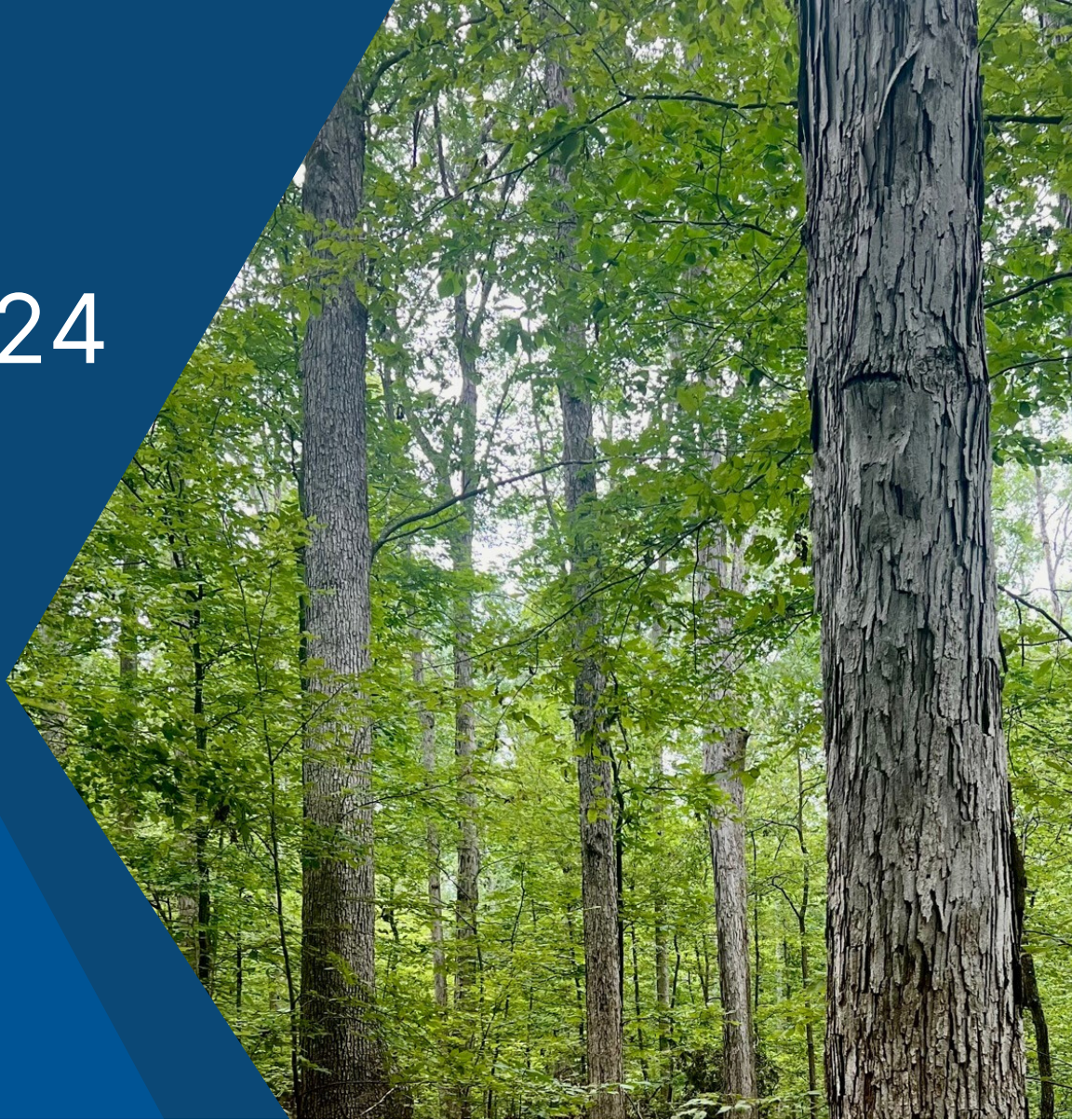


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WELCOME MESSAGE



The Kentucky Growing Gold has been around since the 1960's and has served as a way to advertise timber marked by the Kentucky Division of Forestry to the forest industry. Even though a few things have changed over the years, it has greatly stayed true to its service to the Commonwealth by providing useful information to forest landowners and forest industry.

Stephen Rogers

Program Specialist

Forest Resource, Utilization and Marketing

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The Forest Resource Utilization and Marketing (FRU) program supports Kentucky's forest product economy with market development, process improvement and adoption of new technologies. Through the FRU program, the division strives to expand forest resources and wood industries. Some of the services provided to the timber industry through FRU include the following:

- Monitoring changes in the forest
- Matching wood producers and wood users
- Conducting industry surveys
- Compiling and reporting data on quantities and species of wood
- Compiling the Primary Wood Industries of Kentucky directory
- Reporting timber products output
- Monitoring trends in timber harvesting
- Publishing a Bi-annual newsletter called "Growing Gold"
- Offering technical assistance to mills and loggers to increase efficiency
- Resource assessments for economic development opportunities



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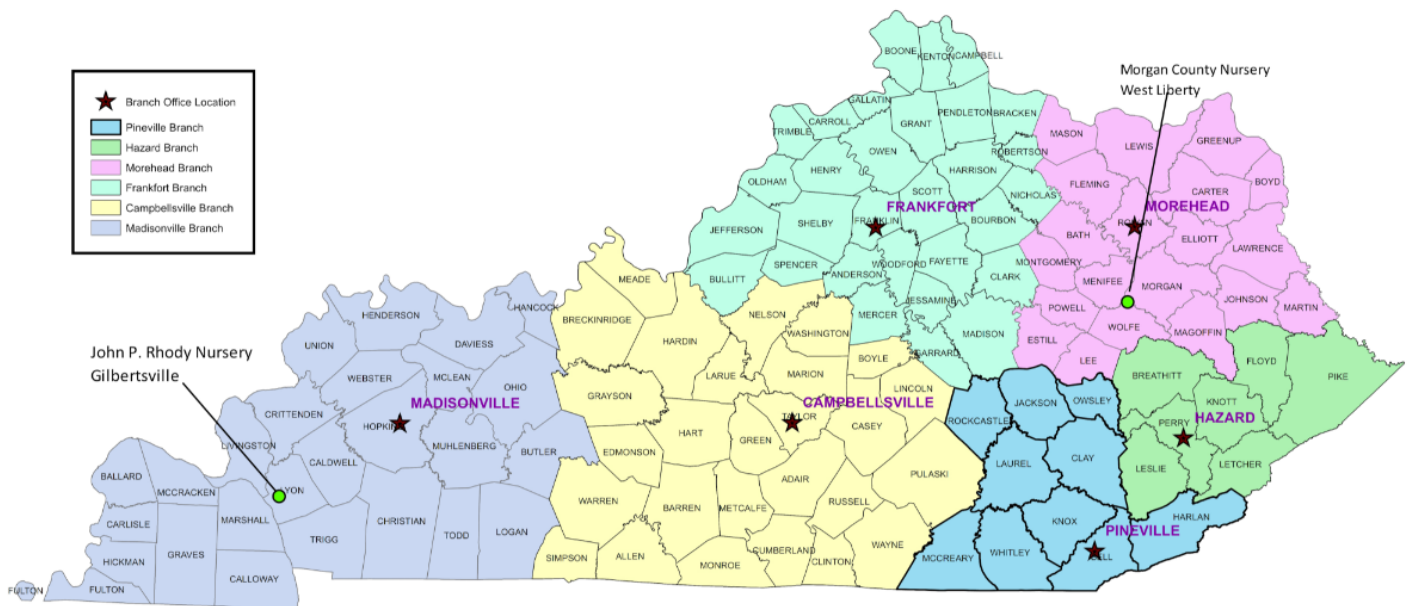
ABOUT KENTUCKY DIVISION OF FORESTRY

The Kentucky Division of Forestry celebrated its 100th anniversary in 2012. Originally known as the Board of Forestry as established in 1912 by the Kentucky General Assembly, the agency was renamed the Kentucky Division of Forestry following the Reorganization Act of 1936. Today, the division contains 125 full-time employees, the majority of whom work out of offices across the state, including six field offices and two tree nurseries. Brandon Howard is the 16th director of the division and serves as the state forester for Kentucky.

The mission of the Kentucky Division of Forestry (KDF) is "to protect, conserve and enhance the forest resources of the Commonwealth through a public informed of the environmental, social and economic importance of these resources." As a means of meeting this mission, the division offers a variety of programs and services ranging from landowner assistance and master logger training to forest health protection and wildland fire management. The division is also involved in the operation of tree seedling nurseries, urban and community forestry assistance, forest resource utilization, forest inventory and analysis and forestry education.

OUR OFFICES

Division of Forestry Field Office Locations



Field Office Contact Information

Campbellsville
Seth Dykes
120 Gaines Drive
Campbellsville, KY 42718
270-465-5071

Frankfort
Strider Deaver
P.O. Box 516
Frankfort, KY 40602
502-573-1085

Morehead
James MacDonald
255 Rodburn Hollow
Morehead, KY 40351
606-783-8625

Hazard
Jake Hall
154 Grand Vue Plaza
Hazard, KY 41701
606-435-6073

Madisonville
Stephen Hammond
P.O. Box 465
Madisonville, KY 42431
270-824-7527

Pineville
Deanio Carmical
12008 US Hwy 25E
Pineville, KY 40977
606-337-3939

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2023 Kentucky Delivered Log Prices

Region 1

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Region 2

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DELIVERED LOG PRICES BY REGIONS

2023 Kentucky Delivered Log Prices

3rd and 4th Quarter

Region 3

| Species | High MBF | Medium MBF | Low MBF | 1/4 High MBF | 1/4 Medium MBF | 1/4 Low MBF | Veneer Low MBF | Veneer High MBF | Stave High MBF | Stave Low MBF | Qtr Sawm High MBF | Qtr Sawm Low MBF | Tie-HWD High MBF | Tie-HWD Low MBF | Tie Ton | Pallet MBF | Pallet Ton | Mat MBF | Fencing MBF | Handle MBF | HDWPulp Ton | PINEPulp | Per Ton | Chip Log MBF | Chip Log Ton | Peelers MBF | Peelers Ton |
|-----------------|----------|------------|---------|--------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------|------------|------------|---------|-------------|------------|-------------|----------|---------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| Red Oak | 700 | 500 | 150 | 800 | 500 | 350 | | | | | | | | | | 150 | 300 | 317 | | | | | | | | | |
| Scarlet Oak | 300 | 250 | 150 | 300 | 250 | 175 | | | | | | | | | | 150 | | 250 | | | | | | | | | |
| White Oak | 1500 | 436 | 150 | 1433 | 457 | 450 | 2667 | 5000 | 3000 | 1133 | 2900 | 1975 | | | | 150 | 300 | 517 | | | | | | | | | |
| Chestnut Oak | 1500 | 750 | 150 | 1433 | 898 | 450 | | | | | 2333 | 1533 | | | | 150 | 300 | 517 | | | | | | | | | |
| Post Oak | 1000 | 400 | 150 | 1000 | 389 | 175 | | | | | | | | | | 150 | 300 | 400 | | | | | | | | | |
| Hard Maple | 600 | 422 | 150 | 600 | 446 | 150 | | | | | | | 300 | 200 | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Soft Maple | 250 | 200 | 150 | 300 | 236 | 150 | | | | | | | 300 | 200 | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ash | 500 | 327 | 150 | 450 | 353 | 150 | | | | | | | 300 | 200 | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Black Cherry | 500 | 420 | 150 | 483 | 435 | 150 | | | | | | | | | | 150 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Black Walnut | 4333 | 1056 | 167 | 2500 | | 1500 | 3167 | 8667 | | | | | | | | 150 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hickory | 550 | 353 | 175 | 450 | 381 | 125 | | | | | | | 350 | 300 | | 150 | 300 | 300 | | | | | | | | | |
| Yellow Poplar | 600 | 453 | 150 | 600 | 438 | 150 | | | | | | | | | | 150 | | 317 | | | | | | | | | |
| Basswood | 300 | 283 | 150 | 233 | 228 | 183 | | | | | | | | | | 150 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Beech | 200 | 200 | 150 | 200 | 200 | 175 | | | | | | | | | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sycamore | 200 | 200 | 150 | 200 | 200 | 175 | | | | | | | 300 | 200 | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gum | 200 | 200 | 150 | 200 | 200 | 175 | | | | | | | 300 | 200 | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Miso. Hardwoods | 200 | 200 | 150 | 200 | 200 | 175 | | | | | | | 350 | 275 | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pine | 300 | 200 | 150 | 275 | 225 | 200 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Black Oak | 700 | 500 | 150 | 700 | 500 | 175 | | | | | | | | | | 150 | 300 | 300 | | | | | | | | | |

Region 4

| Species | High MBF | Medium MBF | Low MBF | 1/4 High MBF | 1/4 Medium MBF | 1/4 Low MBF | Veneer Low MBF | Veneer High MBF | Stave High MBF | Stave Low MBF | Qtr Sawm High MBI | Qtr Sawm Low MBI | Tie-HWD High MBF | Tie-HWD Low MBF | Tie Ton | Pallet MBF | Pallet Ton | Mat MBF | Fencing MBF | Handle MBF | HDWPulp Ton | PINEPulp | Per Ton | Chip Log MBF | Chip Log Ton | Peelers MBF | Peelers Ton |
|-----------------|----------|------------|---------|--------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------|------------|------------|---------|-------------|------------|-------------|----------|---------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| Red Oak | 625 | 385 | 200 | | | | | | | | | | 450 | | | 150 | 300 | 400 | | | | | | | | | |
| Scarlet Oak | 279 | 260 | 200 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 150 | | 250 | | | | | | | | | |
| White Oak | 2250 | 1175 | 533 | | | | 2600 | 5000 | 2875 | 1063 | 3200 | 2500 | | | | 150 | 300 | 500 | | | | | | | | | |
| Chestnut Oak | 1950 | 899 | 350 | | | | | | | | 1950 | 1600 | 450 | | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Post Oak | 1000 | 377 | 200 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hard Maple | 533 | 354 | 117 | | | | | | | | | | 340 | 200 | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Soft Maple | 500 | 314 | 200 | | | | | | | | | | 340 | 200 | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ash | 333 | 256 | 250 | | | | | | | | | | 300 | 200 | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Black Cherry | 488 | 335 | 208 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 150 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Black Walnut | 2375 | 834 | 546 | | | | 3100 | 6800 | | | | | | | | 150 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hickory | 567 | 284 | 117 | | | | | | | | | | 230 | 200 | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Yellow Poplar | 650 | 333 | 117 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 150 | | | | | | | | | 550 | | |
| Basswood | 158 | 160 | 158 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 150 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Beech | 200 | 200 | 200 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sycamore | 200 | 200 | 200 | | | | | | | | | | 300 | 200 | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gum | 200 | 200 | 200 | | | | | | | | | | 300 | 200 | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Misc. Hardwoods | 183 | 163 | 167 | | | | | | | | | | 281 | 200 | | 150 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Black Oak | 700 | 500 | 200 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 150 | 300 | 400 | | | | | | | | | |

Stephen Rogers

THIS SURVEY REPRESENTS APPROXIMATE LOG PRICING RECEIVED AT THE MILL BY THE LOGGER OR INDIVIDUAL SELLING TO THE MILL. THIS DOES NOT REPRESENT, IMPLY, OR ASSUME PRICING FOR STANDING TIMBER ON YOUR FARM OR WOODLAND.

LANDOWNERS AND FARMERS PLEASE NOTE:

IN ORDER TO MAKE FULL USE OF THIS LOG PRICING DATA: YOU SHOULD HAVE A CRUISING REPORT PERFORMED BY A QUALIFIED FORESTER SHOWING SPECIES, GRADE, AND FOOTAGE OF THE STANDING TIMBER ON YOUR PROPERTY. ADDITIONALLY, YOU MUST ALSO UNDERSTAND THE RELATED EXPENSES IN HARVESTING AND TRANSPORTING TIMBER FROM YOUR PROPERTY TO THE PURCHASING MILL. FARMERS AND LANDOWNERS WILL RECEIVE STUMPAGE PRICES LESS THAN THOSE LISTED IN THIS REPORT BY AS MUCH AS 50% OR MORE IN SOME INSTANCES. COSTS OF LOGGING VARY GREATLY DUE TO ACCESS, PROXIMITY OF THE TIMBER TO A MAIN ROAD, TERRAIN, DISTANCE TO THE PURCHASING MILL, PREVAILING CONDITIONS, SPECIES COMPOSITION, TIMBER QUALITY, TIMBER SIZE, FOOTAGE PER ACRE, MARKET SPECIES DEMAND, AND COST ASSOCIATED WITH THE USE OF APPROPRIATE BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES (BMPs).

NOTE:

ALL VALUES ARE EXPRESSED FOR UNSA WN LOGS DELIVERED TO THE MILL IN DOLLARS PER 1000 BOARD FEET (MBF) AS ESTIMATED BY THE DOYLE LOG RULE UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

Classifieds

WANTED

SAWN FOREST PRODUCTS

Seeking a continuous source of hardwood crossties. Contact Brandon Rothschild, Global Partners, Inc., 410-626-1502 or 410-703-8301

Looking for a steady supply of 4/4 white sappy hickory lumber, (Select and Better). Can use green or kiln dried depending on distance of sourcing. Also buying 1 inch X 1 inch X 19 inches, hickory square blanks with minimal defect and with white sap color. Contact: Marvin Gingerich, 2175 Bradsfordville Road, Campbellsville, KY42718, Phone: 270-465-0505 or Eli Royal, 503-828-9212.

We are year-round buyers of 4/4 Green #1 C/Btr RO, 5/4 #1C/Btr RO and 4/4 #1C WO. Contact: Rick Goodin, Lebanon Oak Flooring Co., 215 Taylor Ave., Lebanon, KY. tel: 270-692-2128, fax: 270-692-2128.

Wanted: suppliers of oak and mixed hardwood crossties and switch ties. all sizes of crossties, 7"x 9"x 8'6", 7"x 8"x 8'6" and 6"x 8"x 8'6". Switch ties of all lengths needed. Contact: Gene Willcutt at 812-789-5331, e-mail: gwillcutt@stella-jones.com or Chris Womack at 812-243-0656, e-mail: cwomack@stella-jones.com. Stella-Jones Corp., 3818 S. Co. Rd. 50 E., Winslow, IN.

Looking for suppliers of crossties, switch ties, and gum panels. sweetgum ties and oak timbers. Yards at Beaver Dam, Paducah, Owensboro, and Guthrie, KY. Contact: Ted Owens, Koppers, Inc., P.O. Box 8, Guthrie, KY 42234, tel: 270-483-2458, email: owensht@koppers.com.

FOREST PRODUCTS - STUMPAGE, LOGS, AND BOLTS

Land of Indiana Inc. ****BUYING**** Walnut Veneer/Saw Logs and White Oak Veneer Serving Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky and Ohio. Syllas Morin 812-865-6503 Larry Morin 812-797-1982

Interested in purchasing industrial grade tie logs, (elm, hackberry, sycamore, gum, beech, cherry, etc....); Contact: David Jones, 502-319-3067, Franklin County

Interested in buying ash and persimmon logs. Ash log lengths, 10 feet and 13 feet. Persimmon logs in 8, 10, and 12 feet in length with a minimum diameter of 10 inches. Contact: Mark Childress 1-800-635-3098

Roundtree Corporation is a year-round purchaser of walnut and white oak veneer logs and sawlogs. The owners have been buying walnut logs for 45 years, non-stop. Field inspection is available for better parcels. Contact: John Willmott, 859-582-1753. Log yard: 1552 Winston Rd., Irvine, KY 40336; Hours: 8:00 am – 3:00 pm, Monday – Thursday.

Buying red cedar and pine logs. Call: Gerald Beatty, American Wood Fibers, 390 Warehouse Rd., Lebanon, KY 40033. Tel: 800-662-5459 or 270-692-3000. Inquire about new buying price.

The Freeman Corporation operates a veneer mill in Winchester, KY. Our salaried log buyers travel year-round to purchase veneer logs and standing timber. We pay competitive prices for quality ash, walnut, cherry, red oak, and white oak logs. For additional information, contact: The Freeman Corp., PO Box 96, Winchester, KY 40392, tel: 859-744-4311.

Your pine material is worth more than you think!! We want fresh yellow pine that will make good fence posts or poles and are paying top dollar for it. There are several different ways you can make more money with your quality pine material so call Steve and see what works best for both of us. Olympia Lumber and Post, 539 Sour Springs Rd., Olympia, KY 40358. Tel: 606-674-6296, 513-309-2763, email denise@olympialumberandpost.com, web: www.olympialumberandpost.com

Attention loggers: We need your low-grade logs. We are the largest user of low-grade logs in Central KY. Two locations to serve you better. Cub Run Hardwoods in Cub Run, KY and Quality Pallet Co. in Greensburg, KY. We buy year round. Pallet grade and tie logs. Paying competitive prices. We can arrange freight to pick up at your yard. Call for specs. Cub Run Hardwoods, Wilmer Yoder tel: 270-524-7811, Quality Pallet Co., Paul Peachey, tel: 270-932-2887.

J & T Lumber, wanting to buy tie logs – top prices paid. Contact: Tim Crawford, tel: 606-215-0612.

M. Bohlke Veneer is currently pursuing high quality white oak and walnut veneer logs, and/or standing timber. M. Bohlke Veneer has been in the timber business for over forty years. M. Bohlke Veneer has very competitive prices and prompt payment. For more information contact: Chuck Reece, cell: 513-368-8845, home: 513-896-4037. M. Bohlke Veneer Corp., 8375 N. Gilmore Rd., Fairfield, OH 45014. Log office: 513-682-1462.

SERVICES AVAILABLE

Arnzen Forestry Services specialize in selective timber marking and sales, other services include appraisals, timber trespass, management plans and timber stand improvement. Arnzen Forestry Services, Tim Arnzen, KACF, 627 Myers Road, Campbellsville, KY 42718. tel: 270-465-5672, cell: 270-849-6467, email: tim@arnzenforestry.com, web: www.arnzenforestry.com

Cox Forestry Consulting, LLC – providing the following services: management, inventory, marking, marketing, sale administration, timber appraisals, property boundary marking / survey and mapping, timber stand improvement, and tree plantings. Contact David Cox coxforestryconsulting@gmail.com or 502-802-6021.

Consulting Forestry Services - Central Kentucky Forest Management offers timber sale, management plan, and timber appraisal services. Contact: Chris Will, Central Kentucky Forest Management, Inc., 301 Stanford Ave., Danville, KY 40422. Tel: 859-238-2212, 859-516-1415, email: chris@ckfm.net, web: www.ckfm.net.

Custom Sawing / Portable Sawmill – sawing services available in north central and northeastern Kentucky; Contact: Russell Iery, Tel: 606-796-6966, or email russellkiery@windstream.net

Custom Sawing / Portable Sawmill – sawing services available in Franklin and surrounding counties; Contact David Jones, 502-319-3067

D & M Forestry - specializing in timber cruising, grading, appraising, marketing and logging engineering services. Contact: Dick Brantigan, tel: 888-503-0004 or mobile, Tel: 859-771-0453, email: dick@dmforest.com, web: www.dmforest.com.

Skees Forest Service – over 30 years of experience. Private forestry consultant specializing in: timber harvest environment compliance, forest management, timber marking & marketing, inventory appraising & advertising. Contact: Gery Skees, 1154 Ford Hwy., Elizabethtown, KY 42701. Tel: 270-737-2476, cell: 270-234-3301, email: gskees@windstream.net.

Sourwood Forestry Consulting – Forest management planning and implementation (FSI), timber sales and appraisals, custom inventories, mapping, data management design and development. Contact Scott Shouse at (859) 319-1611; scott@sourwoodforestry.com, www.sourwoodforestry.com.

Timberland Management - Dynamic Forest Management specializes in timber marking and sales, timber inventory and appraisals, timber trespass cases, timber stand improvement, property boundary marking and custom mapping. Contact: Luke Biscan, 47 Frontage Rd, Glasgow, KY 42141. Tel: 270-404-4288, Email: biscanluke@aol.com

Wild Indigo Forestry - offers timber marking and sales, appraisals, inventory, trespass, tree planting, forest management plans, and NRCS TSP forest management plans. Contact Katie Wilding at 270-339-7450; email: wildindigoforestry@gmail.com website: wildindigoforestry.wordpress.com

FOR SALE EQUIPMENT

Used parts shipped daily for log skidders, crawlers, loader backhoes, excavators, wheel loaders, and skid steers. Parts for: Allis Chalmers, Athey, Bantam/Koehring, Bobcat, Case, Clark, Daewoo, Dresser, Drott, Fiat Allis, Franklin, Hitachi, Hough, Hyundai, International, John Deere, Kobelco, Komatsu, Leihberr, Linkbelt, Michigan, Mitsubishi, New Holland, New Process, Pettibone, Samsung, Timbco, Timberjack, Treefarmer, Vme, Volvo. We have many reconditioned engines and transmissions that are dyno-tested. Rebuilt winches, final drives and used tires. If we do not have a part – we can locate it for you on one of our 3 nationwide parts locators. Contact: Schaefer Enterprises of Wolf Lake, Inc., 4535 State Route 3 North, Wolf Lake, IL 62998. Ask for Andy, Brad, Jill, Joe, Kevin, or Matt if buying. Ask for Jerry or Tom if selling. Call: 618-833-5498 or 800-626-6046, fax: 618-833-7765, email: parts@sewlparts.com, website: www.sewlparts.com.

B-Y's Sawmill-
4378 Barney School Road
Campbellsville, KY 42718
Access Mats Available:
8X12 \$180
8X14 \$280
8X16 \$310
Call and ask for Sam
270-469-1126 or 270-469-1229
Fax 270-789-3495

REAL AMERICAN HARDWOOD PROMOTION

What is the REAL AMERICAN HARDWOOD promotion? The REAL AMERICAN HARDWOOD promotion is a promotional campaign by a coalition of the hardwood-manufacturing sector and hardwood trade associations in using natural hardwood products. Concern of a declining market share by using alternative hardwood appearance products, along with unstable hardwood trade agreements, has prompted a call to action by utilizing a comprehensive campaign marketing approach.

For additional information about this promotion check out the following link:
www.realamericanhardwood.org



ANNOUNCEMENT

At last! A monthly buy-sell publication that reaches almost every sawmill and pallet mill in the USA. For your sawmill or pallet mill to be put on the mailing list, simply call 800-992-3432, and you will receive each month, at no charge, your copy of American Lumber & Pallet. Website:
www.amlumber.com.

The National Wooden Pallet and Container Association (NWPCA) is an international trade association of unit load professionals who manufacture, recycle and distribute pallets and other unit load bases, containers and reels. NWPCA is dedicated to the success of its members by helping them create environmentally responsible, cost-effective solutions to meet their customers' changing materials handling needs,

"Pallets Move the World...With Your Help", is a 10-minute training video on proper pallet handling techniques. It is designed for use by lift truck drivers, warehouse personnel and material handling professionals who want to increase their awareness of how proper pallet handling can save time and money by reducing damage. Get a copy now to improve your bottom line by improving your materials handling practices. Contact NWPCA directly at 703-527-7670 x 209. There is a charge for the video of \$29.95 (\$19.95 for NWPCA members). You may fax your order to 703-527-7717 or e-mail your request to palletmbr@aol.com. Please include your name, title, company, address, phone and fax numbers and credit card information.

Pallet and container solutions available online. The NWPCA Website (<http://www.nwpc.com>) features a continuously updated roster of pallet, container and reel providers, including contact information, a listing of the specific products and services they offer, and hotlinks to individual company websites. Pallet users can use the site to locate suppliers in their area that offer the products they need, including new and repaired pallets and containers, and services such as retrieval and recovery systems or disposal solutions. The NWPCA Website also contains information about pallet quality assurance programs; pallet design and construction standards; publications and services available from NWPCA and its member companies; and a calendar of events. An "industry watch" section features articles covering news and trends affecting the industry.

Wood Industries of Kentucky

Directory, searchable directory can be found at the UK forestry website: <https://kentuckywoodindustry.ca.uky.edu/>

Kentucky Delivered Log Price

Report within this publication can also be found at:
www.eec.ky.gov/Natural-Resources/Forestry/resource-utilization-and-marketing

Harvest gold - charity! Help the kids!!!

Timberland owners who have their timber cruised and marked for harvest may at their option - donate up to 10% of gross value or 10% of their trees, as IRS rules, tax deductible!! Please donate to:
Kentucky Forest Industries Association's - "Log-a-Load for Kids" which benefits children's hospitals. 100% of contributions will go to the University of Kentucky Children's Hospital. You may call direct to donate now!
Kentucky Forest Industries Association, 106 Progress Drive, Frankfort, KY 40601 or 502-695-397

KDF Marked Timber For Sale

Morehead Branch:

Location: Lawrence County

Phil & Sharon Preece

973 Little Cat Fork Road

Louisa, KY 41230

Phone: 606-686-2555

VOLUME BY SPECIES:

| Species | No of Trees | Volume (Bd Ft) | Culls | Avg Vol Per Tree |
|------------------|----------------|-------------------|-------|---------------------|
| White oak | 104 | 18116 | 0 | 174 |
| Northern red oak | 62 | 15899 | 2 | 256 |
| Black oak | 47 | 9021 | 5 | 192 |
| Scarlet oak | 25 | 6904 | 4 | 276 |
| Chestnut oak | 64 | 9138 | 1 | 143 |
| Yellow-poplar | 148 | 30748 | 9 | 208 |
| Hickory | 75 | 11718 | 2 | 156 |
| Red maple | 26 | 2748 | 4 | 106 |
| Sugar maple | 14 | 1700 | 7 | 121 |
| Beech | 17 | 1353 | 5 | 80 |
| Sycamore | 12 | 2150 | 2 | 179 |
| Black walnut | 5 | 641 | 0 | 128 |
| Totals | 599 | 110,136 | 41 | 184 |



Kentucky Master Logger Program is required by law - the Kentucky Forest Conservation Act requires that at least one graduate of the KY Master Logger (KML) Program is on site and in charge of each commercial logging operation (excluding horse logging). The law also requires the use of appropriate bmps on all commercial logging operations. The KML Program is held 9:00am to 5:00pm local time. To successfully complete the KML program you must attend and participate in all three days. Each program is limited to 50 participants.

2024- 3-Day Program Schedule

Pre-registration is required to attend. No walk-ins allowed

Program locations and dates (Updated 12/11/2023)

| County | Dates | Location | # Registered |
|-----------|-----------------------------|--|--------------|
| Hardin | January 30,31 February 1 | Hardin County Cooperative Extension Service Office 111 Opportunity Way, Elizabethtown, KY 42701 | |
| Fleming | March 5, 6, 7 | Fleming County Cooperative Extension Service Office 1384 Elizaville Rd. Flemingsburg, KY 41041 | |
| McCreary | March 19,20,21 | McCreary County Hardwoods Inc. 741 Southern Hwy, Pine Knot, KY 42635 | |
| Christian | April 16,17,18 | Christian County Cooperative Extension Service Office 2850 Pembroke Rd.Hopkinsville, KY 42240 | |
| Floyd | May 21, 22, 23 | Prestonsburg – Cooperative Extension Service Office 3490 KY Route 321, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 | |
| Owen | July 16, 17, 18 | Owen County Cooperative Extension Service Office 265 Ellis Highway, Owenton, KY 40359 | |
| Barren | September 24,25, 26 | Barren County Cooperative Extension Service Office 1463 West Main Street, Glasgow, KY 42141 | |
| Marshall | October 22, 23, 24 | Marshall County Cooperative Extension Service Office 1933 Mayfield Highway, Benton KY 42025 | |
| Clay | November 19, 20, 21 | Clay County Cooperative Extension - Excel Building 86 Muddy Gap Rd., Manchester, KY 40692 | |

2024 KML Continuing Education

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|--|--|--------------------------|
| Sustainable Forestry | Hopkins County-Madisonville County Extension Office | 27-Mar-24 9 am - 4 pm |
| Principles of Forestry | Warren Co.- Bowling Green Hart County Fairgrounds Ag Bldg. | 11-Apr-24 |
| Log, Lumber & Tie Grading | Whitley Co.- Williamsburg County Extension Office | 23-Apr-24 9 am - 4 pm |
| Basic Timber Cruising | Magoffin Co.- Salyersville County Extension Office | 30-Apr-24 |
| Chainsaw Safety | Boyd Co.- Ashland County Extension Expo Building | 8-May-24 9 am - 4 pm |
| White Oak Production & Harvesting | Marshall Co. - Benton County Extension Office | 15-May-24 9 am - 4 pm |
| Directional Felling | Montgomery Co. - Jeffersonville Camp McKee- Keeneland Lodge | 29-May-24 |
| White Oak Production & Harvesting | Metcalfe Co - Edmonton County Extension Office | 5-Jun-24 |
| First Aid/CPR/Stop the Bleed | Morgan Co.- West Liberty County Extension Office | 13-Jun-24 9am- 4pm |
| BMP Refresher | Bell Co.- Pineville Bert T. Combs Bldg. | 19-Jun-24 |
| Principles of Forestry | Butler Co.- Morgantown County Extension Office | 10-Jul-24 9 am - 4 pm |
| Principles of Forestry | Lincoln Co.- Stanford County Extension Office | 29-Aug-24 |
| Directional Felling | Cumberland Co.- Burkesville County Extension Office | 18-Sep-24 |
| White Oak Production & Harvesting | Laurel Co.- London County Extension Office | 10-Oct-24 9 am - 4 pm |
| TBD | Harrison Co.- Cynthiana County Extension Office | 6-Nov-24 9 am - 4 pm |
| Sustainable Forestry | Hopkins County-Madisonville County Extension Office | 27-Mar-24 9 am - 4 pm |
| Principles of Forestry | Warren Co.- Bowling Green Hart County Fairgrounds Ag Bldg. | 11-Apr-24 |
| Log, Lumber & Tie Grading | Whitley Co.- Williamsburg County Extension Office | 23-Apr-24 9 am - 4 pm |
| Basic Timber Cruising | Magoffin Co.- Salyersville County Extension Office | 30-Apr-24 |
| Chainsaw Safety | Boyd Co.- Ashland County Extension Expo Building | 8-May-24 9 am - 4 pm |
| White Oak Production & Harvesting | Marshall Co. - Benton County Extension Office | 15-May-24 9 am - 4 pm |
| Directional Felling | Montgomery Co. - Jeffersonville Camp McKee- Keeneland Lodge | 29-May-24 |
| White Oak Production & Harvesting | Metcalfe Co - Edmonton County Extension Office | 5-Jun-24 |
| First Aid/CPR/Stop the Bleed | Morgan Co.- West Liberty County Extension Office | 13-Jun-24 9am- 4pm |
| BMP Refresher | Bell Co.- Pineville Bert T. Combs Bldg. | 19-Jun-24 |
| Principles of Forestry | Butler Co.- Morgantown County Extension Office | 10-Jul-24 9 am - 4 pm |
| Principles of Forestry | Lincoln Co.- Stanford County Extension Office | 29-Aug-24 |
| Directional Felling | Cumberland Co.- Burkesville County Extension Office | 18-Sep-24 |
| White Oak Production & Harvesting | Laurel Co.- London County Extension Office | 10-Oct-24 9 am - 4 pm |
| TBD | Harrison Co.- Cynthiana County Extension Office | 6-Nov-24 9 am - 4 pm |



KY COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICES
9 a.m. - 4 p.m. EST

Hosted at the following Extension Offices:
Boone, Breathitt, Breckinridge, Casey, Crittenden,
Cumberland, Elliott, Fleming, Graves, Grayson,
Hancock, Harlan, Henderson, Jefferson, Letcher,
Logan, Madison, Martin, Morgan, Nelson, Ohio, Owen,
Perry, Russell, Taylor and Whitley counties

\$50 course fee and, if required, \$25 renewal fee

INFO: Beth Williams, 859-257-6230



CALENDAR OF EVENTS – 2024

- Feb. 7** Kentucky Forest Health Conference, Longship Club, Kroger Stadium, Lexington KY Register at <https://forestry.ca.uky.edu/fhc-conference>
- Feb. 21-25** Appalachian Hardwood Manufacturers, Inc. Annual Meeting, Hammock Beach Resort Palm Coast, FL
Information call: 336-885-8315 or email info@appalachianhardwood.org
- Mar. 12-13** Wood Bioenergy Conference & Expo, Omni Hotel at CNN Center, Atlanta, GA. Register | Wood Bioenergy Conference & Expo (bioenergyshow.com)
- Mar. 20-22** National Wooden Pallet and Container Association, Annual Leadership Conference, Sawgrass Marriott Golf Resort & Spa, Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida. Contact: NWPC 703-519-6104 or www.palletcentral.com
- Mar. 18-21** Railway Tie Association 2023 Tie Grading Seminar, Hampton Inn Calera, Birmingham, Alabama
Information: www.rta.org or email: ties@rta.org phone: 770-460-5553
- Mar. 25-27** Kentucky Woodland Owners Association, 2024 Annual Meeting, Berea College Forest Outreach Center, Meeting registration and information, www.kwoa.net
- Apr. 2-4** Kentucky Forest Industries Association Annual Meeting, Embassy Suites, Lexington, KY.
Contact Michele at michele@kfia.org or call 502-695-3979
- Apr. 10-12** International Wood Products Association, 68th. World of Wood Convention, San Diego, California; Contact: IWPA at 703-820-6696 or info@iwpawood.org
- Jul 28-31** 2024 Walnut Council Annual Meeting, Hollenbeck Conference Center Comfort Suites Springfield
Springfield, Ohio Contact: 765-583-3501 or walnutcouncil@walnutcouncil.org
- Aug. 6-9** International Woodworking Fair 2024, Georgia World Congress Center, 285 Andrew Young International Blvd., Atlanta, GA. Additional information: www.iwfatlanta.com or Contact: info@iwfatlanta.com or 404-693-8333
- Sept. 27-28** Wood Products Manufacturers Association, Annual Meeting, Noelle Nashville, Nashville, TN.;
Contact: 978-874-5445 or info@wpma.org or via website: www.wpma.org
- Oct. 2-4** National Hardwood Lumber Association 2024 Annual Convention, Marriott St. Louis Grand, St. Louis, MO;
Contact NHLA at: 901-377-1818 or info@nhla.com
- Oct. (TBD)** Wood Products Manufacturers Association, Annual Meeting, Scottsdale, AZ.; Contact: 978-874-5445 or info@wpma.org or via website: www.wpma.org
- Oct. 1** Win with Wood 2024, University of Kentucky Wood Utilization Center, 311 Woodcenter Drive, Jackson, KY;
Information contact: 606-666-243
- Oct. 5-8** Associated Cooperage Industries of America, 2024 Annual Convention, The Meritage Resort & Spa in Napa, Nap, CA; Contact: ACIA office, 502-261-2242, www.acia.net or email: acia@att.net
- Oct. 13 – 19** National Forest Products Week
- Dec 4–7** Kentucky Farm Bureau 105rd. Annual Meeting, Galt House, Louisville, KY; Contact KFB Headquarters office: 502-495-5000



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