Forest Management Evaluation

Timber Stand Improvements (TSI) and/or ThinningPracticum

Area 3 - 12/06/18

You are the manager of this section of a State Forest, public forest land that is managed for multiple uses. In this stand, the objective is to maintain the oak-hickory component to benefit wildlife and timber production. Local markets include logs for lumber and veneer. This forest is considered generally too far from any paper mills that would support a pulp market; therefore, no pulp market exists. All unwanted trees may be sold to a local sawmill provided they have a minimum DBH of 12 inches and at least one 16 foot clear log with a 10 inch top or larger.

Please turn this paper into the practicum judge when finished.