

Community Forest Program Update

BC Community Forest Association June 2, 2007 AGM McBride

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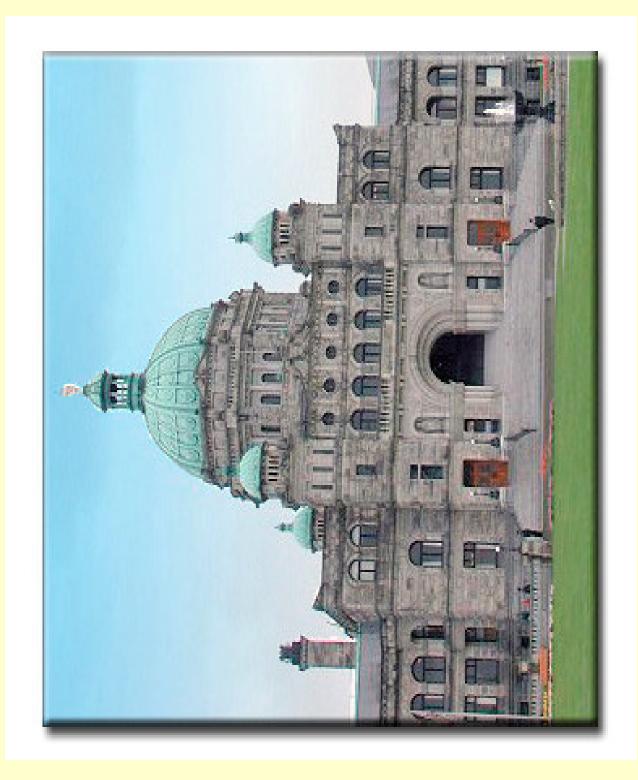
AGENDA

- Staffing changes
- Legislation affecting CFAs
- Accomplishments over the last year
- Program review
- Next steps
- Questions

Staffing changes/contacts

- Victoria Ron Greschner, (Dave Haley)
- NIFR Patrick Russell
- CFR Makenzie Leine
- SIFR Andrea Inwards, Mile Djukic

Contact info available on website: www.for.gov.bc.ca/hth/community/index.htm



FRPA Transition

- FDP is valid till its term date in approval letter expires or it is replaced with a FSP

- Community Forests now have to do FSP (under FPPR)

Accomplishments Over Last Year

- Invitations/Applications
- Harvest History
- CFA program expansion

Invitations/Applications

- 5 more communities were invited to apply over the last year totaling 97 000m³
- 7 applications were submitted & reviewed (Creston, Kaslo, Slocan, Hope, Mackenzie, Smithers & Sliammon FN)
- Bella Coola last week was issued a PCFA and Terrace June 1.
- Long term licences were issued to Likely, McBride,
 & Harrop-Procter over the last year.

Harvest History as of June, 2007

Licensee	Harvest 2001 (m³)	Harvest 2002 (m³)	Harvest 2003 (m³)	Harvest 2004 (m³)	Harvest 2005 (m³)	Harvest 2006 (m3)	Harvest 2007 (to date)	Total Harvest (m³)
Bamfield Huu-ay-aht Community Forest Society	0	0	0	0	1213	1614	318	3135
Burns Lake Community Forest Corp.	42,675	59,157	67,807	86,336	286,670	473,775	342,321	1,358,741
Cheslatta First Nation	N/A	0	50,173	147,320	164,426	427,318	165,500	954,737
Dist. of Fort St. James	0	0	0	0	6435	77,306	9417	93,158
Esketemc First Nation	0	22,147	19,233	11,362	18,975	18,991	13,192	103,900
Harrop-Procter Community Coop	969	3,383	20	5,582	3937	4601	1219	22,729
Likely-Xats'ull Community Forest Corp.	N/A	N/A	6,306	15,510	53,771	101,400	14,110	191,097
Village of McBride	N/A	0	0	41,240	26,174	73,000	80,900	221,314
Ktunaxa Kinbasket Tribal Council	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	20,423	28,300	1600	50,323
Cowichan Tribes First Nation (Khowutzun)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	23,500	10,600	34,100
Westbank First Nation	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	34,772	80,900	28,700	114,372
Sechelt	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	0	0
Wells Gray	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	0
Powell River	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	0
Prince George	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	5000	5000
Nuxalk First Nation	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Totals	43,644	84,687	143,539	307,350	616,796	1,310,70 5	672,877	3,179,598

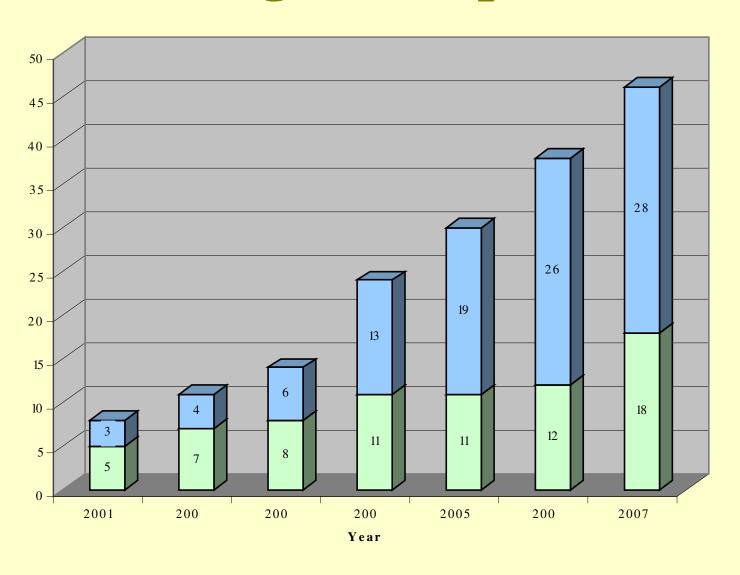
Harvest/Revenue 2004-07

	2004	2005	2006	2007
m^3	307 000	616 800	1 311 000	673 000
Rev	\$1,400,000	\$2,960,000	\$3,304,000	\$1,708,000
ST	\$4.56/m ³	\$4.80/m ³	\$2.52/m ³	\$2.53/m ³

CFA Program Expansion Since 2004

	2004	2005	2006	2007
Issued	11	11	12	18
<u>Invites</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>19</u>	26	28
Total	24	30	38	46

Program Expansion



invites# is sued

Community Forests Issued	AAC (m3)	Area (Ha)	Date issued
Burns Lake Community Forest Corp.	62,631	42,900	2000-07-07
Harrop-Procter Community Coop	2,603	10,860	2000-07-27
Esketemc First Nation	17,000	25,000	2001-02-16
Dist. of Fort St. James	8,290	3,582	2001-03-07
Bamfield Huu-ay-aht CFS	1,000	418	2001-09-20
Village of McBride	50,000	60,860	2002-08-15
Cheslatta First Nation	16,613	39,129	2002-10-02
Likely Community Forest Corp.	12,231	14,000	2003-03-21
Ktunaxa Kinbasket	5,790	20,234	2004-10-01
Cowichan Tribes	10,000	1,786	2004-12-31
WestBank First Nation	55,000	45,693	2004-08-27
Sechelt	20,000	10,790	2006-05-31
Wells Gray	20,000	13,154	2006-07-03
Powell River	25,000	7,109	2006-08-18
Prince George	12,000	5,443	2006-11-01
Nuxalk First Nation	20,000	48,614	2006-12-07
Bella Coola	30,000	79,888	2007-05-25
Terrace	30,000	9,500	2007-06-01
Total 18	398,158	349,572	

Invitations to apply		Date of invite
Lheidli T'enneh	15,000	2003
Kaslo	25,000	2004-08-10
Creston	15,000	2004-08-11
Ucluelet	25,000	2004-09-16
Port Alberni	20,000	2004-10-15
Lower North Thompson	20,000	2004-12-03
Massett	25,000	2004-12-08
Logan Lake	20,000	2005-02-10
Nakusp	20,000	2005-11-16
Slocan	20,000	2005-11-16
Haida	120,000	2005-11-25
Mackenzie/Mcleod Lk IB	30,000	2005-12-09
Норе	34,300	2006-03-23
Keremeos/Similkameen	20,000	2006-04-04
100 Mile House	20,000	2006-04-04
Kimberley	20,000	2006-04-04
Valemont	40,000	2006-04-04
Sliammon	28,000	2006-04-11
Chetwynd	20,000	2006-05-03
Tumbler Ridge	20,000	2006-05-03
Smithers	30,000	2006-07-25
Houston	20,000	2006-09-11
Xaxlip	25,683	2006-12-01
Toquaht	6,600	2006-12-09
Dunster	15,000	2007-03-01
Pemberton	10,000	pending FN consultation
Squamish	10,000	pending FN consultation
Whistler	10,000	pending FN consultation
Total 29	684,583	

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Grand Total

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CFA Program Review

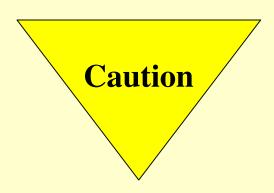
- Process
- Report available on the website
- 36 recommendations
- What next?

Next steps

- Work with the BCCFA to implement recommendations
- Some benign (e.g. governance)
- Some completed or underway (licence term, eliminate PCFA, CFAC)
- Some require changes to legislation

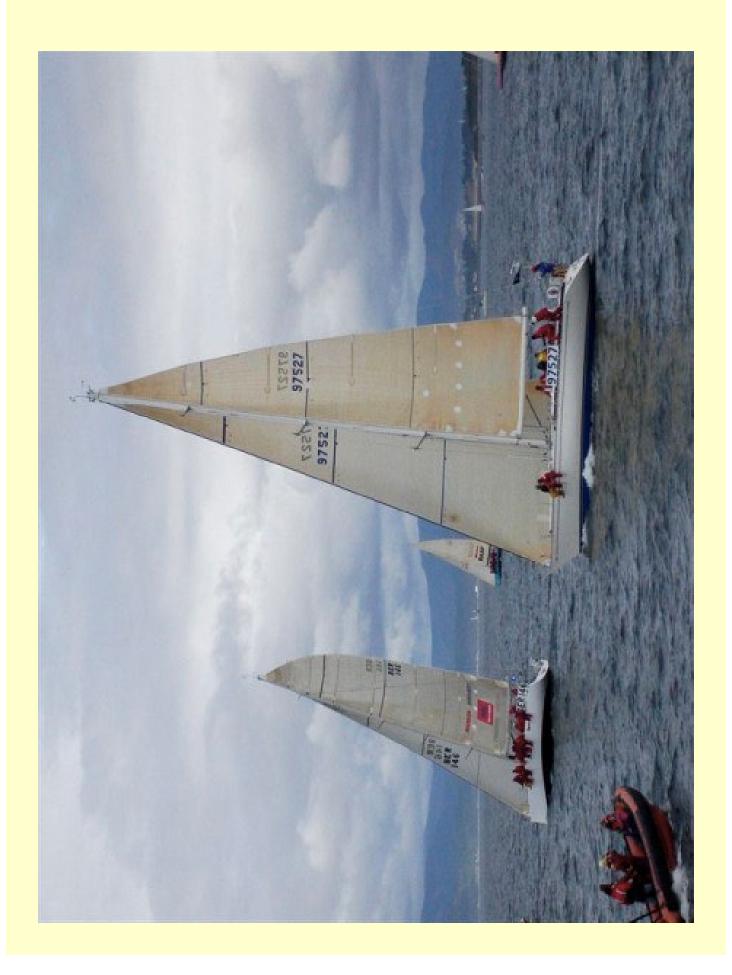
PROPOSED LEGISLATIVE CHANGE FOR SPRING 2008

- Eliminate probationary licence
- Set term of licence at 25 years



Summary

- Rollercoaster ride
- # applications rec'd & reviewed
- Some stats provided
- Program review
- Will be working with BCCFA as we move forward
- Smooth sailing



QUESTIONS







