

# Asbestos Minerals Sites – Initial Screening

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Division of Public Health, Health Hazards Control Unit

<b>A. SITE INFORMATION NC-23</b>			
Historical Name	J. C. Woody Mine		
Latitude / Longitude	35.9753N -82.2141W		
State, County, nearest City/Town	North Carolina, Yancey, Micaville		
Site Type	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mine	<input type="checkbox"/> Prospect	<input type="checkbox"/> Occurrence
Mineral reported	<input type="checkbox"/> chrysotile	<input type="checkbox"/> crocidolite	<input type="checkbox"/> tremolite
	<input type="checkbox"/> amosite	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> anthophyllite	<input type="checkbox"/> actinolite

<b>B. INFORMATION SOURCES</b> (include publication date)	Conrad and others (1963, p. 26). Kingsbury (1977). Kingsbury and Heimlich (1978). USGS Topo: Micaville 7.5' Quadrangle (7-1-87). USGS Orthophoto for Micaville Quad (4-5-99). Yancey Co. NCDOT road map (2005): <a href="http://www.ncdot.org/it/gis/DataDist/GISCountyMap_TIFs.html">http://www.ncdot.org/it/gis/DataDist/GISCountyMap_TIFs.html</a> .
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<b>C. SITE AND AREA RECONNAISSANCE</b>	Date of Site Reconnaissance <b>Aerial Photo Inspection</b>
1. Was the site located and a site visit completed?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No  (Please attach a topographic map print showing the site)
2. Is the site property developed and in use of any kind?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No, site is wooded / undeveloped
3. Land use on site (check all that apply)	<input type="checkbox"/> Residential <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Recreational (golf course, park, etc.) <input type="checkbox"/> Construction or clearing in progress <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please describe below)
4. Are there large areas of bare soil visible on the property?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes    (Please describe below) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
5. Are there residences, apartments, stores or businesses, or day care facilities on the site, or within 200 feet of it?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No  Please note which, and describe the item and its location (relative to the site) below.
6. Where is the nearest residence, place of business, or place frequented by local residents located, in relation to the site?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A (addressed at 5 above)  (Place and distance/direction to site)

7. Are any physical barriers present (fences, gates) that prevent access?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No  Description
<b>D. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION</b> (Indicate by letter and number which topic the information supports)	
<b>A.</b> The site is located 4.6 air miles north of Micaville east of State Road 1317.  <b>C1- C6.</b> Examination of aerial photography (4-5-99) of the site indicates the area is wooded and undeveloped. The nearest residence is about 600 feet west of the mine. Mica and kaolin have been mined from a pegmatite about 600 feet east of the J. C. Woody mine (Conrad and others, 1963, p.26) and the open pit is visible on the aerial photography.	

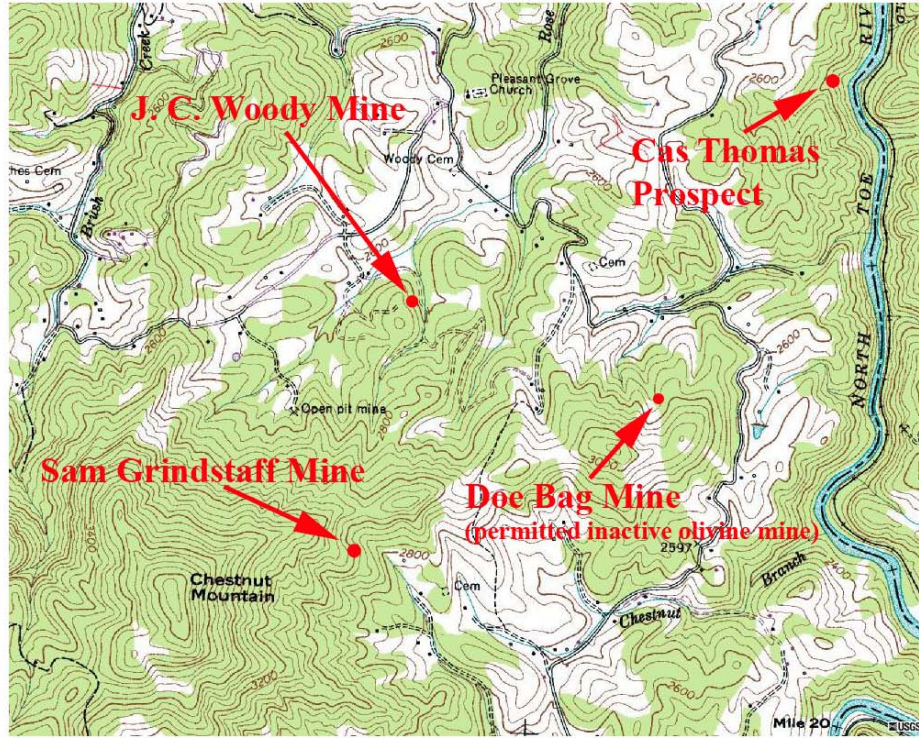
**Directions to Mine:**

(From Conrad, 1963, p. 26)

The Woody mine is located on the southeast side of a northeast flowing tributary to Rose Creek, about 0.5 mile south of pleasant grove church in Yancey County. The mine can be reached by traveling on SR 1308 for 6.5 miles north of Micaville to pleasant Grove Church. Turn Southwest onto SR1317 and travel about 0.75 mile to a farm road that turns south off of SR 1317 and leads to a house. The mine is located east of the house.

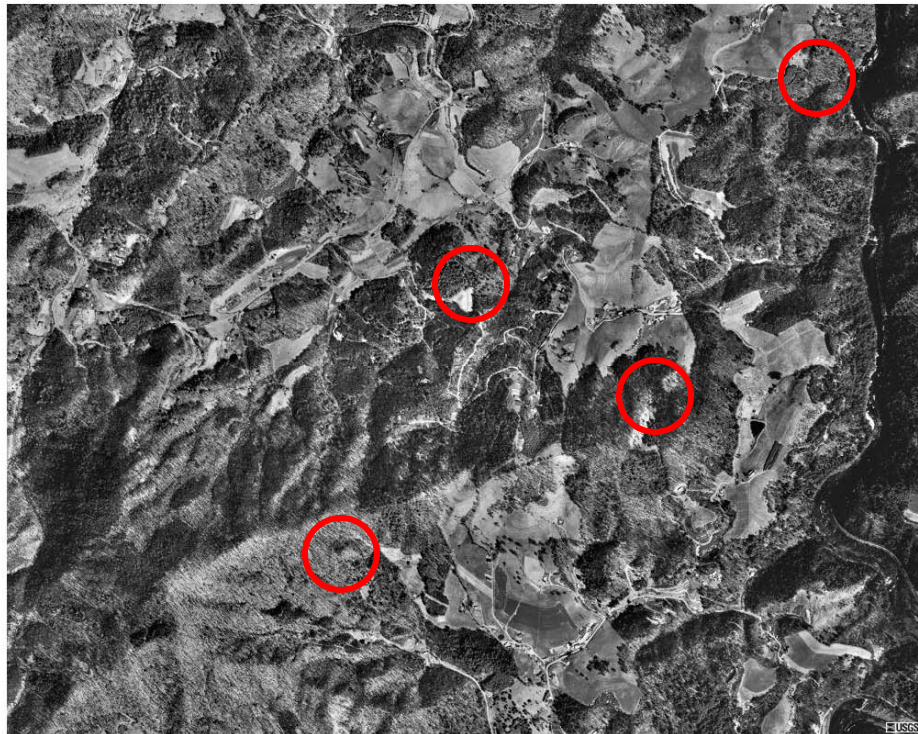
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Yancey County



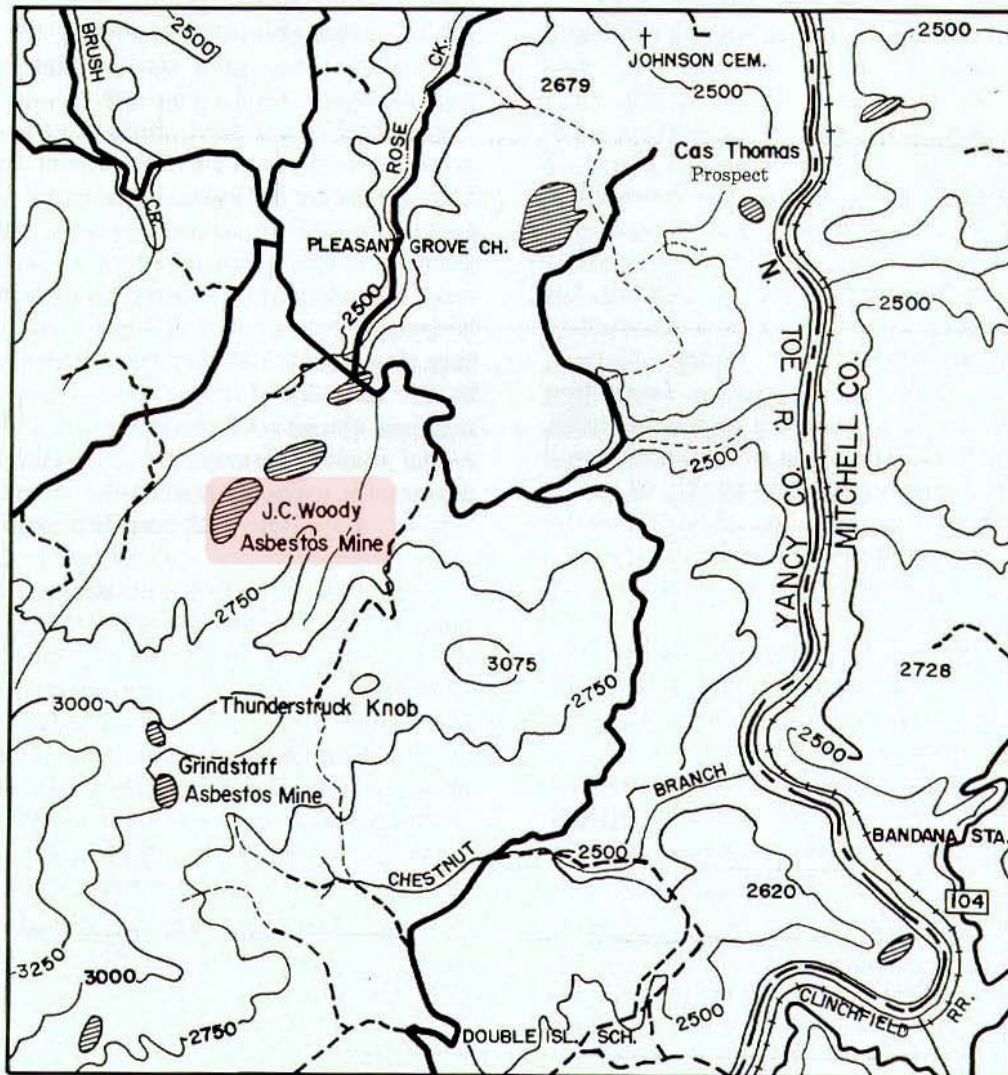
USGS Topographic Map: Micaville 7.5' Quadrangle 7-1-87

2000 FEET  
Scale



USGS Orthophotoquad: Micaville 7.5' Quadrangle 4-5-99

From Conrad and others (1963, p.28)



*MAP SHOWING LOCATION OF ASBESTOS MINES IN  
THE BRUSH CREEK AREA, YANCEY CO., N. C.*

Figure 4. Map showing location of asbestos mines in the Brush Creek area, Yancey County, North Carolina.