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GENERAL FOREST MANAGEMENT PLAN

I. OWNER(S) NAME(S): _____

II. MAILING ADDRESS: _____

III. TAX MAP ID NUMBER: _____

IV. NUMBER OF ACRES IN ACTUAL FOREST MANAGEMENT: _____ acres

V. COMMERCIAL TIMBER SPECIES PRESENT ON PROPERTY:

- Red, Black, and Scarlet Oak
- White, Chestnut, and Chinkapin Oak
- Yellow-Poplar
- Ash
- White Pine
- Virginia Pine
- Loblolly Pine
- Other Commercial Species: _____

VI. OVERALL AVERAGE DIAMETER AT BREAST HEIGHT 4½' (D.B.H.) OF COMMERCIAL TIMBER SPECIES: _____ overall average D.B.H. (NOTE: Leave blank if forest is in a stage of regeneration)

VII. OVERALL AVERAGE NUMBER OF TREES PER ACRE (T.P.A.) OVER 3" D.B.H.: _____ average trees per acre

VIII. IF IN REGENERATION PHASE, NUMBER OF SEEDLINGS PER ACRE: _____ average seedlings per acre

IX. PLANNED HARVEST DATE(S) AND/OR SILVICULTURAL TREATMENT DATES (Year): _____

X. I AM MANAGING THE FORESTED ACREAGE FOR THE FOLLOWING (check all that apply):

- Sawtimber
- Pulpwood
- Commercial Firewood Production
- Other: _____

EXPLANATION OF HARVEST/SILVICULTURAL METHODS:

It is my/our plan that the real estate stated above be in a planned program of timber management and soil conservation. It is my/our plan to enhance the growth of commercially desirable species through generally accepted silvicultural practices. It is my/our intent to reduce or prevent soil erosion by Best Management Practices as set forth by the Virginia Department of Forestry. Best Management Practices includes but is not limited to logging road layout and stabilization, stream-side management zones, water diversion practices, and post-harvest logging road stabilization. I/we further agree to update our Forest Management Plan every ten (10) years.

OWNER(S) SIGNATURE(S): _____ DATE: _____



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Your Forest Management Plan can be prepared either by you or by a professional consulting forester. **You should be working toward a commercial timber harvest.**

Your Forest Management Plan needs to include the following:

- Acres in growing managed timber
- Species and size of timber crop present
- Timber management goal(s) (*i.e.*, what purpose **you** are managing and growing timber for)
- How you plan to manage the timber crop
- How soil and water quality issues will be addressed during and after harvest (*i.e.*, adherence to the Best Management Practices in accordance with the Virginia Department of Forestry)

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