Transcribed notes from Lloyd Meeting December 13 2016

Participant 1:

A haiku about home:

black water and white sand

longleaf pine and a few slash

blue stems sleep until fire

1. Our decisions and actions have broad-reaching consequences – good and bad

2. A place doesn’t have to be exotic to be special

Participant 2:

1. Jim Williamsons Tract – Kosicullo, MS

-rural farm: forest thick, mak… social/ comrade memories, shared

-felt a connection to the land

-integral social: biotic/ land ethic

1. South MS, AL, LA – Ca…..

…

Black Creek Wilderness area

Pasoola river Basin

2. Interconnectedness

Maw’s impact on the land

Value of traditional land was/ag/NR

sc life – sandhills module – tap into

leopold

friends of Margaret Lloyd

Participant 3:

East China Sea in Okinawa Japan

-grew up in military family

-longest place to live besides Myrtle Beach SC

-Beautiful environment

-Unique culture

-I like to think traveling is what made me who I am today

-Everything interacts with each other

-Your decision matters

-You move with the current

-Don’t step on sea urchins

-Look up how to deal with hogs

-How to manage for longleaf while reducing loblolly

Participant 4:

Piece of land that is a part of who I am (the fabric)

Clemson as adult

-undergrad school

-commission in Air Force

-graduate school

-work at Clemson

-became an adult at Clemson in all aspects

-a place to call home

Sumter as childhood

-born

-grew up

-family lives

Participant 5:

Overlooking a winding muddy river in central Kentucky I can sit on a limestone palisade in solitude. Below me is a scattering of small family farms to the northeast with freshly cut hay. Looking westward I can see a landscape scorred by floods, fires, and long since abandoned single family homes. On top of the hill behind me is a campus of higher education that is free from the toil. It has never felt like part of this landscape. Above me are circling black and turkey vultures riding thermals that are updrafting from the heating limestone.

Participant 6:

Hack Tsammel and the Land

Rolling hills of the piedmont

with mountains in the distance

peach orchard in the backyard

and the wonderful ability to

go out my back door and

pull a peach or two off

the tree. a snip hunt just a sundown away

In the winter …. sledding

down those hills

always knowing the red clay

of this land was just 6 inch

under my feet

being comforted by always

having the blue ridge mountains

in the distance. sentinels

and profectors giving me constancy and warmth

specific learnings

-learned that peach fuzz can

be worse than fiberglass in the crux of the arm

the land reinforces amplifies our actions

Participant 7:

Goz Segars

I see this land practically every day and I am constantly reminded of the sacrifice that others have made for my family to farm this land that has been in my family from 1821. I have memories of my childhood play and working on this land. …. This land has been a large factor in making me what I am and it continues to remind me of my heritage.

Patience

Long term results are …

meet challenges

enjoy rewards

Often life lessons are leanred from connectivity with undeveloped property

presentation to the community

good for donor event

Participant 8:

Pawley’s Island – this are of the coast provides a step back in that it allows the hustle and bustle of everyday life to drop. It brings a sense of peace and allows reflection from all aspects of life, family, what it is to be, etc. It also allows the mind to clear and be

Mountains – hiking through the mountains provides a sense of peace and solitude away from everyday life. A view at the top of a ridge with vantage points at the top brings it all into perspective that the world is much greater and there are bigger things beyond my everyday life.

Home – sitting in the … hunting early in the morning or in the late afternoon allows me to disconnect from the real world and lens of day to day life. It allows me to watch the world wake up and go to bed. It brings again a sense of place and the real reason of being a body in the larger framework of life.

Participant 9:

Kathy Colemman

Place that is part of the Fabric of who you are:

-Lower… connecting to Congaree River and swamp – where I grew up and gained appreciation for the land – hunting, fishing, washing on a horse farm – gained earth ethic. I grew up in the area of the confluence of the Congaree, wateree, and santee

-Hunting Island – grandfather had a cabin there that we visited often – taught em about gathering as a family, traditional fishing and cooking the catch of the ay – it has never washed away – it was part of the state park

-clemson university – have been involved with Clemson since 1974 when I went on my first visit and a soil conservation summer camp and only left for 3 years to get my phd at Texas AM. Made my education and career

- Saludo and … River – my home for the last 30 years. my husband’s family farm- been in his family since original charter from King George. Home land on the river and close to the regional Cherokee trail. Riased my Children here.

-SC Statehouse – where I spent my career at Clemson – Where I could impact Clemson and state of SC and now sandhill

-Isle of palms – my quiet place- where I relax and keep my sanity and think

Participant 10:

Steering Committee

Wildcat creek in the North Forest … I think this was the first place in SC I bagan to see the richness of this Piedmont landscape. The creek falls about 12’ there & my friend had diverted the entire thing for an experiment on stream use community. Stayed there with him I thought that we …. once there was a farm here. Now, surrounded by forest, a rushing stram full of life – a stream of … & hope. My kids flipped rocks and found dusty two -eyed salamanders. I’ve been back there time & again; the experiment now dismantled, the experiment now at Virginia Tech. The place remains a small gem next to a busy train in a one … forest.

Margins, circled: => YLI, Lynn Hamm

* community-nature-self-balace-peace

Jorge (circled) Calcinea … Sandhills Rec] – [Case Study]

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