

REQUIREMENTS FOR A 480a MANAGEMENT PLAN
N.Y.S. Department of Environmental Conservation

480a Application / Certification Number: _____

- Narrative listing of the forest products to be continually produced.
- Narrative listing of endangered and threatened species
- Listing of the stands - each stand description must include:
 - stand number
 - diameter class
 - acreage
 - basal area
 - stand type
 - site class
 - species composition as a %
 - listing of ineligible areas
- Optional but highly desired:
 - soils
 - topography
- 15 year work schedule which would contain commercial, non-commercial cuttings, boundary line maintenance, and other treatments needed for certification.
- Forest Land Classification and Treatment Report or Facsimile
- Description of compatible and/or supportive uses as desired by the owner.
- Description of any cutting or removals of any forest crop during the past three years along with preharvest cruise data and a cutting prescription for the area(s).
- Signature and printed name of forester who prepared the plan along with a certification, by the forester, that the land shown as eligible is legally eligible.
- Data supplied supports the management plan's stated goals and objectives and the silvicultural treatments in the work schedule.
- Forest type map

TYPE MAP MUST INCLUDE:

- Drawn at an acceptable scale
- Ineligible and non-committed lands clearly identified
- Stands delineated as to number and acreage.
- Physical features
- North arrow
- Name, address and title of person preparing the map and date prepared
- Name and address of the owner of the parcel

- Boundary lines must be easily identifiable on the ground, suitable marking is a blazed and painted line.**

Reviewed By: _____ Date: _____