



Michigan Department of Natural Resources – Forest Resources Division

COMMERCIAL FOREST (CF) PROGRAM APPLICATION TO WITHDRAW LAND

By authority of Part 511, 1994 PA 451, as amended.

DNR Cashier's Use Only

Application Number:

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

- Application will be canceled if treasurer does not receive penalty payment by December 1 in the year following the application year.
- Enclose a copy of your deed as proof of ownership.
- Commercial Forest (CF) land must remain compliant (including open to the public for hunting and fishing) until the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) notifies applicant land is officially withdrawn.
- If applicant is not withdrawing all their CF land, their remaining CF land must be compliant and eligible to remain in the program.
- Land splits of less than 40 acres may require township approval. The DNR may require a certified survey for partial withdrawals.
- Penalty payment usually increases every year due to the inflation rate multiplier. The application fee is nonrefundable.
- You will be billed CF property taxes the year of the withdrawal and ad valorem taxes the following year.
- Information about withdrawals (including the penalty table) can be found at www.Michigan.gov/CommercialForest, "How to Withdraw".
- If questions, contact DNR, Forest Resources Division, at 517-930-4329 or DNR-Commercial-Forest@michigan.gov.

APPLICANT (LANDOWNER AS LISTED ON DEED)

Company/Group/Trust Name (If applicable)		Contact for Company/Group/Trust	
Landowner or Contact for Multiple Owners (Husband and wife can be listed together)			
Address			
City, State, ZIP Code			
Primary Phone Number		E-mail	

ADDITIONAL OWNERS LISTED ON DEED (ATTACH ADDITIONAL PAGES IF NECESSARY)

Name		Name	
Address		Address	
City, State, ZIP Code		City, State, ZIP Code	
Primary Phone Number	E-mail	Primary Phone Number	E-mail

APPLICATION FEE

A nonrefundable application fee must be submitted with this application in addition to a copy of your recorded deed. Do not send the penalty payment to the township treasurer until DNR instructs you to do so.

- 200 acres or less – \$200
- Over 200 acres – \$1.00 per acre with a maximum application fee of \$1,000

Make check or money order payable to "State of Michigan" and mail with completed application to:

**CASHIER'S OFFICE
MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
P.O. BOX 30451
LANSING, MI 48909**

You may also email your application and deed to DNR-Commercial-Forest@michigan.gov in addition to mailing it to the Cashier's Office.

LAND DESCRIPTIONS (ATTACH ADDITIONAL PAGES IF NECESSARY)

County	Township	Town	Range	Section	Acres
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PUBLIC ACCESS (ATTACH ADDITIONAL PAGES IF NECESSARY)

If any of the parcels under application are without frontage on a public road, please list the parcel number and describe the legal and physical access for the public on the remaining land. Note: If access is by easement, the easement must contain language allowing public use. Public use can be limited to use required under the Commercial Forest Program.

All owners must sign in the presence of a notary public. Attach additional pages if necessary.

I swear under oath that I own the land described herein and have requested that it to be withdrawn from the Commercial Forest Program.

_____ (Signature)

By: _____ (Type or print name)

Before me, the undersigned, a notary public in and for said county and State, on this _____ day of _____, 20_____, personally appeared _____ to me personally known, who being duly sworn did say that they executed the same as their free and voluntary act and deed.

_____, Notary Public
State of _____ County of _____
My Commission Expires: _____
Acting in County of _____

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