## Morris County Preservation Trust Recommended Open Space Projects for 2009

## **Copper Beech**

**Submitted by:** The Trust for Public Land, Inc.

**Type of Acquisition:** Acquisition in Fee Simple **Grant Amount:** \$1,950,000

## **Description:**

This wooded property of approximately 56.5 acres is located south of Split Rock Road and east of Lyonsville Road. It is across from the former 528 acre Koehler tract which was partially funded by a county open space grant and is now part of the Wildcat Ridge Wildlife Management Area. The property provides critical habitat for wildlife and contains the headwaters of the Stony Brook. Existing wood roads provide ideal opportunities for passive recreational use.

