

Private Lands Management Team  
Agenda for May 12, 2015  
Schmeckle Reserve, Steven Point  
9am

- 1) Contract for Forester publication –Bill
- 2) Discussion of WCF position statement – Ron Gropp
- 3) Chapter 60 Tax Law Handbook- Kristin Lambert
- 4) Process for periodic review/update of WFLGP cost –Carol and Cathy Burrow



PLMT Steps for  
periodic review DRAFT

- 5) Coop-Forestry sub team vacancy call for nominations- Ron Gropp
- 6) Cutting Notice Web Page- Kristin Lambert
- 7) FY16 members and proposed FY16 meeting dates
  - a. August 11, 2015
  - b. November 10, 2015
  - c. February 9, 2016
  - d. May 11, 2016



March 26, 2015

Ron Gropp  
WDNR

Mr. Gropp:

Wisconsin Consulting Foresters (WCF) recommends that the Private Lands Management Team defines a system to monitor the quality of DNR cutting Notices with consequence for repeated poor performance. Have a "3-Strikes-You're-Out!" policy as part of an audit system. WCF supports DNR staff taking time to do Cutting Notice Field Reviews. WCF does not support DNR Staff wasting time helping people fill out the Cutting Notice.

Sincerely,

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Don Peterson  
WCF Chair



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Ron Gropp  
WDNR

Mr. Gropp:

WCF believes that the DNR should not be developing a list of service providers unless they (DNR) are willing to require minimum standards for the professional providing the service. Similar to the Cooperating Forester Program, a new program for each service would need to be developed. It would also need to have a requirement to enforce the standards associated with each list.

Sincerely,

Don Peterson  
WCF Chair



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Ron Gropp  
WDNR

Dear Mr. Gropp:

WCF does not support the development of a standardized template service agreement to be distributed to the general public or landowner for professional use. WCF would support a list of items for consideration for the inclusion into a service agreement. WCF is willing to participate in the development of the list.

Sincerely,

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Don Peterson  
WCF Chair