



Good Forestry Practices Permit Application

Forest Conservation By-law 2204/20

This application is for the sustainable harvesting of trees within a Woodlands and must include:

- This application form completed in full.
- A copy of your Good Forestry Practices permit fee receipt (see User Fees Schedule O).
- Silvicultural prescription completed by a Qualified OPFA Member.

Woodland Information

Former Township:	Tax Roll Number:
Address:	Harvest Area (hectares):
Concession(s):	Paint Colour:
Lot(s):	Expected Start Date:

Registered Property Owner

Agent/Person in Charge of Tree Cutting

Name:	Name:
Mailing Address:	Mailing Address:
City:	City:
Province:	Province:
Postal Code:	Postal Code:
Phone:	Phone:
Email:	Email:

Authorization:

I have read and understand the requirements of the Forest Conservation By-law and the permit application procedures. I certify that the information provided is correct and indicates my intentions respecting the proposed work. I further agree that I will not undertake any harvesting until the County has issued me a Good Forestry Practices Permit.

Signature of Owner:	Date:
Signature of Agent:	Date:

Application Instructions:

We encourage you to arrange a pre-consultation meeting with forestry staff before completing this application. Additional information is provided in the Good Forestry Practices Guidelines which are available on the County website. <https://www.haldimandcounty.ca/forest-conservation-trees/>

This application must be accompanied by the required Good Forestry Practices application fee and a Silvicultural Prescription prepared and signed by a Registered Professional Forester which requires the following information:

1. Property Location

- Township, civic address, legal description, tax roll number and a hand-drawn sketch or map of the subject property.

2. Hand Drawn Sketch or Map

- North Arrow;
- Roads and crossroads, access to harvest area and skid trail locations;
- Streams, rivers, ponds and wetlands;
- Dwellings, structures and other distinguishing features;
- Property boundaries, outline of Woodland and outline of the harvest area;
- Proposed location where a copy of the permit will be posted on site;
- Maps can be created using the Digital Mapping feature found on the Haldimand County website <https://haldimand.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/>

3. Silvicultural Prescription

- Woodland description;
- Short-term and long-term management objectives;
- Stand analysis including pre-harvest, target and residual basal areas
- Tree marking prescription;
- Identification of any Sensitive Natural Areas;
- Prescribed methods for harvesting;
- Quantity, species and size of trees to be harvested.

4. Authorization and Contact Information

- Include the names, addresses and contact information for all parties (landowner, person in charge of cutting trees, Registered Professional Forester, Certified Tree Marker, and contractors).