

Maine Natural Resources Disaster Relief Assistance Program

Harvested Timber Loss Certification Guidelines

Field	Definition
Town	Identify the town where the harvested timber was damaged.
FON	Provide the Forest Operations Notification (FON) number for the timber harvest where the harvested timber lost financial value while at a roadside or landing.
Species Mix	Species or species combination (spruce-fir, mixed hardwood, mixed wood, etc).
Pre-Disaster Product Type and Volume	Product type of the harvested timber prior to loss of value, such as sawtimber, pulpwood, etc. Volume expressed in appropriate units for the product type (MBF, tons, etc.).
Pre-Disaster Value	The value per unit of the harvested timber before trucking based on product type and volume.
Post-Disaster Product Type and Volume	Product type post disaster, if different from pre-disaster. Volume expressed in appropriate units for the product type.
Post-Disaster Value	Value per unit of the harvested timber after the weather event before trucking. If the timber was sold after the weather event, this value shall be less any trucking costs. This may be supported by mill slips.
Description of Impact to Harvested Timber	Describe how timber lost value at a landing or harvest site as a direct result of a weather event in 2023 and/or 2024. Examples include loss of grade, loss of weight, change in product class, decay/staining, or inability to access markets after the weather event.
Documentation required/ Methodology of Assessing Harvested Timber Damage	Documentation must include: 1. A brief narrative based on a site visit describing the harvested wood that was damaged and lost value, and the cause of the loss. Include pre-and post-weather event volume/value for the timber that lost value. Describe how the value per unit was established for this assessment. Use multiple lines if more than one type of wood lost value. 2. Describe the specific location of the wood that lost value. (e.g. Lat/long of the landing, nearest road/distance to the nearest intersection, etc.). Loss of value of timber after it left the harvest site/landing is not eligible. 3. Provide documentation for timber that lost value but was marketed, including trip tickets, mill/scale slips, and evidence of actual revenue received for the timber that lost value. 4. If the applicant is not the landowner, provide evidence of an executed contract that established the right and interest in the timber by the applicant. 5. Provide photographic evidence of the site and any timber that lost value if it could not be marketed.

State of Maine Natural Resources Disaster Relief Assistance Program (NRDRAP)

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Applicant / Legal Entity Name: _____

Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

Town	FON	Species/ Mix	Pre-Disaster Product Type & Volume	Pre-Disaster Value per Unit	Post-Disaster Product Type & Volume	Post-Disaster Value per Unit
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Please describe the methodology used to assess the harvested timber above to determine vaue loss in 2023 and/or 2024:

I certify that the applicant or legal entity above experienced a loss due to weather events in 2023 or 2024. I further certify that the above information is true and accurate in my professional opinion as a forester licensed to practice in the State

State of Maine License Number: _____

Forester Name: _____

Forester Signature: _____

I certify that I have reviewed the information above and believe it to be an accurate representation of the damage to timber that I owned, held the timber rights for, or had risk and interest in during the time of weather events in 2023 or 2024.

Applicant Legal Entity Name: _____

Applicant Signature: _____