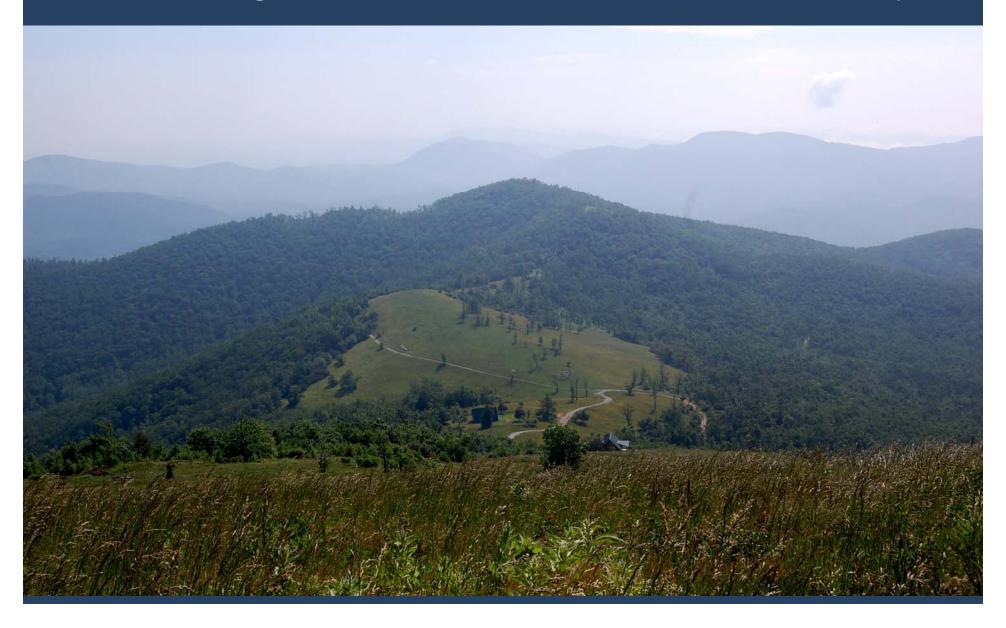
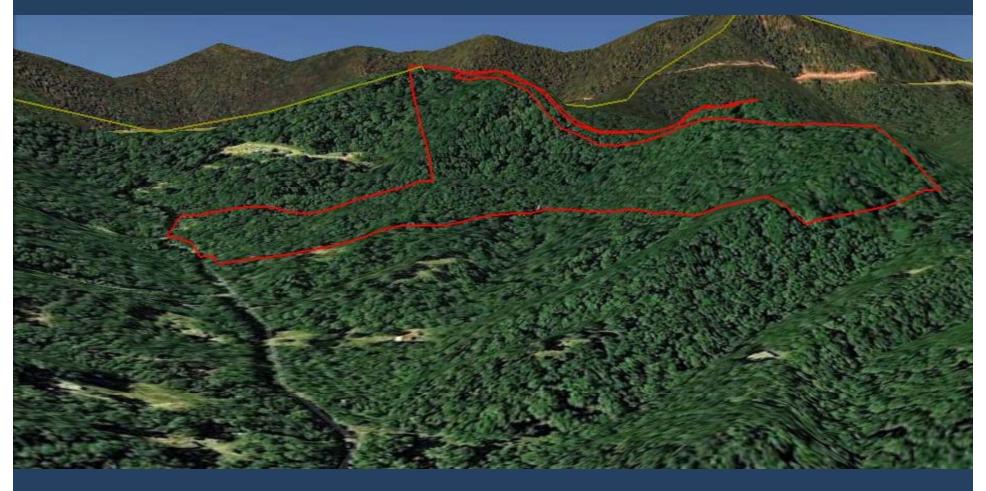
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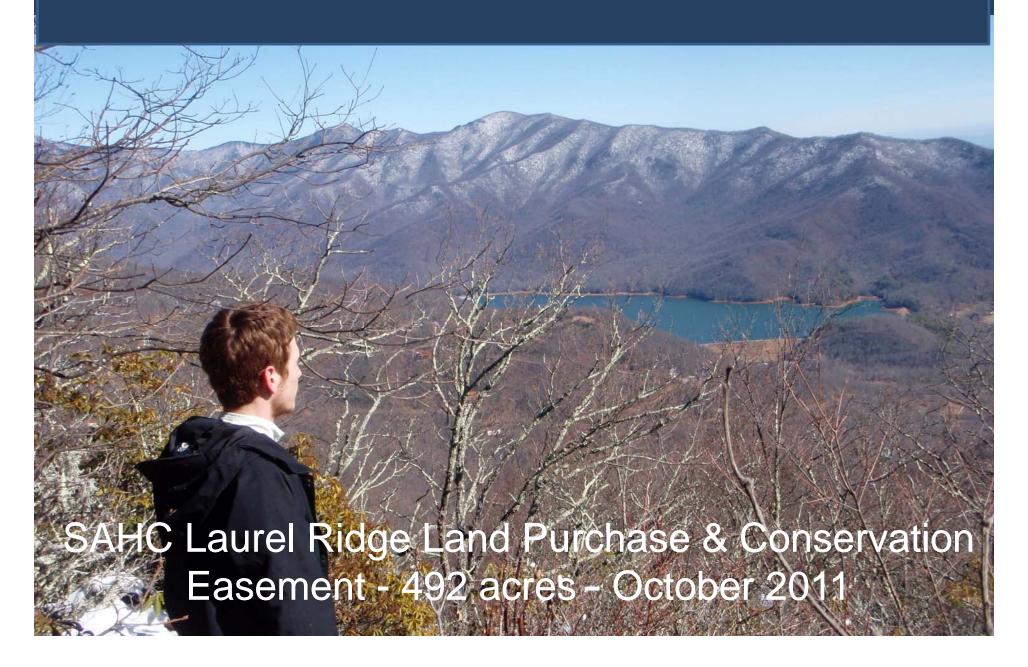


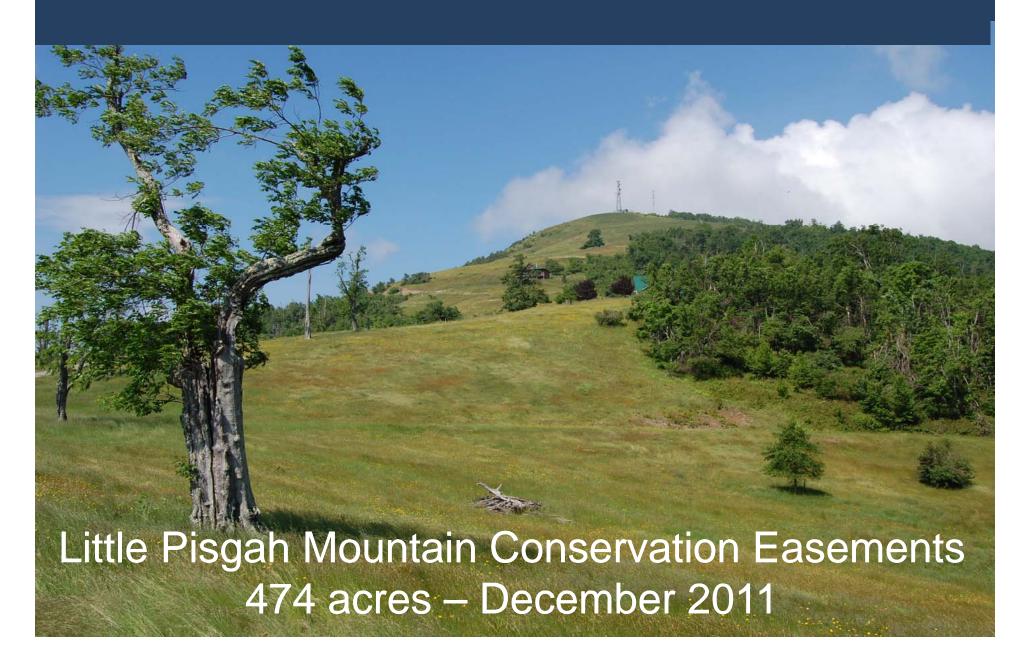
Carson Conservation Easement – May 2011 37 acres adjoining Asheville Watershed

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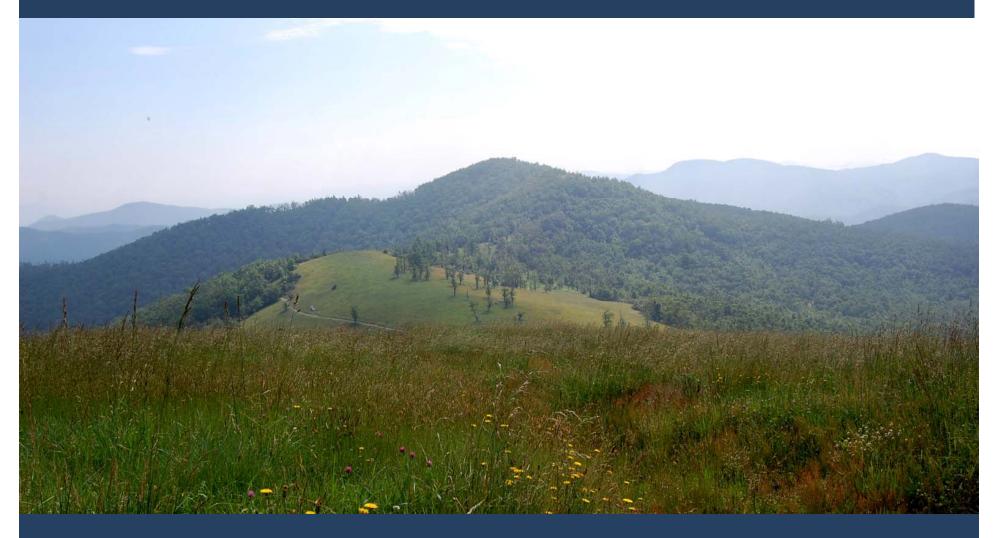
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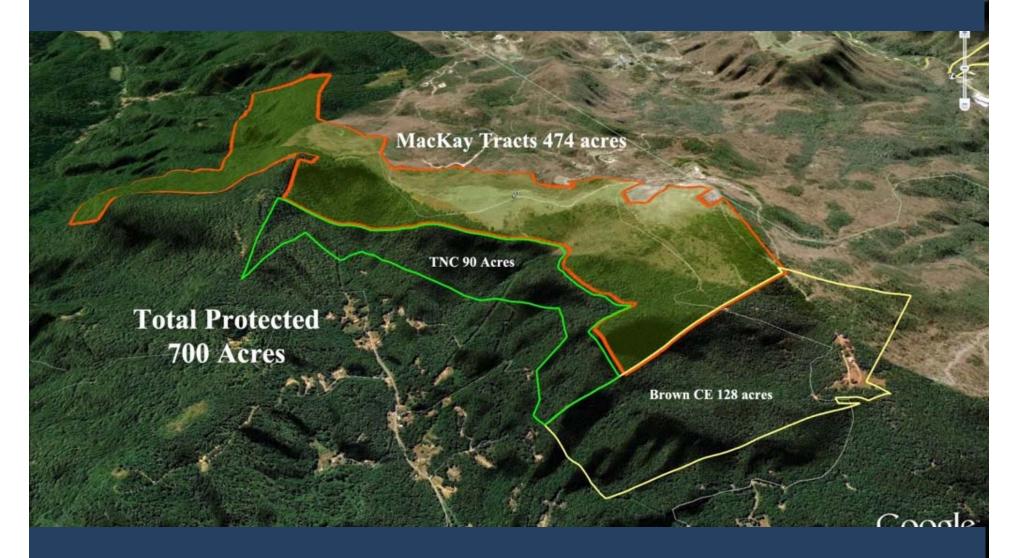




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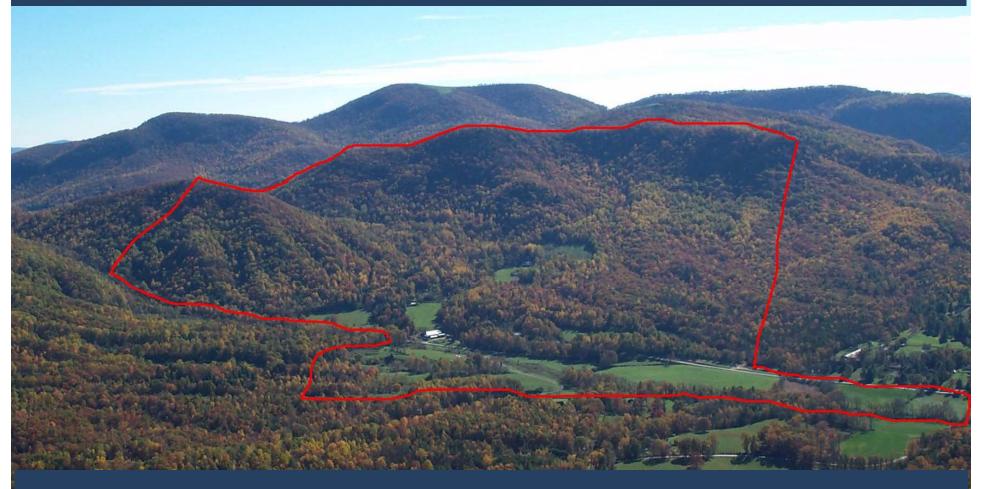


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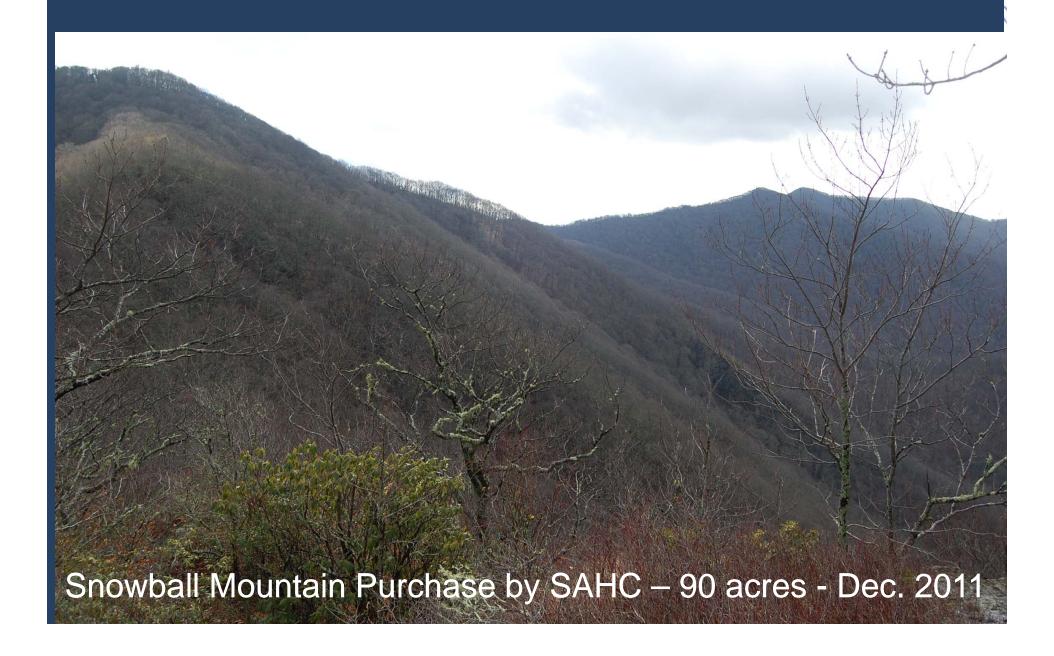
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#### Hickory Nut Gap Conservation Easements - Fairview



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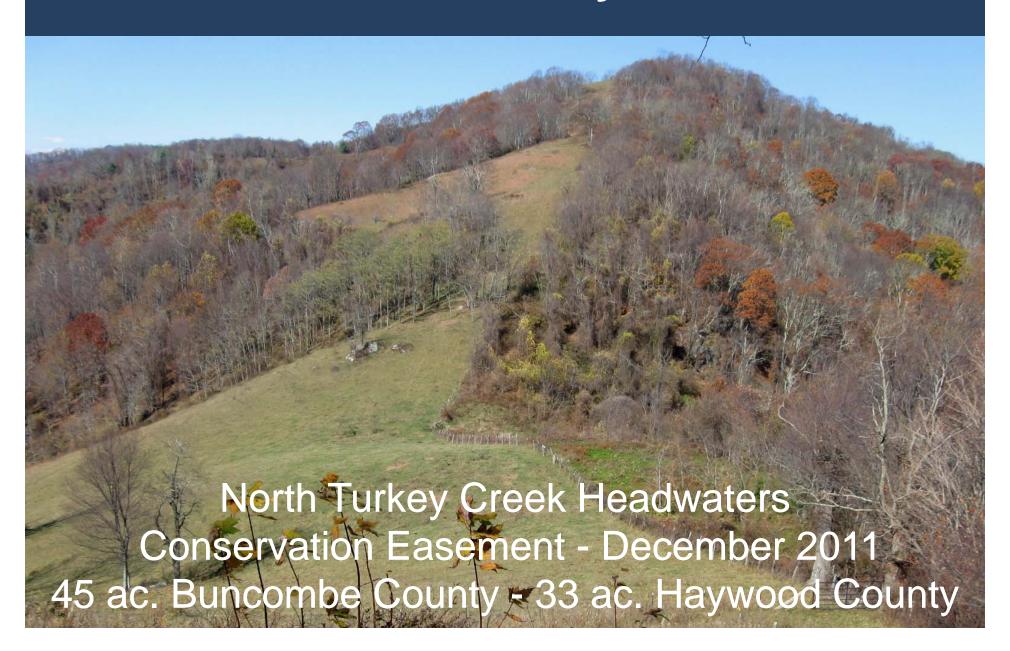


## West Buncombe – Sandy Mush



Long Branch Environmental Education Center Conservation Easement - June 2011 622 ac. Buncombe County - 124 ac. Haywood County

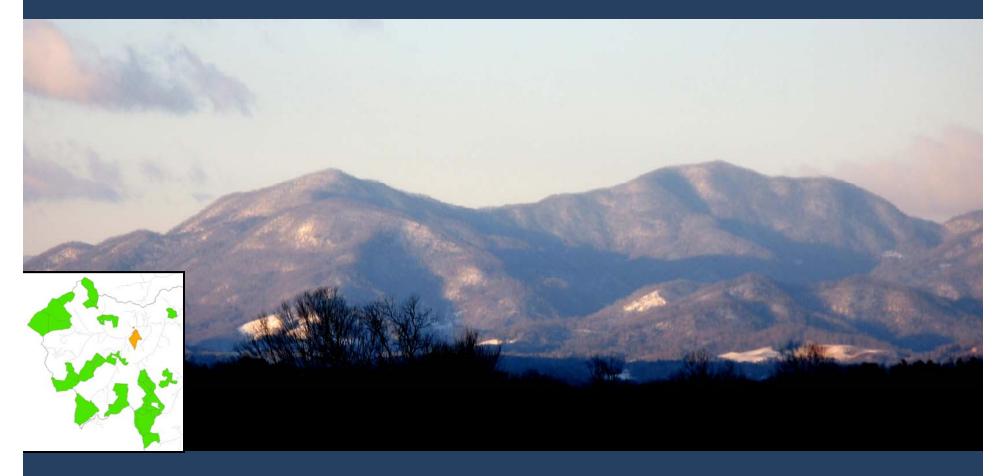
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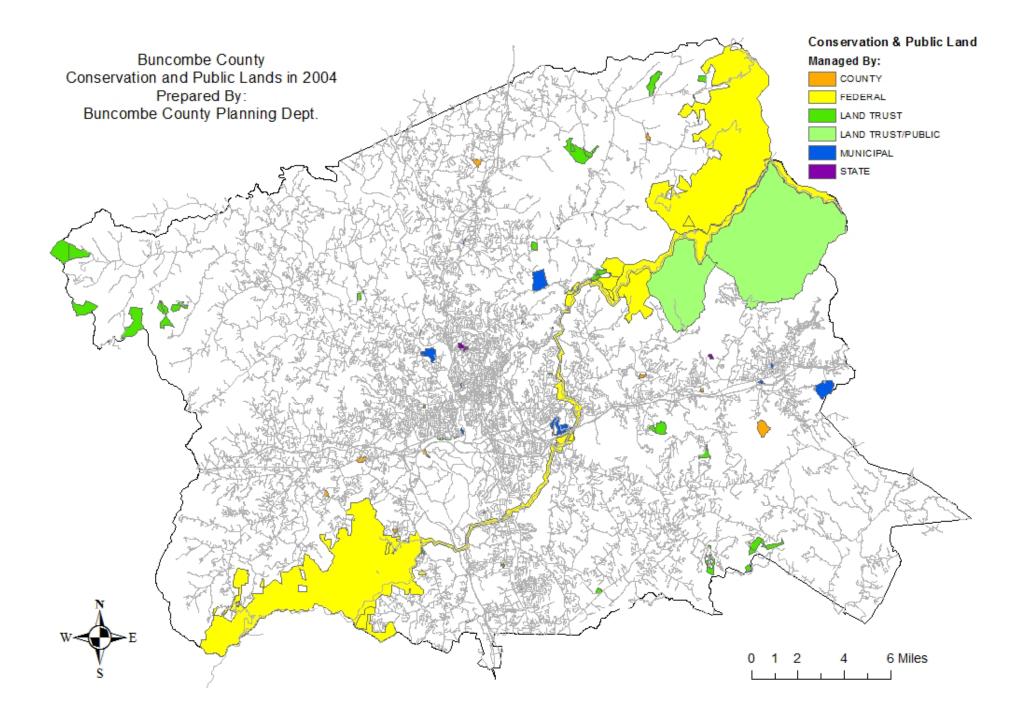
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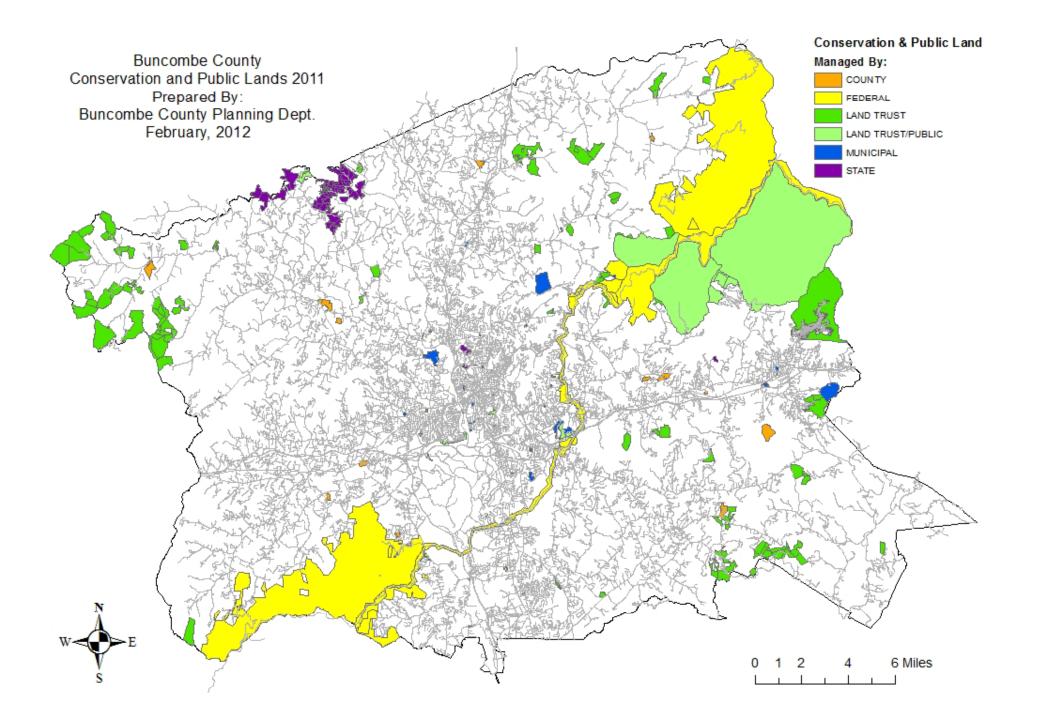


#### Sandy Mush Ridgeline-Asheville's scenic backdrop



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# Progress

#### 2004

- County Program Begins
- 420,269 Acres in the County
- 57,447 Acres Protected

#### 2011

- 2,097 Additional Acres Protected
- 72,095 Total Acres Protected

# 2011 – 8 Projects Total

- County funds in only 2
- 6 projects with no County money
  - Private money
  - State or Federal grants
  - Work done by nonprofit staff with no County money