

Map 6 Wildlife Habitat Charlotte, Vermont



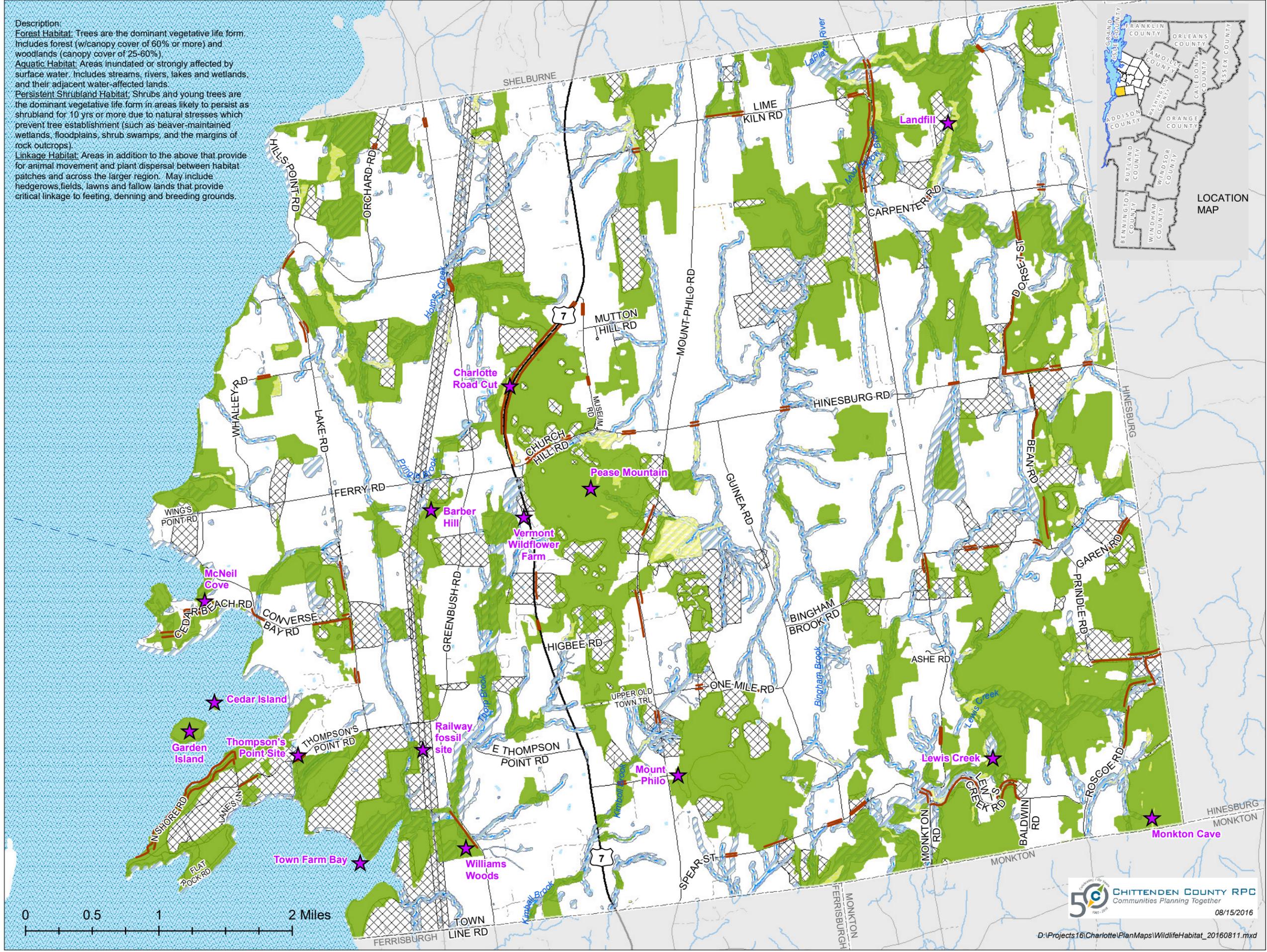
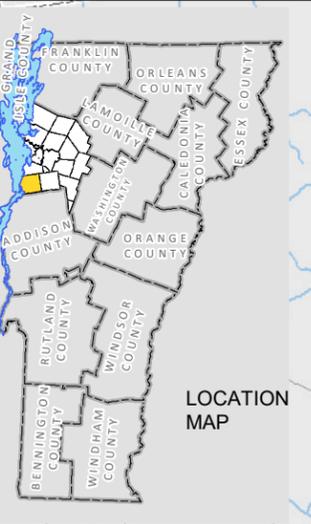
1 inch = 3,600 feet

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Legend

- Special Natural Areas
- Wildlife Value Area
- Persistent Shrubland Habitat
- Forest Habitat
- Aquatic Habitat
- Linkage Habitat
- US/State Highway
- Town Highway Class 2 or 3
- Town Highway Class 4
- State Forest Highway
- Legal Trail
- Private
- Railroad
- Ferry Route
- Stream Centerline
- Water Body

Description:
Forest Habitat: Trees are the dominant vegetative life form. Includes forest (w/canopy cover of 60% or more) and woodlands (canopy cover of 25-60%).
Aquatic Habitat: Areas inundated or strongly affected by surface water. Includes streams, rivers, lakes and wetlands and their adjacent water-affected lands.
Persistent Shrubland Habitat: Shrubs and young trees are the dominant vegetative life form in areas likely to persist as shrubland for 10 yrs or more due to natural stresses which prevent tree establishment (such as beaver-maintained wetlands, floodplains, shrub swamps, and the margins of rock outcrops).
Linkage Habitat: Areas in addition to the above that provide for animal movement and plant dispersal between habitat patches and across the larger region. May include hedgerows, fields, lawns and fallow lands that provide critical linkage to feeding, denning and breeding grounds.



Sources:
 Special Natural Areas - CCRPC as described by town
 Habitat Data - Charlotte & Jesse Mohr, 2009
 Road centerline - VTrans, 2015
 Water - Vermont Hydrography Dataset, USGS, 2013

Map created by P. Brangan using ArcGIS. All data is in State Plane Coordinate System, NAD 1983.

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