

# **MOUNTAIN VIEW FOREST**

This is a classic Vermont hardwood forest with rustic camp, complimented by gorgeous long-range views of New Hampshire's White Mountains.



59 Survey Acres Vershire, Orange County, Vermont

Price: \$159,000

## **PROPERTY OVERVIEW**



Mountain View Forest combines a late middle-aged hardwood forest with hemlock and white pine stands interspersed throughout the property. In the middle of the western boundary there is a rustic camp already built on the property. As the camp is situated directly on the road, access is easy; whether you choose to remodel or perhaps building a new structure, this site is perfect for a house, cabin or one of the new, green, off-grid buildings popping up across Vermont.

### LOCATION

Mountain View Forest sits between Rowell Road and Stacey Road, two Class 4 roads in Vershire, Vermont. A short drive on Route 113 from either Chelsea to the west or Fairlee to the east will bring you to the camp. The camp and land are



Drone view showing the secluded camp at the far end of the open field.

less than a mile from the last electric pole, so it may be possible to connect to the grid in the future. For now, enjoy an off-grid experience in a private and peaceful setting. Access is available during the winter months via a VAST trail that goes by the camp on Rowell Road.



View from the front porch of the camp, looking east toward New Hampshire's White Mountain Range in the distance.

### SITE DESCRIPTION

The forested land, formerly old fields is stocked with trees of approximately 65-75 years. The hardwood forest includes a stand or two of hemlock and white pine, with several small springs and streams meandering throughout the parcel. This type of forest supports good wildlife habitat for turkey, grouse, bear and white-tailed deer. It is interesting to note the flat areas marked by old stone walls in the middle of the forest were once open fields. One of the intriguing highlights of the property is a cleared, 3-acre field directly in front of the camp. Enjoy local and long-range views over the field to the summit of Mount Washington in the White Mountains of New Hampshire on clear days.

### **RUSTIC CAMP**

The camp is in need of some work, but is habitable and retains its rustic charm. There is a living area and kitchen, with two bedrooms upstairs. An extra room off the kitchen could be opened to enlarge the kitchen and create a dining area. The main living area is a large room with windows on both sides that showcase the views. A large open fireplace on the far wall could easily warm the entire camp on a cold night. There is also an old wood-burning/gas combo stove in the kitchen. Enjoy your own "glamping" experience from your private piece of Vermont forest land.





Interior view of a classic Vermont hardwood forest.



The camp with open windows in the late spring sunshine.



Drone footage of open clearing. The camp is tucked away on the far right just inside the tree line.



# **ACCESS & BOUNDARIES**

There is road frontage along two boundary lines, forming the "V" of the southern part of the property, with Stacey Road to the east and Rowell Road to the west. This extended frontage allows for access at any spot along both roads, providing the ability to build another house, barn or outbuilding in another location on the land. The roads are designated as Class 4, which means they are not plowed in the winter by the town. As the camp is situated just off the road, access in winter is easily gained via snowmobile. The town plow trucks appear to turn around just down the road; the new owner may wish to consult with the town about plowing to the camp.



Long road frontage on two boundaries make for easy access for potential future development.

### **TAXES & TITLE**

The property is owned by The Larsen Living Trust. The Warranty Deed is recorded in Book 25 on Page 173 in the Vershire town office. The Parcel ID is 02-30.000 and the SPAN number is 669-212-10211.

The property is enrolled in the Use Value Appraisal (or "Current Use") program with the exception of two acres surrounding the camp. This program is designed to allow valuation and taxation of farm or forest land based on current use, instead of full market value. The program provides property tax abatement in exchange for active agricultural or forestry use of the property.

Estimated property tax for 2019 is approximately \$3,040.



Enjoy local and very long range views in any season!



The little red camp with expansive views from the front and outside deck.

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