



Bat Habitat Assessment Form

NCDOT Caves & Mines

Observers: _____

TIP or DOT project number: _____

Date: _____

Road Name/SR Number: _____

County: _____

Portal entrance number: _____

% Canopy closure at portal (approx):	0-25	26-50	51-75	76-100
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Opening type:	cave	quarry	shaft
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Opening height(ft): _____

Opening width(ft): _____

Length of portal opening(ft): _____

Internal height(ft): _____ Do not enter the portal to collect measurements if unsafe

Internal width(ft): _____

Slope up or down from entrance: up down

Entrance stable: yes no

Direction of airflow: into cave out from cave

Amount of airflow: heavy slight none

Internal temp: warmer than outside cooler than outside same

Evidence of collapse: yes no

Ceiling condition: _____

Depth of water internal opening(in.): _____

Any evidence of past flooding: yes no

Miles to nearest water source: _____

Foraging signs (evidence of bats: moth wings- take pictures): _____

Any portals known to be connected? Which? _____

Any observed side passages?: _____

Bat species present: _____

Additional notes: