

FOREST SELF ASSESSMENT

All questions contained in this questionnaire are **strictly confidential**.

Should you choose to submit this form to a registered professional forester (RPF), the results will be shared only with that RPF.

Name:	Phone number:	E-mail:
Address:		

Property size (acres):

I. YOUR FOREST GOALS

Prioritized goals	Rank your overall goals from most important to least important from the drop down menu.	
	1. Most important	3. Third most important
	2. Second most important	4. Fourth most important

What are some specific goals you have for your property over the next five to ten years? (check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> To reduce wildfire hazard	<input type="checkbox"/> To earn money from timber harvests	<input type="checkbox"/> To maintain or enhance the beauty of my property
<input type="checkbox"/> To repair or install roads	<input type="checkbox"/> To provide for adequate retirement income	<input type="checkbox"/> To lead a quiet life away from the city
<input type="checkbox"/> To establish evacuation routes	<input type="checkbox"/> To increase forest productivity / inventory	<input type="checkbox"/> To work outdoors and remain active
<input type="checkbox"/> To protect my house / structures	<input type="checkbox"/> To develop forest products	<input type="checkbox"/> To develop recreational activities
<input type="checkbox"/> To protect against insects, pests or disease	<input type="checkbox"/> To earn money annually from enterprises	<input type="checkbox"/> To protect wildlife species habitat

Other Goals:

II. GENERAL PROPERTY INFORMATION

Property location (describes general location of property; use local maps where possible).	
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Property history (based on personal knowledge describe past history including management practices, conservation practices infrastructure enhancements and catastrophic events.

Date:	Practice/Event:
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Forest Type (check all that apply)	<input type="checkbox"/> Douglas Fir	<input type="checkbox"/> Sierra Mixed Conifer	<input type="checkbox"/> Western Hardwoods	<input type="checkbox"/> Montane Hardwood Conifer	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Redwood	<input type="checkbox"/> Ponderosa Pine	<input type="checkbox"/> Lodgepole Pine	<input type="checkbox"/> Gazing land/pasture	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Cropland	<input type="checkbox"/> Brushland/Chaparral	<input type="checkbox"/> Don't know	Other:	
Average Age of Stands	Initiation (0-5 years)	<input type="checkbox"/> Minimal (<10%)	<input type="checkbox"/> Moderate (20-60%)	<input type="checkbox"/> Common (60-100%)	
	Stem Exclusion (5-30 years)	<input type="checkbox"/> Minimal (<10%)	<input type="checkbox"/> Moderate (20-60%)	<input type="checkbox"/> Common (60-100%)	
	Under-Story Initiation (30-100 years)	<input type="checkbox"/> Minimal (<10%)	<input type="checkbox"/> Moderate (20-60%)	<input type="checkbox"/> Common (60-100%)	
	Old-Growth	<input type="checkbox"/> Minimal (<10%)	<input type="checkbox"/> Moderate (20-60%)	<input type="checkbox"/> Common (60-100%)	
	Mixed age/uneven-aged <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know	<input type="checkbox"/> Minimal (<10%)	<input type="checkbox"/> Moderate (20-60%)	<input type="checkbox"/> Common (60-100%)	
Silviculture	Evidence of even-aged practices (clearcutting, seedtree, shelterwood, variable retention etc...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	Evidence of uneven aged practices (single tree, group selection, etc...)			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Wildlife	Are you aware of endangered species on your property?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	Are you aware of a water source?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	Evidence of snags or cavities in trees?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	Evidence of downed trees, grasses and forbs that may provide nesting sites?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	Describe significant types of wildlife you have on your property and the types you wish to attract (if any).				
Water	Describe water sources on your property? (if any).				
	Overall, how would you assess the water quality on your property?				
	<input type="checkbox"/> Poor	<input type="checkbox"/> Below Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Above Average	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A
	<input type="checkbox"/> Don't know				
Insects, Disease and Other Pests	Are you aware of evidence of diseased trees on your property?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	Are you aware of evidence of insect damage on your property?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	If so, what evidence have you discovered?				
	<input type="checkbox"/> Bark Beetles	<input type="checkbox"/> Boring Insects	<input type="checkbox"/> Foliage Feeding Insects	<input type="checkbox"/> Dwarf Mistletoe	<input type="checkbox"/> Sudden Oak Death
<input type="checkbox"/> Heart Rots	<input type="checkbox"/> Root Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Rusts			
Safety and Access	Have you practiced fire protection practices such as fuel reduction in the past year?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
	Describe any local fire history, potential sources of ignition and fuel hazards on your property.				
	Describe any road maintenance / erosion control practices you would like to implement on your property over the next 5 years.				
	Have you done a roads assessment for your property?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		<input type="checkbox"/> No

Thank you for completing your Forest Self-Assessment. Sharing this information with a trusted registered professional will help them to better understand the current state of your forest and your vision for its future.