

ATTENTION – Forestry Activities within Unorganized and Deorganized Areas

Change in permit and notification process for:

Timber harvesting, land management roads, water crossings on/for land management roads, and gravel pits less than 5 acres in size. *The Maine Forest Service now regulates these activities in management subdistricts and protection subdistricts (except for in development areas in P-RP subdistricts).*

Public Law 2011, Chapter 599 (Enacting LD 1739)

Where to send your permit application:

Forestry Operations Permits (FOPs), Road Construction Permits, Bridge Construction Permits, and Gravel Pit Addendums to Road Permits for the activities listed above

Located in:

- Management Subdistricts
- Protection Subdistricts (except for development areas in P-RP Subdistricts)



Now regulated by MFS (207) 287-2791.

Send applications to:

**Maine Forest Service
Attn: Arlene Davis
22 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04330**

Located in:

- Development Subdistricts
- Development areas within P-RP Subdistricts



Still regulated by LUPC (207) 287-2631.

Send applications to:

**Land Use Planning Commission
22 State House Station
Augusta, Maine 04330**

**Activities located partially within a development subdistrict and either a management or protection subdistrict will require review by both the MFS and the LUPC. Please fill out one application, make a photocopy and send a copy to each agency.

Where to send your FON (Forestry Operations Notification):

Continue to mail all FONs to the Maine Forest Service, Attn: Arlene Davis, 22 SHS, Augusta, ME 04330.

Note: The accompanying application is a LUPC form that is in the process of being revised to reflect the changes outlined above. The MFS is using this LUPC form temporarily while updated forms are being developed. Consequently, there may be places where references to the [LUPC's Chapter 10 Land Use Districts and Standards](#) will be replaced with references to the [Maine Forest Service Chapter 27 Rules](#). Chapter 27 is now in effect.

FOREST OPERATIONS NOTIFICATION of intent to harvest forest products, construct land management roads, and/or establish water crossings

Section 5. P-FW Supplement for Deer Wintering Areas

This supplement is now part of the Department of Conservation's Forest Operations Notification form. To be judged complete, IT MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THE FOREST OPERATIONS NOTIFICATION form.

Please complete the applicable questions in Sections 1-3 of the Forest Operations Notification in addition to this supplement. The Forest Operation Notification satisfies both Maine Forest Service and the Land Use Regulation Commission's notification requirements.

You may use the same current LURC Land Use Guidance Map to satisfy location map requirements for all sections of the Forest Operations Notification.

Activities in P-FW, Deer Wintering Areas may begin 14 days after receipt of this form by LURC unless you are notified within that period that this P-FW Notification has not been accepted.

QUESTIONS? Call the Land Use Regulation Commission 1-207-287-2631
On specific deer wintering areas or their management, call Inland Fisheries & Wildlife 1-207-287-5252

14 FW. What is the number of the deer wintering area you are operating in?

15 FW. How many acres is the operation within the deer wintering area?

16 FW. Are any land management roads to be constructed through a P-WL1 wetland within the deer wintering area? Yes No

If YES, you must include the square footage of impact in question 11,b, Section 3 of the Forest Operations Notification

17 FW. Date of the site meeting ____ / ____ / ____

18 FW. Who was present at the site meeting?

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Representing</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

20 FW. Was the plan agreement amended after the site meeting? Yes No

21 FW. Who initiated the amendments?

IF&W Approval of plan agreement:

_____ **BIOLOGIST SIGNATURE**

DATE: ____ / ____ / ____

_____ **PROJECT LEADER SIGNATURE**

DATE: ____ / ____ / ____

By my signature, I certify that all activities will be conducted as specified:

_____ **LAND MANAGER SIGNATURE**

DATE: ____ / ____ / ____

HAVE YOU?

√ Clearly shown all EXISTING and PROPOSED features (roads, yarding areas, bridges) on the location map?

ACTIVITIES PLAN AGREEMENT ON BACK

