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Dear Mr. Stewart:

I am writing in response to your April 22, 2008, letter. You have stated that Duhring Resource Company ("Duhring") is willing to execute the Allegheny National Forest's cut, skid and deck agreement ("Agreement") with the revision to paragraph 2 as outlined in my April 21, 2008, letter.

I have asked District Ranger Scardina and District Ranger Fallon to contact you directly to set up a time to meet and work through details raised in your letter. The agreed-to details will then be incorporated into the Agreement prior to Duhring's execution. Unfortunately, April 23, 2008, will not work for our staff, but I have requested a time be scheduled as soon as possible that works for both parties.

After execution of the Agreement, a signed Notice to Proceed and Operating Plan from the Marienville Ranger District for the Warrant 3672 proposal and from the Bradford Ranger District for the Lot 8 proposal can be finalized.

You also requested clarification regarding the last paragraph included in my April 21, 2008, letter. My intent was simply to make it clear that no clearing activity may proceed without prior written authorization from the US Forest Service. My letter was not intended to address, or otherwise limit, how the United States would enforce that legal requirement.

Sincerely,

LEANNE M. MARTEN
Forest Supervisor

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