

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

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Senate Bill 453

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NOTE

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[Introduced February 25, 2021; referred
to the Committee on Transportation and
Infrastructure; and then to the Committee on Finance]

1 A BILL to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section,
 2 designated §17-2A-11a, relating to creating an inventory and mapping system of all roads
 3 in state forests, state parks, national forests, and national parks.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

ARTICLE 2A. WEST VIRGINIA COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS.

§17-2A-11a. Inventory and mapping of all roads in state forests, state parks, national forests and national parks.

1 (a) The Division of Highways, before July 1, 2022, shall map and make available to the
 2 public a comprehensive inventory of forest roads that are state roads.

3 (b) The inventory shall meet both of the following requirements:

4 (1) Identify the location, condition, and surface type of road in the state forests, state parks,
 5 national forests and national parks; and

6 (2) Determine types of motorized and nonmotorized use currently restricted on each
 7 park and forest road segment and the seasons during which those uses are currently restricted.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to create an inventory and mapping system of all roads in state forests, state parks, national forests and national parks.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from a heading or the present law and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.