Statewide Standards for Timber Harvesting in the Shoreland Area Map

This map is ADVISORY, for planning purposes only. Actual ground conditions and water body locations determine where and how WFS timber harvesting rules apply. Contact the WFS for additional information/assistance from a WFS Forester.

*See MFS Rule - Chapter 21 for additional information.

Forest Operation Notification & Shoreland Area Map

Smithfield

Wetlands
- Non-forested Wetlands Greater Than 10 acres (Subaqueous, Perennial)
- Emergent or Marine Wetland

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Drainage Points
- 300 Acre Drainage Point (300 acre watersheds are subject to the 75 ft buffer)
- 25 Square Mile Drainage Point (300 acre watersheds are subject to the 75 ft buffer)

Habitat
- Essential Wildlife Habitat
- 75 Foot Buffer Zones: Streams between the 75 ft drainage point and the 25 square mile drainage point
- 25 Foot Buffer Zones: Streams draining less than 75 acres, ponds, and non-forested wetlands greater than 1/2 acre and less than 10 acres
- Shoreline Integrity: Streams draining less than 75 acres, ponds, and non-forested wetlands greater than 1/2 acre and less than 10 acres

Buffers
- 250 Foot Buffer Zones: Streams draining greater than 10 acres, ponds below the 25 square mile drainage point
- Forest/Wetland Transition Areas: Transition areas between forested land and emergent or marine wetlands
- LUPC - Low-Upland or Degraded Forest

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