

CATEGORIES AND DUES STRUCTURE

Category 1

Pulp and Paper Companies

\$.008 per ton of N.C. wood consumed (purchasing and/or delivering wood or wood chips for primary processing)

Category 2

Lumber and Wood Products Companies

0-5 MMBF production: \$300

More than 5 MMBF production: \$.06 per thousand board feet (based on past year's production)

Category 3

Plywood, Veneer, Manufactured Board Mills

0-10.5 MM sq. ft.: \$300

More than 10.5 MM sq.ft.: \$.03 per thousand sq. ft. (3/8")

Category 4

Wood Suppliers, Logging Companies

0-150,000 tons: \$200

More than 150,000 tons: \$.002 per ton shipped annually

Logging Company: Four or less employees = \$100;

Five or more employees = 200

Category 5

Trucking Companies

\$100 + \$10 per tractor unit

Category 6

Individuals, Students, Registered Foresters, Landowners

Individuals: \$40, Students: \$20, Registered Foresters: \$40

Forest Landowners: \$40 plus \$.02 per acre over 500 acres

Member sponsored landowners: \$25 (first year only)

Category 7

Groups and Government Agencies

\$55 (groups and agencies get one membership/one vote)

Category 8

Consulting Foresters

\$100 plus \$40 per additional forester

Category 9

Equipment Companies, Furniture Companies

and Other Businesses

Up to \$5 million in sales : \$300

More than \$5 million in sales: \$600

Category 10

Insurance and Financial Institutions: \$100

Category 11

ProLoggers: \$100

NORTH CAROLINA FORESTRY ASSOCIATION

Membership Application

Our Mission Statement:

The NCFA actively promotes healthy, productive forests by supporting the efforts of landowners and forestry-related businesses and organizations that responsibly manage or use forests.



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APPLICATION FORM

Since 1911, the North Carolina Forestry Association (NCFA) has represented the forestry community in promoting the wise use and management of the state's only renewable natural resource, its forests. The NCFA's programs in legislative and regulatory affairs, communications and education all support the management of forest resources to meet the state's environmental and economic needs both today and tomorrow.

Today, forestry is facing unprecedented challenges. A cascade of laws and regulations threaten the ability of landowners to manage their land, and a restricted wood supply, taxes and regulations are already threatening the ability of forest products companies to operate. With increasing public concern about forest practices and the environment, we need a strong, proactive response from forestry. Government leaders, teachers, children and the public need to hear the positive story of forestry in North Carolina

Membership benefits are numerous:

Representation before local, state and congressional officials and regulatory agencies.

Technical Support and information on rules, regulations and laws affecting forest landowners and management.

Publications such as a monthly newsletter, membership directory, annual report and other special reports that keep you up to date and informed on changes in the industry.

Annual meeting that educates participants and offers opportunities to meet peers.

Access to information regarding forestry and the forest industry - www.ncforestry.org.

Participation on committees that provide information exchange and involvement.

Public education materials that build public understanding and support for sound forest management.

Training and education provided to each member through specially designed programs and workshops.

The NCFA coordinates many other programs to promote sound forest management. **Forestry and Environmental Camps** for middle school students are held across the state to make students more aware of the environment around them. Hands-on activities show students how important forestry is in everyday life. The **Prologger Program** provides training in logger safety, forest management practices and small business management. The **Defen-**

sive Truck Driver Training Program teaches defensive driving techniques and truck safety to contract haulers, loggers and others involved in wood product trucking.

The NCFA also endorses various insurance programs:

Forestry Mutual Insurance Company provides workers compensation insurance along with loss control, accident investigation and claims service at discount rates.

The NCFA offers **Hunting Lease Liability Insurance Program** that provides liability protection for landowners and hunt clubs.

The **Safety Group Dividend Plan** through Pennsylvania Lumbermen's Mutual provides manufacturers with coverage for buildings, property, general liability, business automobile and commercial umbrella.

Forest Industries Benefit Administrators provides specially designed life and disability coverage for small business owners.

WorkForce Benefits, LLC provides benefits for workers struggling to afford traditional medical plans.

Long Term Care Insurance provides assistance for individuals who cannot care for themselves and is offered through John Hancock Financial Services.

Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State/Zip: _____

County: _____

Work Phone: _____

Fax: _____

Home Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Dues information is on the reverse side

Dues Category: _____

Dues Amount: _____

Sponsored/Referred by:

Payment Information

- Check/Money Order enclosed
- Credit Card - Mastercard or Visa only
(all information below is required)

Card #:

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Please check one: MC Visa

Expiration Date: _____

Name on card: _____

Credit Card billing address *if different* from above:

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Signature: _____

Make check or money order payable to NCFA.
Please mail application form and payment to:
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