

Sustainable Forest Management (SFM) Policy

The Teal Jones Group is committed to sustainable management of the resources under their stewardship in a scientifically credible and responsible manner.

The Teal Jones Group recognizes that only by maintaining a balance of environmental, social, cultural and economic values can we consistently achieve our long term objectives and commitments, including the competitive and efficient production of high quality forest products.

The Teal Jones Group's commitments to sustainable forest management include:

- Providing safe and healthy working conditions as well as safeguards for all workers, contractors and, where necessary, the public in and around worksites;
- Achieving and maintaining sustainable forest management which balances the use of natural resources and protects environmental, social and cultural values, including unique or special features;
- Meeting or exceeding all applicable environmental legislation, regulations, and other management commitments;
- Respecting and recognizing Aboriginal title and rights, and treaty rights;
- Incorporating ongoing and meaningful participation opportunities for the public and Aboriginal Peoples with interests in sustainable forest management;
- Ensuring operations honour all international agreements and conventions to which Canada is signatory;
- Minimizing environmental impacts and pollution;
- Utilizing and improving on the most current sustainable forest management science and technology;
- Promoting environmental protection and awareness among staff, employees and contractors;
- Educating the public regarding sustainable forest management and the use of wood products as an environmentally friendly choice; and
- Demonstrating continual improvement through regular evaluation and reporting of environmental performance and procedures.



Dick Jones, President

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