

**We enjoy the Larch Hills Trails – some folks enjoy them all year round.**

**These trails are diverse in many ways!**

**46K of the 111K of named trails are adjacent to Old Forest – that’s 41%. Most of the trails are adjacent to young forests, to new plantations, to a few bogs.**

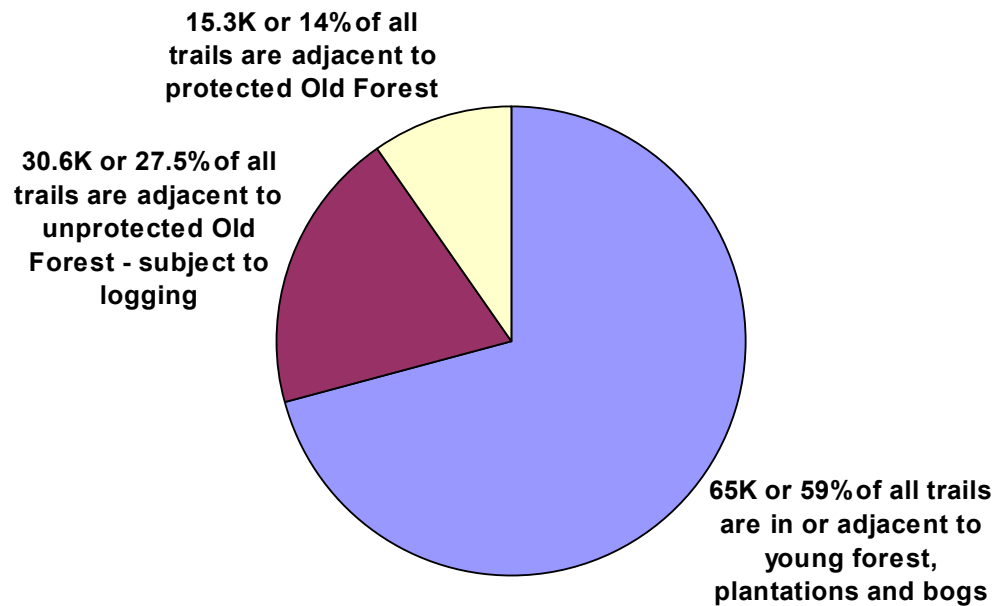
**31K or 66% of the 46K of Old Forest adjacent trails are not reserved from logging. 33% or 15K is reserved by the Violet Creek Park or the “OGMA”.**

**How important is it for trail users to try to maintain the current Old Forest trail diversity - especially on the 31K of unreserved Old Forest adjacent to**

**Larch Hills trails?**

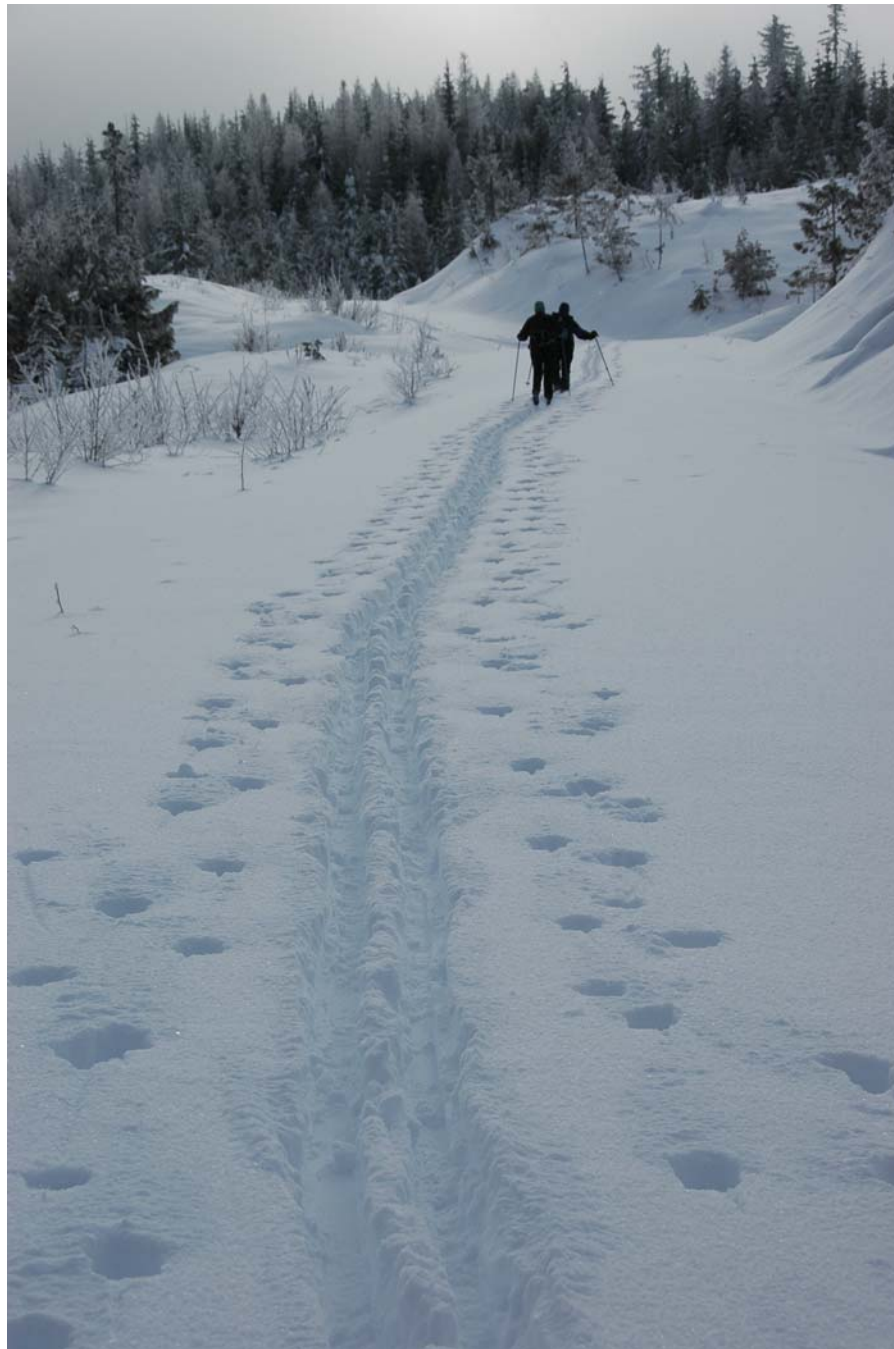
## Larch Hills Old Forest Adjacent Trails

46K of Larch Hills' trails are adjacent to Old Forests: red+yellow wedges.  
15.3K of this 46K are protected - adjacent to Park and OGMA  
31K of this 46K is adjacent to unprotected Old Forest - subject to logging?



**Climbing the Summit  
Trail Hill to 1400M  
viewpoint.**

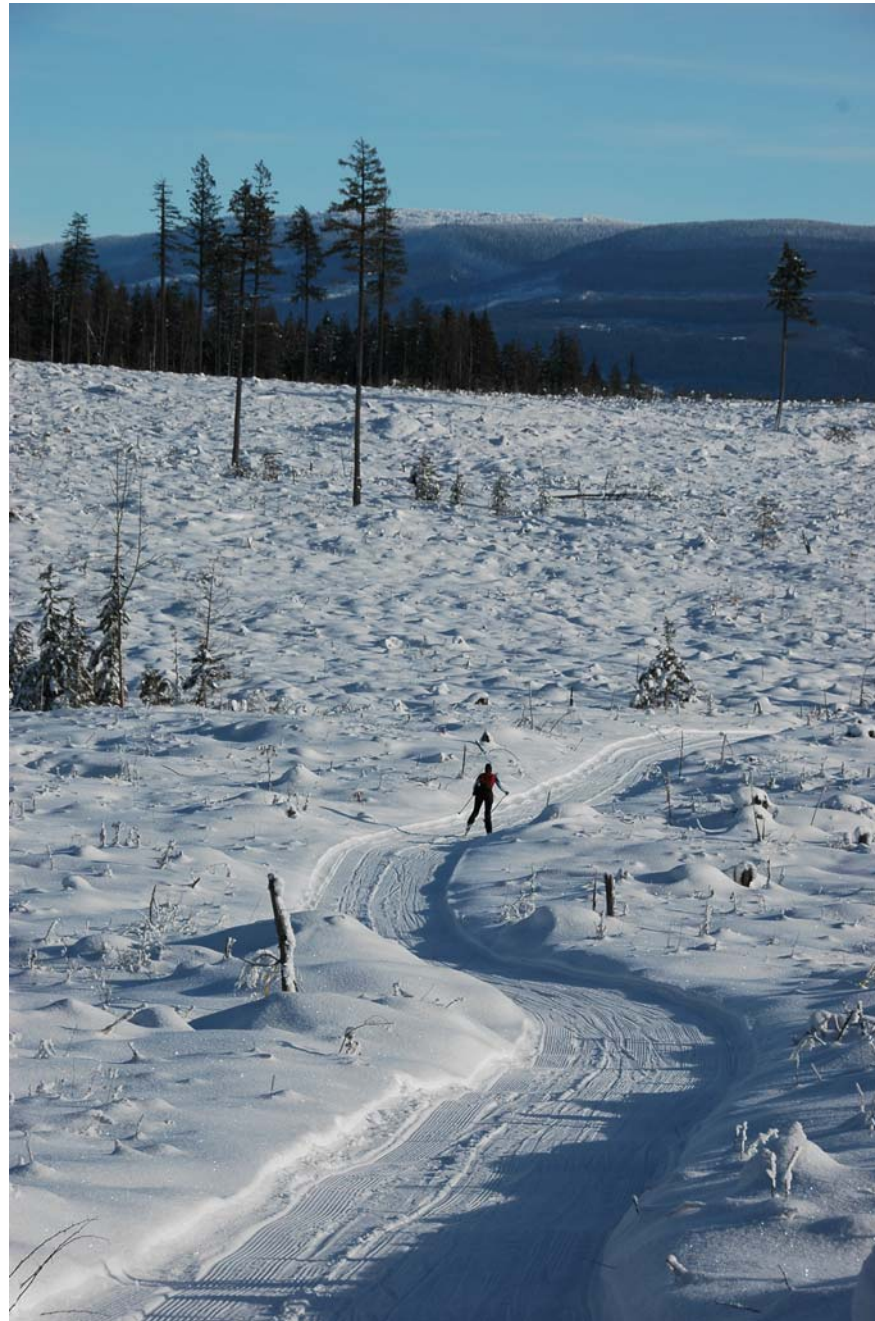
**Almost all of the Larch  
Hills trails we enjoy  
originated because of  
logging.**





**Reserved Old Forest section on Larch Hills Road – north of N. Hub  
(beside Violet Creek Park and in the OGMA)**

**Logged areas provide new trails, more snow, new views and lots of light – until the plantations grow tall!**





**Salmon River Delta and Bay - Town View Lookout on new Woodlot cut block**



View north from Tom's  
trail to Monashees.  
Fir Seed trees in  
Woodlot Blk A5 –  
logged 1999

# LARCH HILLS TRAILS

2009 GPS confirmed, Blue = Track set, White = un track set

A 3000 hectare area with 111K of named trails. 48 of 89 named trails have adjacent Old Forest sections. Area Forest Managers: Tolko, Federated Co-op and two Woodlot Licensees

**NORTH TRAILS AREA**  
(north of S. Hub)

**CENTRAL TRAILS AREA**  
(Parking Lot to S. Hub)

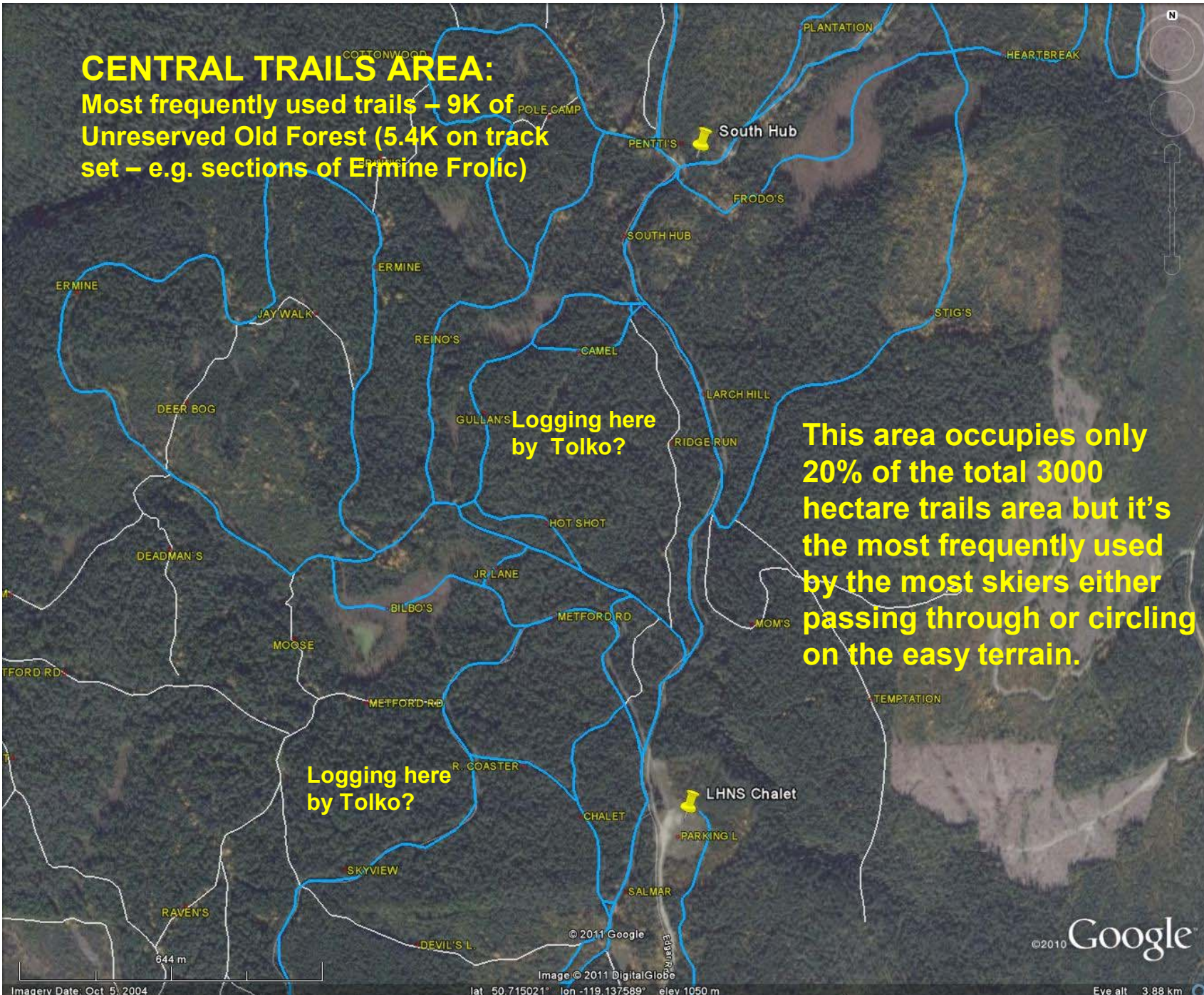
**SOUTH TRAILS AREA**  
(in the Woodlots)

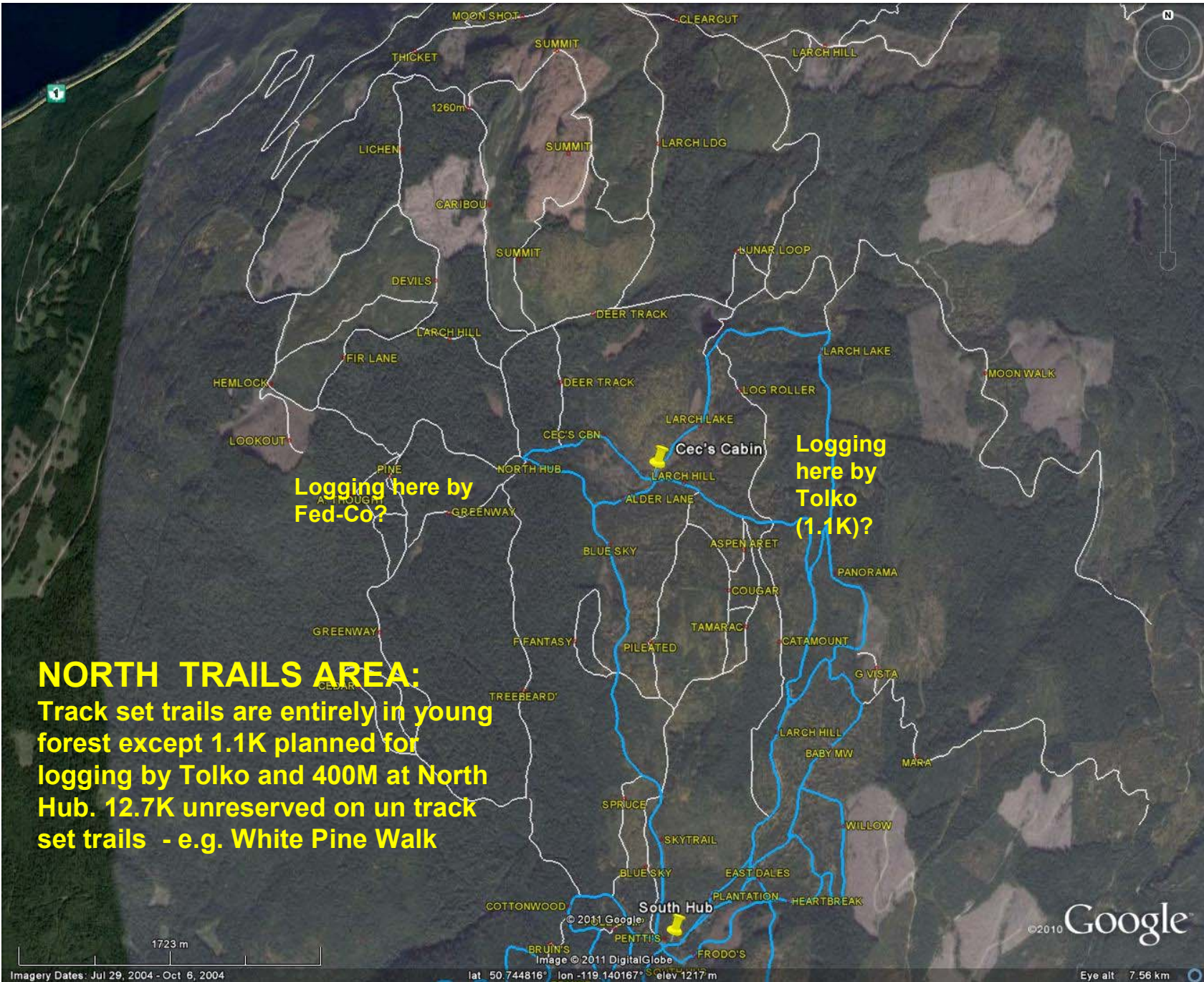
**CENTRAL TRAILS AREA:**  
Most frequently used trails – 9K of  
Unreserved Old Forest (5.4K on track  
set – e.g. sections of Ermine Frolic)

**Logging here  
by Tolko?**

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**This area occupies only  
20% of the total 3000  
hectare trails area but it's  
the most frequently used  
by the most skiers either  
passing through or circling  
on the easy terrain.**

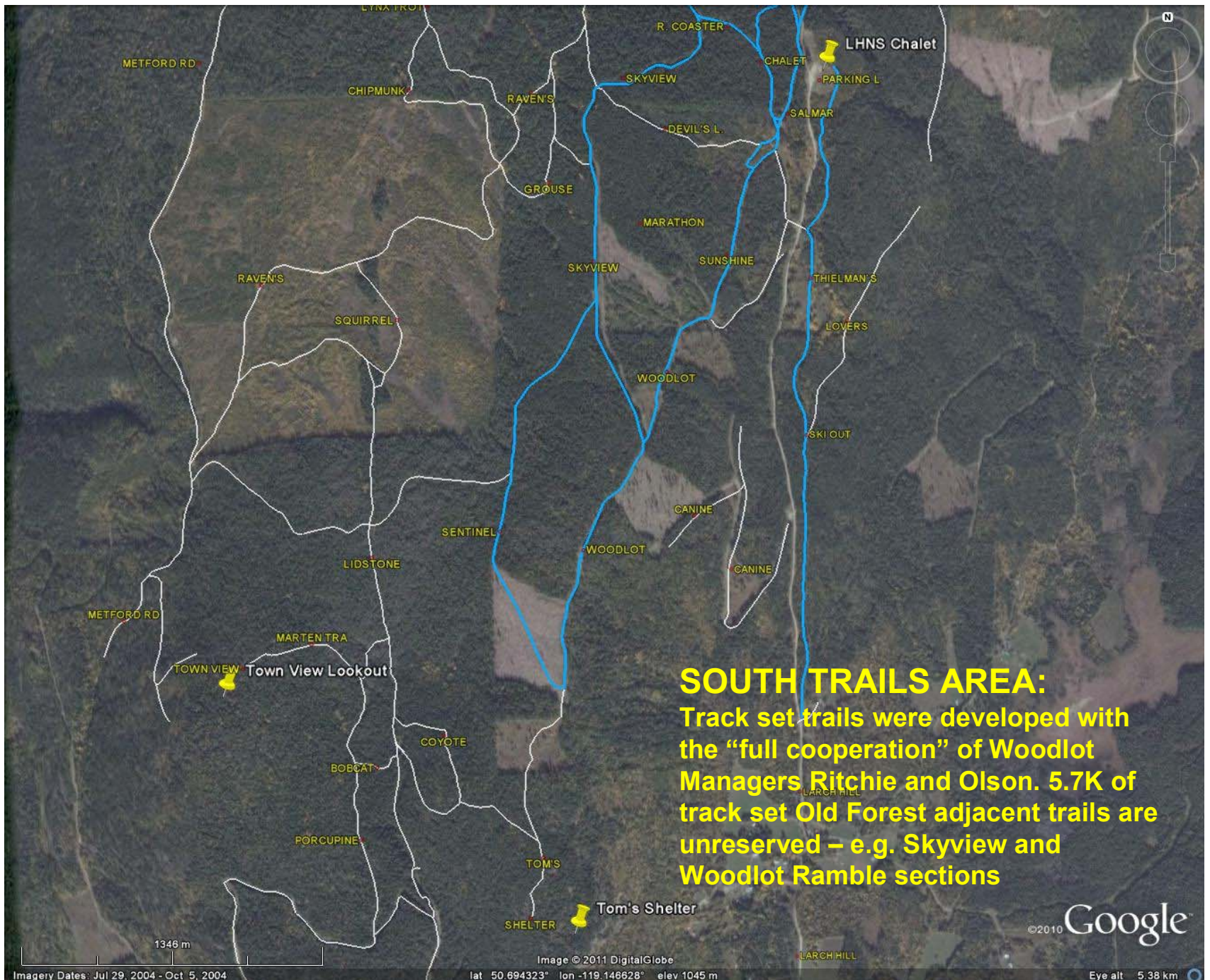




**Logging here by  
Fed-Co?**

**Logging  
here by  
Tolko  
(1.1K)?**

**NORTH TRAILS AREA:**  
Track set trails are entirely in young  
forest except 1.1K planned for  
logging by Tolko and 400M at North  
Hub. 12.7K unreserved on un track  
set trails - e.g. White Pine Walk



**SOUTH TRAILS AREA:**  
Track set trails were developed with the “full cooperation” of Woodlot Managers Ritchie and Olson. 5.7K of track set Old Forest adjacent trails are unreserved – e.g. Skyview and Woodlot Ramble sections

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