



Forest Products Road Manual: A Handbook for Municipal Officials and The Forest Products Industry

**Forest Products Road Manual:
A Handbook for Municipal Officials
and
The Forest Products Industry**



New Hampshire's road system is critical to the viability of the state's forest products industry. Logs, pulpwood, lumber, chips and bark mulch travel the network of roads from the woods to manufacturing facilities and ultimately to consumers. Safe and efficient highways are in the best interest of all users. The laws, restrictions and permitting procedures summarized in this document are important to understand in order to extend the life of the roads and to ensure the safety of its users.

This publication includes information about the New Hampshire highway classification system, temporary driveway permits, road bonding and weight limits as they apply to forest product's trucking. The purpose of the booklet is to improve communication and understanding between municipal officials and the forest industry.

Written by Hunter Carbee, New Hampshire Timberland Owners Association and Sarah Smith, UNH Cooperative Extension, it may be purchased through the UNH Cooperative Extension Forestry Information Center.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/Town: _____

Telephone: _____ Email (opt.) _____

_____ Number of copies at \$2.00 each

_____ TOTAL ENCLOSED

Make checks payable to: UNH Cooperative Extension and mail to: UNH Cooperative Extension, Forestry Information Center, 131 Main Street, 211 Nesmith Hall, Durham, NH 03824-3597.

UNH Cooperative Extension programs and policies are consistent with pertinent Federal and State laws and regulations, and prohibits discrimination in its programs, activities and employment on the basis of race, color, national origin, gender, religion, age, disability, political beliefs, sex, sexual orientation, or veteran's, marital or family status. College of Life Sciences and Agriculture, County Governments, NH Dept. of Resources and Economic Development, Division of Forests and Lands, NH Fish and Game, U.S. Dept. of Agriculture and U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service cooperating.