



WOODLOT OWNERS

Woodlot Owner Associations (*support and educate private woodlot owners, representing them to industry and government*)

- Nova Scotia Woodlot Owners and Operators Association (<http://www.nswooa.ca/>)
- Federation of Nova Scotia Woodland Owners (<http://www.fnswo.ca/>)
- Nova Scotia Landowners and Forest Fibre Producers Association (<http://www.nslffpa.org/>)

Group Ventures (*member cooperatives providing private woodlot owners with silvicultural services*)

- Athol Forestry Cooperative Limited (<http://www.atholforestry.com/>)
- North Nova Forest Owners Cooperative Limited (<http://northnovaforestry.com/>)
- Conform Limited (<http://conformltd.com/>)
- La Foret Acadienne Limitee (902-769-3112)
- Baddeck Valley Wood Producers Coop Limited (902-295-3218)
- Future Forestry Service Cooperative (902-922-3699, futureforestry@eastlink.ca)

Certification (*providing members with FSC and/or CSA forest certification*)

- Acadian Forest Keepers (<http://www.forestkeeping.com/>)
- Mersey Tobeatic Research Institute (<http://www.merseytobeatic.ca/>)
- Federation of Nova Scotia Woodlot Owners (<http://www.fnswo.ca/>)
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FORESTRY ASSOCIATIONS IN NOVA SCOTIA

WOODLOT OWNERS, cont'd

Silviculture Assistance (*silviculture funding for woodlot owners*)

- Association for Sustainable Forestry (<http://www.asforestry.com/>)

FORESTRY PROFESSIONALS

Education (*assist, educate and represent forest technicians, contractors, and other forestry professionals*)

- Registered Professional Foresters Association of Nova Scotia (<http://www.rpfans.ca/>)
- Canadian Woodlands Forum (<http://cwfcog.org/>)
- Nova Scotia Forest Technicians Association (<http://www.nsfta.ca/>)

Safety (*offer members workplace safety education and courses*)

- Forestry Safety Association of Nova Scotia (<http://www.fss.ns.ca/Welcome.asp>)

GOVERNMENT

This government department oversees provincial forestry rules and regulations, while also offering education and outreach to woodlot owners.

- Nova Scotia Department of Natural Resources (<http://novascotia.ca/natr/>)

NON-TIMBER FOREST PRODUCTS

Christmas Trees

- Christmas Tree Council of Nova Scotia (<http://www.ctcns.com/>)
- All Nova Scotia Green Christmas Tree Cooperative (<http://www.scotiagreentrees.ca/>)
- Lunenburg Balsam Fir Cooperative (<http://www.lbfcoop.com/>)

Maple Products

- Maple Producers' Association of Nova Scotia (<http://www.novascotiamaplesyrup.com/>)

NON-PROFIT GROUPS WITH AN INTEREST IN FORESTRY

These non-profit organisations have diverse memberships, including woodlot owners and operators, foresters, industry, other associations, and members of the general public with an interest in responsible forestry.

- Ecology Action Centre- Forestry Program (<http://www.novascotiaforests.ca/>)
- Eastern Shore Forest Watch (<http://www.forestwatch.ca/>)
- Nova Forest Alliance (<http://www.novaforestalliance.com/>)
- Mersey Tobeatic Research Institute (<http://www.merseytobeatic.ca/>)
- Nova Scotia Forestry Association (<http://www.nsfa.ca/>)