

GEORGIA FORESTRY
COMMISSION



APPLICATION

Georgia's Forest Stewardship Program

As a forest landowner I believe the right to own land also carries the responsibility for stewardship of the natural resources in my care. It is my intention to implement conservation practices which will enhance wildlife habitat, scenic beauty, timber production, clean water and outdoor recreation while conserving soil, historic and cultural resources and the environment for current and future generations.

I would like to participate in Georgia's Forest Stewardship Program and have natural resource professionals prepare a Forest Stewardship Plan for my land.

Landowner Signature

LANDOWNER INFORMATION

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Other Owner's Name (if applicable): _____

Farm Name (if applicable): _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (Home) _____ (Office) _____ (Mobile) _____

Email: _____

TRACT INFORMATION

Primary County: _____ Additional Counties: _____

Tract Location (attach maps showing boundary): _____

Total Acres: _____ Estimated Forested Acres: _____

Has this property been enrolled in the Forest Stewardship Program before? Yes No

Each Forest Stewardship Plan is custom written to address the individual landowner's specific interests. While each plan includes recommendations to enhance all resources, those most important to the landowner become the focus of the plan. For this reason it is critical that you rank your priorities and interests so that the resource professionals who will write your plan can adequately address your needs. Near-equal emphasis can be placed on all resources if so desired, especially in educational situations.

In the following list, please rank the five most important topics you want to consider in your Forest Stewardship Plan using 1 for the most important and 5 for the least important. Please record each ranking number only once. If near-equal emphasis on all forest resources is desired, please check the appropriate box.

TOPICS	1	2	3	4	5
Timber	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Wildlife*	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Recreation	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Aesthetics	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Soil & Water Conservation	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Near-Equal Emphasis on All	<input type="checkbox"/>				

*If Wildlife is a primary or secondary objective for you, please indicate if you plan to manage for game or non-game species and identify any particular species of interest. Please circle one of the following:

Game Non-Game Focus Species: _____

Please provide any additional comments you have regarding your management objectives:

Forest Stewardship Plans can be prepared by any registered forester or certified wildlife biologist. Some landowners prefer to utilize professionals from government agencies to prepare their plan at no charge, while others prefer private consultants. Landowners participating in forest industry landowner assistance programs may ask their industry contacts to prepare their plan. Landowners with an existing written plan can have it converted to a Forest Stewardship Plan by the Georgia Forestry Commission. Please answer the following concerning the preparation of your plan:

Who is going to write your plan?

Contact Person: _____

Company Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

Please return this application to your local District Stewardship Forester listed on the **Statewide Stewardship Program Specialists** page.