USFS Gypsy Moth Suppression Project Summary 2006

New Jersey Department of Agriculture (Cooperative)

 Proposed Acres:
 16,632
 (16,632 ac. Btk)

 Treated Acres
 16,632
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Project Objectives: 1. To prevent defoliation from exceeding 30% on 80% or more of host trees.

2. To reduce populations below pre-treatment thresholds so that treatment would not be

necessary the following year.

Contractor(s): Downstown Aero Crop Service

Aircraft: Ag Cat

Dromader M-18

Formulation(s): Foray 48B 0.75 gal/ac 36 BIU/ac

Cost/acre (including application):

Downstown Aero Crop Service \$39.44 ac south

Downstown Aero Crop Service \$39.94 ac north

Federal Share: \$395,010 **State Share:** \$957,943

Percent Acres Treated: private 89

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Percent Acres Treated Successfully: 1. 77%

2. 47%

Number of Landowners Treated: 0

Number of Communities Treated: 0

Defoliated Area: 125,743 (45,846 acres in the treatment area)

Acres to be Retreated: 24,325