

APPENDIX A:

Franklin County Scenic Resources Inventory Form

Visual Segment Category: (circle one) Farmland/Open Land Farmland/ Developed
Forest Village/Town Center Developed

Location Town _____ Road _____

Name/Route# _____

Visual Segment GPS Numbers: Beginning Point _____ Ending Point _____

Beginning Land Mark _____ Ending Land Mark _____

Scenic Landscape Features	North	South	Comments
Landform / Topography			
1. Flat			
2. Gently Sloping			
3. Rolling			
4. Steep			
5. Mountainous			
Vegetation			
1. Distinctive or Mature Forest			
2. Field or Forest Edge			
3. Significant Single/Stand of Trees			
4. Rows of Trees or Hedgerows			
5. Tree Canopy Effect			
6. Forest Tunnel Effect			
7. Masses of Wildflowers or Ferns			
8. Distinctive Fall Foliage			
Water			
1. Lakes and Ponds			
2. Marshes or Wetlands			
3. Rivers or Brooks			
4. Waterfalls			
Fields / Open Spaces			
1. Crop			
2. Hay			
3. Pasture (livestock grazing)			
4. Orchard			
5. Other (Please Describe)			
Rock/Geologic			

Scenic Landscape Features	North	South	Comments
1. Cliffs			
2. Boulders or Outcrops			
Special Views			
1. Panoramic			
2. Long View			
3. Outstanding Natural or Cultural Feature			
Proximity of Human Activities			
1. Proximate and visible farm activity			
2. Proximate and visible village activity			
3. Proximate and visible recreation and other activity			
4. Special evidence of human care taking			
Road Fit			
1. Road conforms to land form and landscape			
2. Road scale, width, material fitting			
Human-Built Features			
1. Picturesque Farmsteads			
a. farmhouse			
b. barn			
c. corral			
d. farm stand			
e. other (please describe)			
2. Covered and Other Scenic Bridges			
3. Stone Walls and Wooded Fences			
4. Cemeteries			
5. Other Constructed Focal Points / Historical Structures			
6. Historic District			
7. Distant Villages or Steeple			
8. Picturesque Village/Town Center			
a. green space (common, setback areas)			
b. mature, well lined street			

Scenic Landscape Features	North	South	Comments
c. well maintained homes/building/ property			
d. outstanding architecture			
e. other (please describe)			
Ephemeral (Transitory Features)			
1. Migrating Wildlife			
2. Grazing Livestock			
3. Visible farm activity			
4. Fall Foliage			
5. Other			
Total Number of Scenic (Positive) Landscape Features			
Misfit Landscape Features	North	South	Comments
Landscape Scars			
1. Lumbering Scars or Slash			
2. Erosion			
3. Gravel and Sand Mining Operations			
4. Prominent Utility Lines, Corridors, Substations			
Buildings and Other Structures			
1. Inappropriate or Dilapidated Buildings/Property			
2. Gas Stations and Auto Repair Shops			
3. Large or Inappropriate Signs			
4. Protruding Culverts			
Buildings and Other Structures			
5. Junkyards and Landfills			
6. Storage Tanks			
7. Structures Out of Context			
8. Road not Conforming to Landscape			
9. Prominent/Inappropriate Guardrails			
Land Use			
1. Strip Commercial Development			
2. Strip Residential Development			

Scenic Landscape Features	North	South	Comments
3. Out of Context Industrial Uses			
4. Visible Pollution			
Total Number of Misfit (Negative) Landscape Features			
Directional Total Sum of Scenic (+) and Misfit (-)			
SEGMENT SCORE (North + South Totals/2)			