



**South Carolina Forestry Commission  
Forest Stewardship Program Application**



*The goal of the S.C. Forest Stewardship Program is to provide forest management advice to non-industrial private landowners. Resource professionals will provide a customized forest management plan based on your objectives as a landowner. Your answers will provide important information toward developing your plan.*

**Landowner Information**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Tract Information**

County: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Tract Acreage: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Forested Acreage: \_\_\_\_\_

Tract Location Map or County Tax ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

Is this tract your primary residence? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Is this tract in the Tree Farm program? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No Tree Farm # \_\_\_\_\_

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

If yes, when was the previous plan written? \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you owned the property? \_\_\_\_\_ (yrs. Or date acquired)

Do you own forest land in other SC counties? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Have you ever harvested timber from this tract? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Have you ever received professional forestry advice about managing your forested lands? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
If yes, from whom? (Please check all that apply)

- \_\_\_\_ Private Consulting Foresters
- \_\_\_\_ SC Forestry Commission
- \_\_\_\_ SC Dept. of Natural Resources
- \_\_\_\_ Industrial Landowner Assistance Program
- \_\_\_\_ Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**Landowner Objectives**

In the following list, please rank the 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 only once. A minimum of two topics must be ranked.

Soil and Water Conservation: BMPs	1	2	3	4	5
Aesthetics: Maintaining a scenic forest	1	2	3	4	5
Timber Management: Managing timber for income (to sell timber)	1	2	3	4	5
Forest Health: Maintaining a healthy forest	1	2	3	4	5
Wildlife Management: Habitat management for hunting opportunities	1	2	3	4	5
Wildlife Recreation: Habitat management for bird watching, photography, etc.	1	2	3	4	5
Recreation: Hiking, Bike riding, horseback riding, etc.	1	2	3	4	5
Biodiversity Conservation: Conservation of rare or unique natural resources	1	2	3	4	5
Cultural or Historic Preservation: Protection of cultural or historic areas	1	2	3	4	5

If wildlife is an important topic of interest for you, please indicate if you plan to manage for game or non-game species and identify any particular species of interest.

\_\_\_ Game \_\_\_ Non-Game                      Focus Species: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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