulariaceae	<i>Utricularia</i>	<i>junccea</i>		22758 23787
Linderniaceae	<i>Lindernia</i>	<i>dubia</i>	<i>anagallidea</i>	23770
Linderniaceae	<i>Lindernia</i>	<i>dubia</i>	<i>dubia</i>	23771
Linderniaceae	<i>Micranthemum</i>	<i>umbrosum</i>		23807
Loganiaceae	<i>Mitreola</i>	<i>petiolata</i>		23927 23943
Lycopodiaceae	<i>Lycopodiella</i>	<i>alopecuroides</i>		23584 23935

Lycopodiaceae	<i>Lycopodiella</i>	<i>appressa</i>	23582	23936	
Lycopodiaceae	<i>Pseudolycopodiella</i>	<i>caroliniana</i>	23583	23937	
Lythraceae	<i>Rotala</i>	<i>ramosior</i>	22748	23802	
Magnoliaceae	<i>Liriodendron</i>	<i>tulipifera</i>	23786		
Magnoliaceae	<i>Magnolia</i>	<i>grandiflora</i>	23311		
Magnoliaceae	<i>Magnolia</i>	<i>virginiana</i>	23467		
Malvaceae	<i>Hibiscus</i>	<i>aculeatus</i>	23756		
Mayacaceae	<i>Mayaca</i>	<i>fluviaialis</i>	23252		
Melastomataceae	<i>Rhexia</i>	<i>alifanus</i>	23752	23753	
Melastomataceae	<i>Rhexia</i>	<i>marianna</i>	23342	23887	
Melastomataceae	<i>Rhexia</i>	<i>nashii</i>	23314		
Melastomataceae	<i>Rhexia</i>	<i>petiolata</i>	23242		
Melastomataceae	<i>Rhexia</i>	<i>virginica</i>	23741	23849	
Menispermaceae	<i>Cocculus</i>	<i>carolinus</i>	23779		
Molluginaceae	<i>Mollugo</i>	<i>verticillata</i>	23765		
Myricaceae	<i>Morella</i>	<i>caroliniensis</i>	23302		
Myricaceae	<i>Morella</i>	<i>cerifera</i>	23327	23458	
Myricaceae	<i>Morella</i>	<i>pumila</i>	23400	23717	
Oleaceae	<i>Cartrema</i>	<i>americanum</i>	22932	23212	23414
Oleaceae	<i>Chionanthus</i>	<i>virginicus</i>	23276		
Onagraceae	<i>Ludwigia</i>	<i>alternifolia</i>	23940		
Onagraceae	<i>Ludwigia</i>	<i>decurrans</i>	23926	23944	
Onagraceae	<i>Ludwigia</i>	<i>glandulosa</i>	23767		
Onagraceae	<i>Ludwigia</i>	<i>leptocarpa</i>	23925		
Onagraceae	<i>Ludwigia</i>	<i>linearis</i>	23742		
Onagraceae	<i>Ludwigia</i>	<i>palustris</i>	23806	23909	
Onagraceae	<i>Ludwigia</i>	<i>pilosa</i>	23833		
Onagraceae	<i>Ludwigia</i>	<i>suffruticosa</i>	22726		
Onagraceae	<i>Ludwigia</i>	<i>virgata</i>	23754		
Orchidaceae	<i>Platanthera</i>	<i>clavellata</i>	23291		
Orchidaceae	<i>Platanthera</i>	<i>cristata</i>	23316		
Orobanchaceae	<i>Agalinis</i>	<i>fasciculata</i>	23446		
Orobanchaceae	<i>Agalinis</i>	<i>plukenetii</i>	23455		

Orobanchaceae	<i>Agalinis</i>	<i>tenella</i>		23468	23580
Orobanchaceae	<i>Aureolaria</i>	<i>pectinata</i>		23460	
Orobanchaceae	<i>Seymeria</i>	<i>pectinata</i>		22719	
Osmundaceae	<i>Osmunda</i>	<i>spectabilis</i>		23829	
Osmundaceae	<i>Osmundastrum</i>	<i>cinnamomeum</i>		23825	
Passifloraceae	<i>Passiflora</i>	<i>incarnata</i>		23795	
Phyllanthaceae	<i>Phyllanthus</i>	<i>carolinensis</i>	<i>carolinensis</i>	23906	
Phyllanthaceae	<i>Phyllanthus</i>	<i>urinaria</i>	<i>urinaria</i>	23939	
Pinaceae	<i>Pinus</i>	<i>elliottii</i>		23856	
Pinaceae	<i>Pinus</i>	<i>glabra</i>		23929	
Pinaceae	<i>Pinus</i>	<i>palustris</i>		23261	23278
Pinaceae	<i>Pinus</i>	<i>serotina</i>		23222	
Pinaceae	<i>Pinus</i>	<i>taeda</i>		23751	
Plantaginaceae	<i>Gratiola</i>	<i>ramosa</i>		23946	
Plantaginaceae	<i>Mecardonia</i>	<i>acuminata</i>	<i>acuminata</i>	23312	
Plantaginaceae	<i>Penstemon</i>	<i>dissectus</i>		23693	
Plantaginaceae	<i>Plantago</i>	<i>aristata</i>		23204	
Plantaginaceae	<i>Sophronanthe</i>	<i>hispida</i>		23341	23711
Plantaginaceae	<i>Sophronanthe</i>	<i>pilosa</i>		23745	
Poaceae	<i>Agrostis</i>	<i>hyemalis</i>		23712	
Poaceae	<i>Agrostis</i>	<i>perennans</i>		23896	
Poaceae	<i>Andropogon</i>	<i>ternarius</i>		23464	
Poaceae	<i>Andropogon</i>	<i>virginicus</i>	<i>virginicus</i>	23451	
Poaceae	<i>Anthenaentia</i>	<i>villosa</i>		23375	
Poaceae	<i>Aristida</i>	<i>beyrichiana</i>		23344	23471
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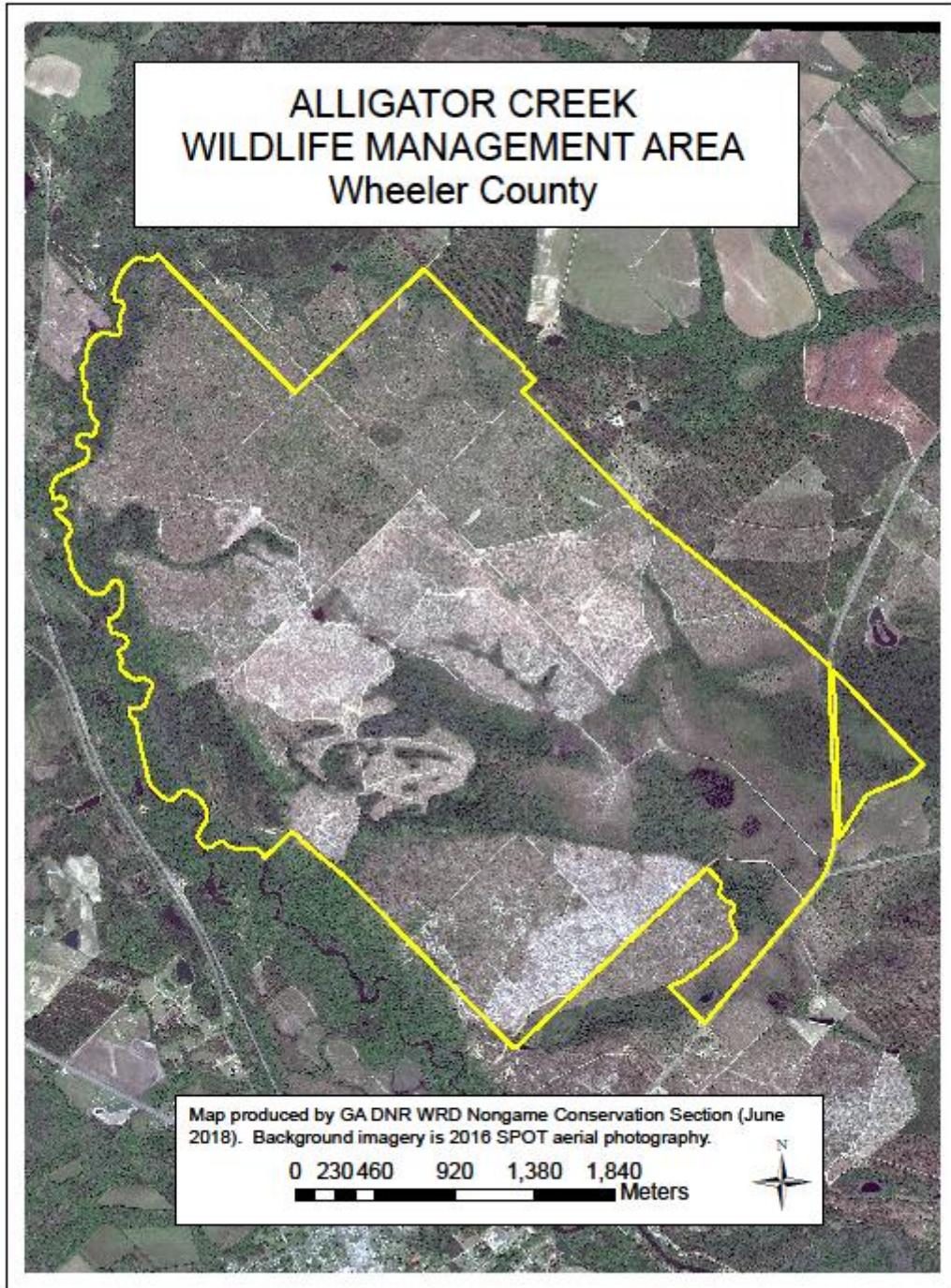


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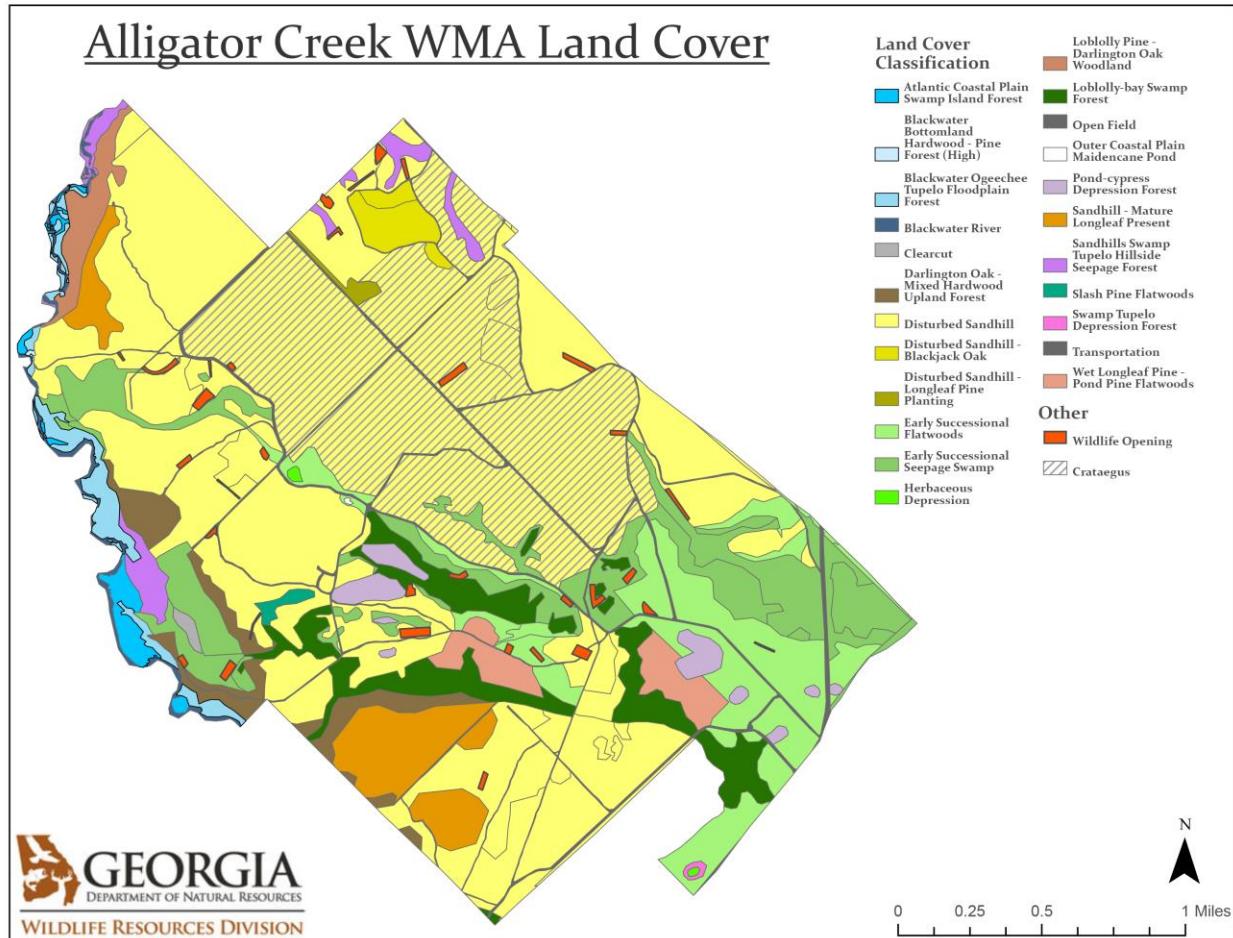


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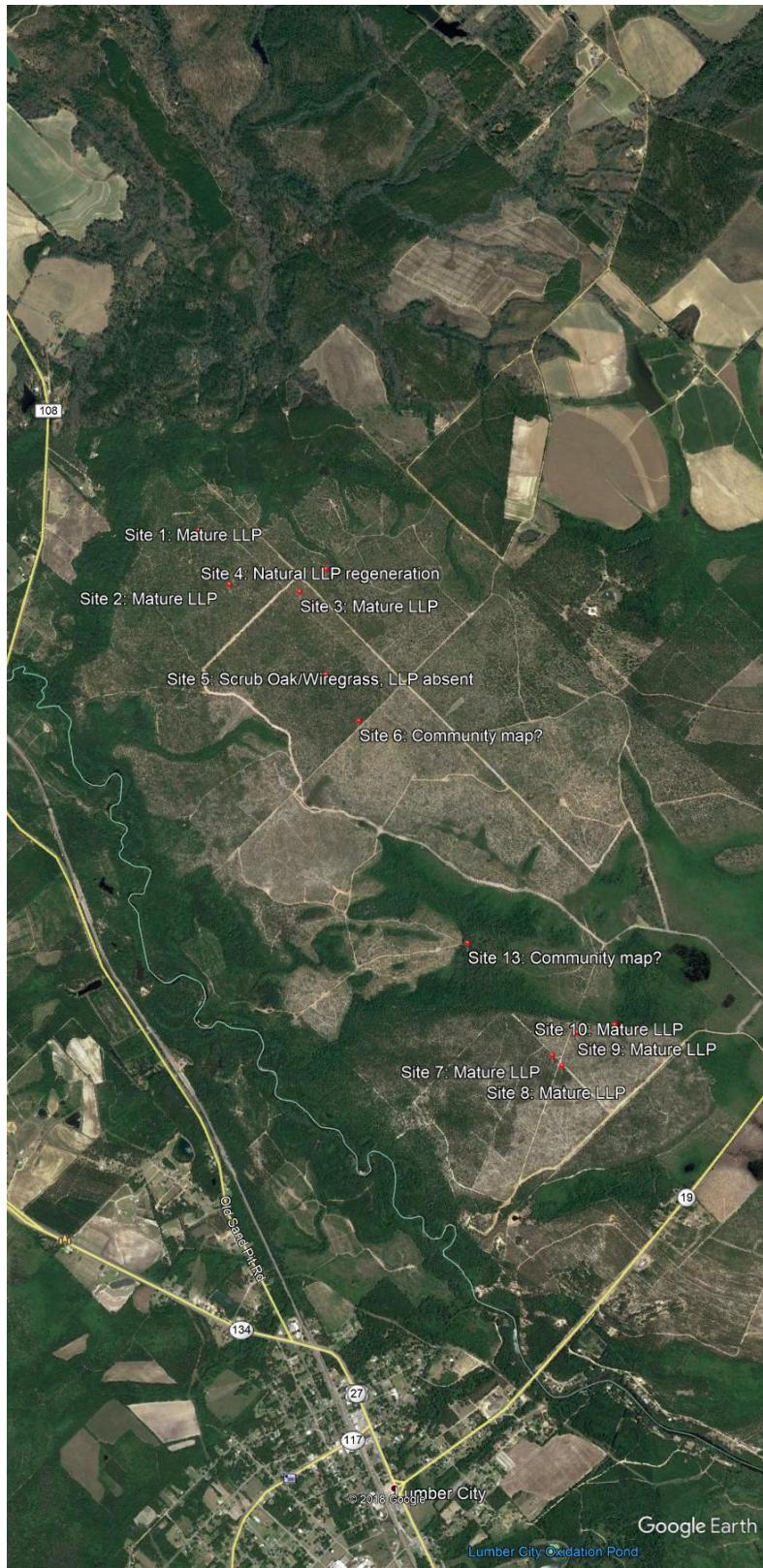


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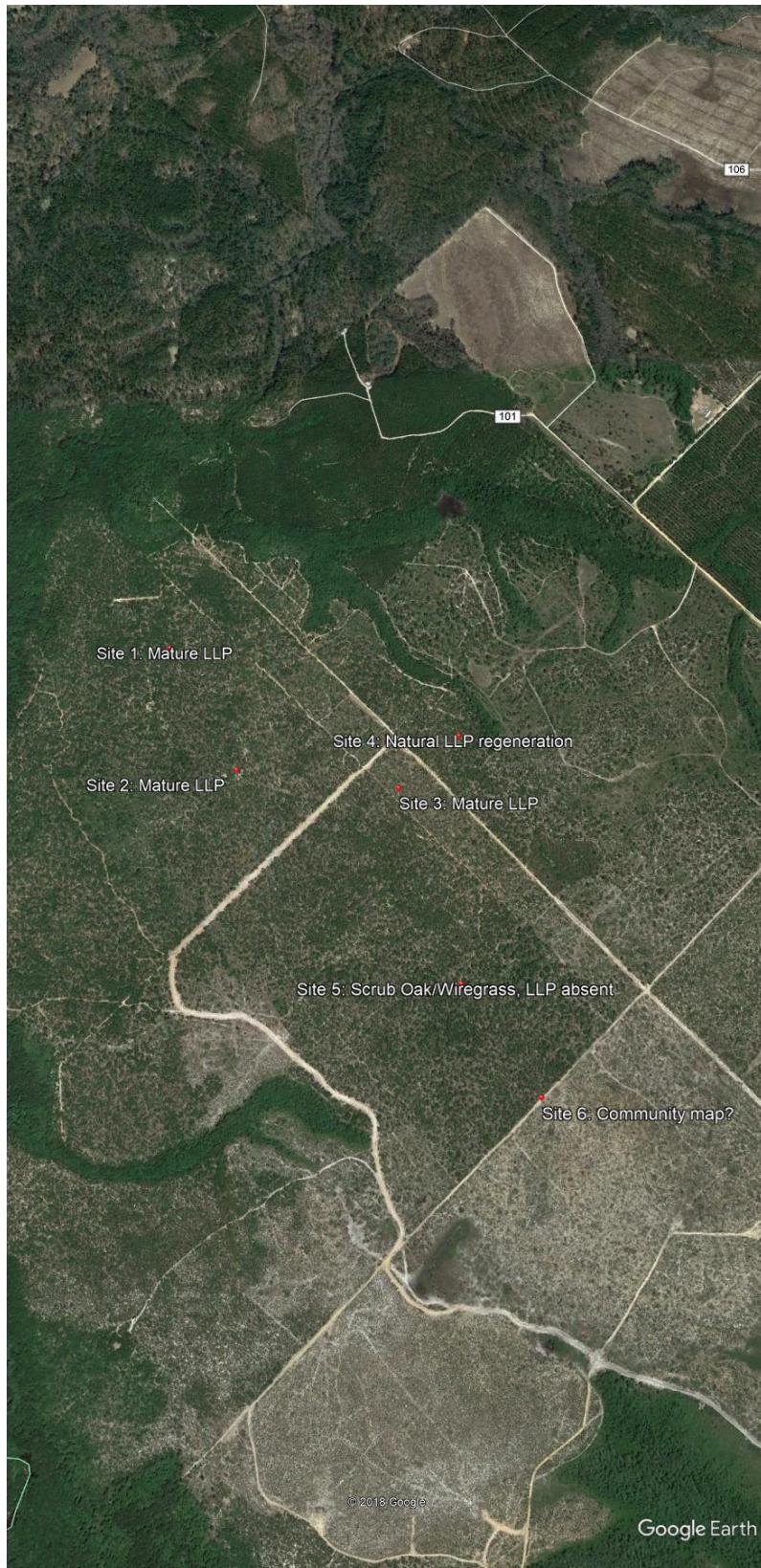


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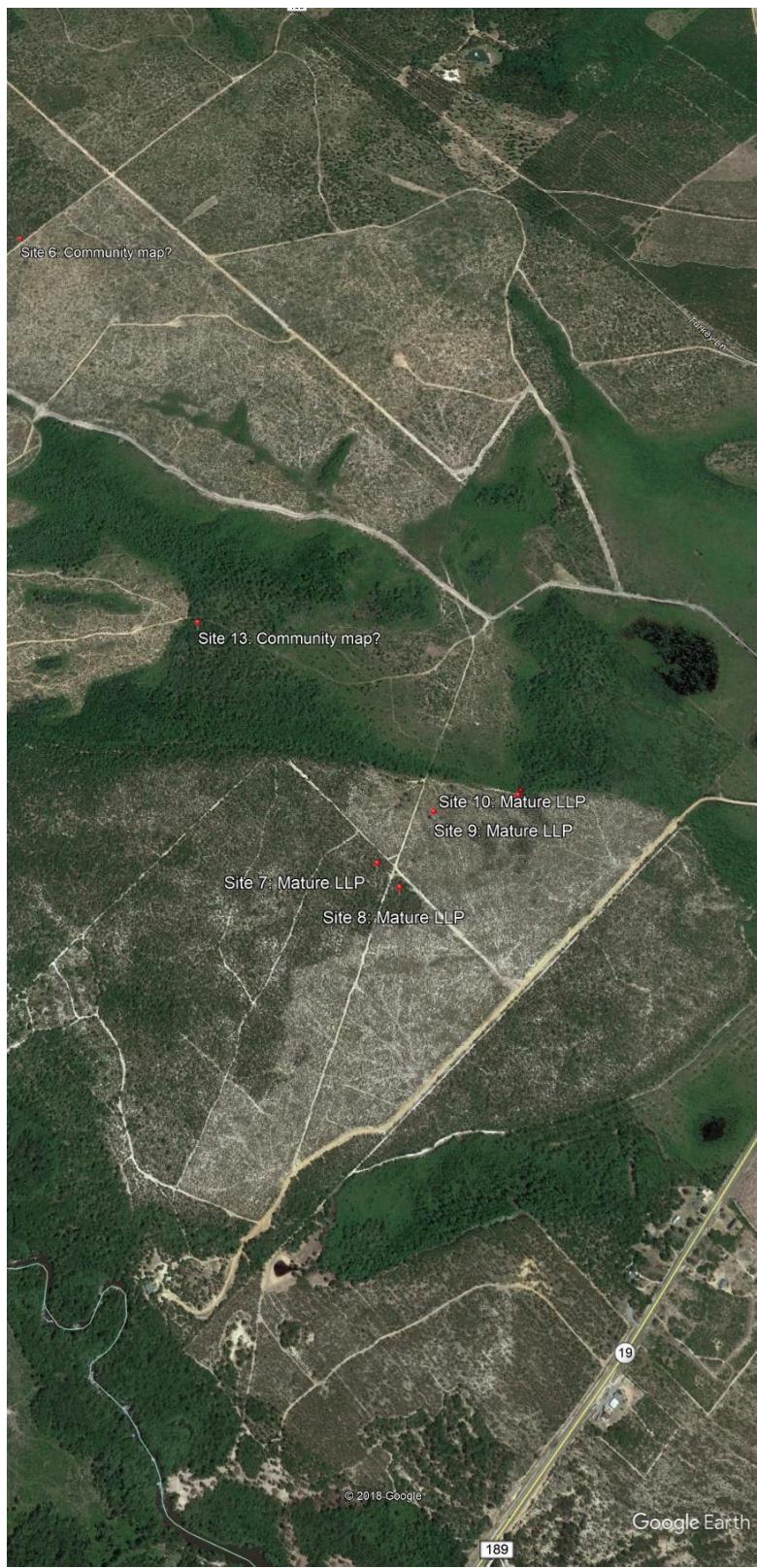


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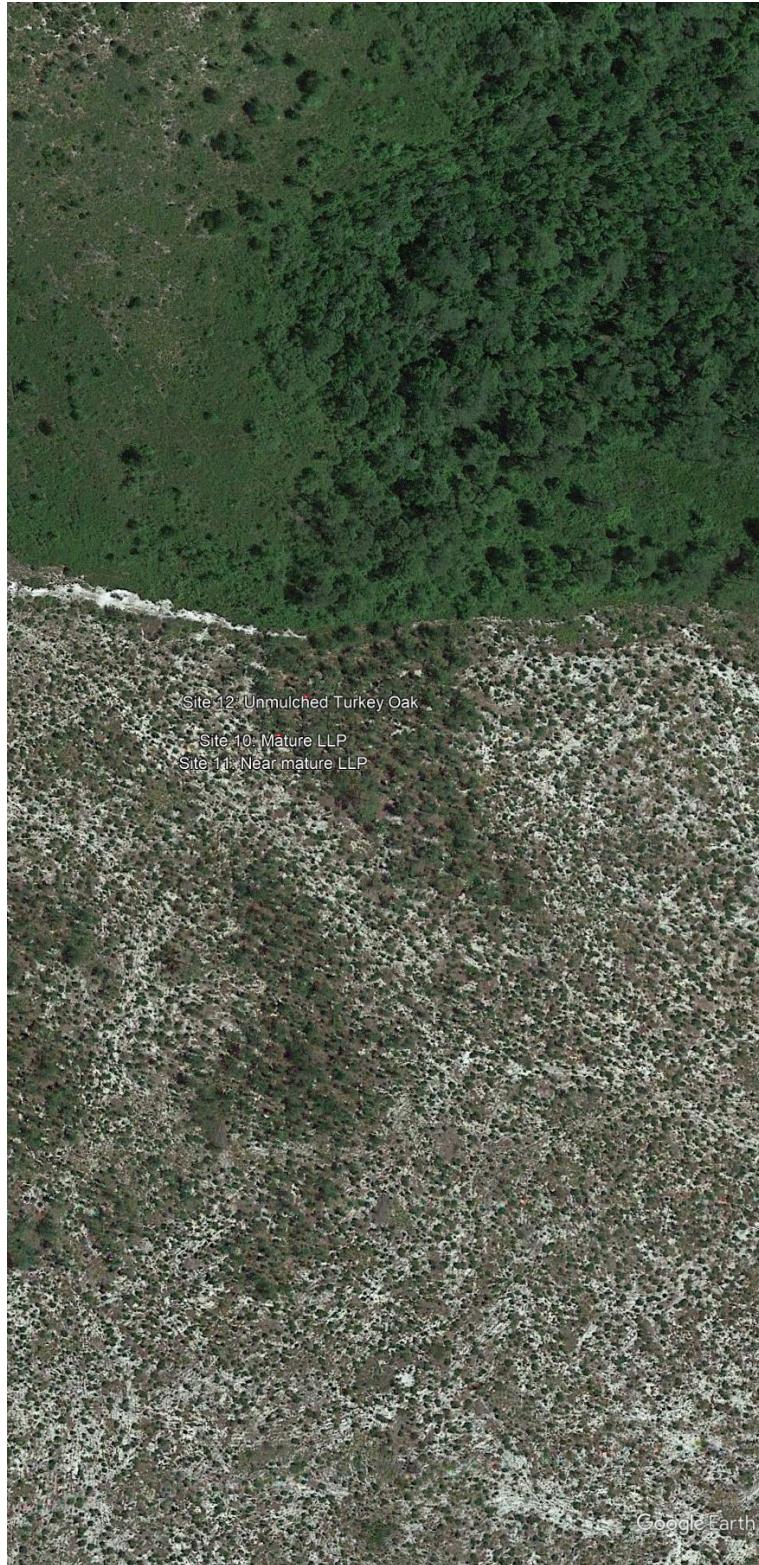


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