



MassWildlife Lands User Guide

Shattuck Brook Wildlife Management Area

Towns: Bernardston, Leyden

Acreage: 179

Wildlife Management Zone: 4N

Description of property:

This property lies near the Vermont border on the steep hillsides of Shattuck Brook. It consists of upland forest composed of mature northern hardwoods (maple, birch, and beech) and mixed softwoods (white pine, hemlock). A power line easement runs through a small corner of one of the parcels.

Location/Access/Parking

The property can be accessed from Keets Brook Road. No parking areas are present.

Habitat Management

This property is not currently in active management but is reviewed annually regarding the need for forest cutting plans and other habitat management activities.

Hunting Opportunities

This WMA provides hunting opportunities for White-tailed Deer, Black Bear, Eastern Coyote, and squirrel.

Fishing Opportunities:

Shattuck Brook provides fishing opportunities for native Brook Trout and stocked trout species. Go to [Mass.gov/Trout](https://www.mass.gov/trout) for more information.

Wildlife Viewing and Other Features:

This WMA is mapped as Aquatic Core Habitat by BioMap2, the state's comprehensive biodiversity conservation plan due to the exemplary nature of the riparian forest which supports a rich diversity of plants and wildlife.

Special WMA Regulations:

None

Useful Links

[WMA Regulations](#)

[Habitat Program](#)

[Hunting & Fishing](#)

Fishing/Hunting Licenses

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