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## Forest Product Removal Permit Application

Today's Date:	Permit #	
Name:	First	
Address of Forest Products Removal:		
	State:Zip:	
Start Date:	Completion Date:	
Phone Number(s):		
Amount of Forest Product (Wood / F	irewood) to be harvested:	
(Log in Cords 4' x 4' x 8')		
Under 5 Loggers Cords:	Over 5 Loggers Cords:	
A Map of the area showing where tre	es will be permitted to be removed is attached.	
Standing trees <u>CANNOT</u> be cut or re	moved under or near power lines.	
Applicant's Signature	Date	

Signature of Approval

Date

## General Conditions for Forest Product Removal in the City of Eagle River

- 1. Motorized vehicles are not allowed off existing roads that are open to the public, unless specified within this permit. Permittee parking shall not block traffic or impede fire or emergency vehicles.
- 2. Permittee shall remove all trash and litter resulting from Permittee's activities.
- 3. Concurrent with forest product removal activities, slash and unused vegetative material resulting from Permittee's activities shall be removed from roads and ditches and scattered in the surrounding landscape.
- 4. Permittee shall comply with fire requirements and current restrictions to prevent forest fires.
- 5. Permittee shall pay for or repair all damage to natural features; riparian areas; other vegetation; and roads, trails, fences, ditches, telephone lines, or other improvements resulting from Permittee's activities under this permit.
- 6. The City of Eagle River reserves the right to unilaterally revoke this permit for Permittee's noncompliance with its terms and conditions or when revocation is in the public's interest.
- 7. Regardless of whether forest products are removed, this permit will terminate either at midnight of the completion date on the application, or when the permitted quantity has been reached, whichever comes first.
- 8. None of the terms or conditions of this permit may be varied or modified, except for unilateral modifications by the City of Eagle River.
- 9. Permittee agrees to hold the Government harmless from any claim for damage or loss of property, personal injury or death.
- 10. Collection of forest products is permitted in the area(s) described by this permit.

## **Other Conditions**

- 1. Where there are active logging operations, NO collection is allowed without written permission from the City.
- 2. Firewood length is limited to 4 feet or less.
- 3. All chainsaws and other internal combustion engines must be equipped with a functioning, approved spark arrestor.
- 4. Firewood collections are not allowed outside the designated areas as highlighted on the map.
- 5. Within the boundaries of the City of Eagle River are blocks of other ownership. It is your responsibility to make sure that you are on City of Eagle River land when cutting firewood.
- 6. For safety purposes, the City of Eagle River recommends that permittees using chainsaws wear hardhats, eye protection, leg chaps, safety toe footwear and ear plugs. All firewood cutting and gathering is at permittee's risk.
- 7. Trees within 100 feet of beaver ponds, lakes, streams, or rivers may not be cut.
- 8. Do not fell dead standing trees onto roads that are paved or graveled without traffic control devices, a traffic control person or a combination of both. Remove all bark and branches resulting from your operations from roads, clearings along roads, and road ditches. Within 25 feet of the edge of clearing along road right of ways, tops from felled trees must be cut to lie within 2 feet of the ground.
- 9. Use of farm tractors, all-terrain vehicles (ATV'S), two or four wheel drive trucks and rubber tired or track mounted skidders, are not allowed without written permission from the City of Eagle River where the gathering is occurring.
- 10. Firewood (from public land) may only be gathered under the following conditions:
  - A.) From downed trees (downed means trees that are lying on the ground after being blown over or broken off).
  - B.) From logging debris.
  - C.) From standing dead trees that are located 60 feet off of City street right of way.