PROPERTY LINE LOCATION REQUEST
State Forest

This property line location request is being submitted by:

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Name (please print) Address

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City State Zip Daytime phone Home phone

Please include a copy of the deed record for the property adjacent to the line to be located.
A copy of the deed record can be obtained at your county courthouse or offices.

The person submitting this request understands that any line location by Indiana Department of Natural Resources Division of Forestry personnel is governed by the following.

1. This service is provided as a convenience to our neighbors and is performed free of charge. Property lines are generally run for activities such as logging operations, pasture location, etc. The lines will generally be marked with flagging, unless an exact line is found between two good points of evidence. In this case the line may be marked with painted trees and/or signs. State Forest personnel reserve the right to refuse to run any line they feel is unnecessary or unjustified. In cases where the location of a line is difficult to determine, it may not be possible for State Forest personnel to locate the line. The person submitting the request may then need to call on the services of a private surveyor.
2. The lines located through this service are **not** surveyed lines and should not be used as such. The lines are **approximate** property lines only, based on limited evidence and the use of basic equipment. These lines should not be used for the sale of property, nor described in a sale as being surveyed lines or exact property lines.
3. It is highly recommended that a "buffer zone", or zone of no activity, be observed. A buffer zone 50 feet wide is generally recommended, though the State Forest personnel who locate the line can indicate how accurate the line is in each individual case, and how much of a buffer zone is needed. This is to protect the private individual from crossing onto state property because of marked line inaccuracies.
4. State Forest personnel will attempt to perform line locations in a timely manner. However, it may not be possible to locate a line immediately upon receiving the request. It is recommended that a request be submitted at least one month prior to the desired completion date. It is also preferred that line locations be planned so they may be performed during the winter and early spring as the lack of foliage facilitates the location of evidence for lines.

I, the undersigned adjoining property owner and/or logger to the state property, take full legal responsibility and liability for any and all damage to state property (i.e. buildings and/or fences constructed on state land, trees cut or damaged, etc.) that occurs on or near the requested property line location, upon its survey by an Indiana licensed land surveyor recognized by the Indiana Department of Natural Resources.

Office Use Only
Request Completed

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Signature of person submitting request Date

Date:_____

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State office receiving request (Division of Forestry personnel ONLY) Date

Initials:_____