Landowner Goals and Objectives (short version)

Your Forest Stewardship Plan considers the natural resources on your property and your goals and objectives. Fill this out before or during a meeting with your forester.

Rank the values you place on your forest either high (H), medium (M), low (L), not interested (NI), not applicable (NA), or don’t know (DK).

_____ Maintaining habitat for a variety of plants and animals
_____ Maintaining habitat for specific wildlife (specify) __________
_____ Protecting rare and endangered plant and animal species or unique natural communities
_____ Managing the forest for periodic income from:
  Logs, fuelwood, pulpwood_____ Maple sugaring_____ Christmas trees_____ Trees and shrubs for landscaping_____ recreation_____ Other_____
_____ Providing recreation for your family:
  Cross-country skiing_____ Snowmobiling_____ Hunting_____ Hiking/walking_____
  Nature viewing_____ Mountain biking_____ Off-road vehicles_____ Other___________
_____ Providing recreation for others: (specify types allowed)____________
_____ Limiting the use by others
_____ Protecting water quality
_____ Preventing soil erosion
_____ Protecting wetlands
_____ Maintaining a healthy forest
_____ Peace & solitude
_____ Scenery (views, special trees, rock formation, special areas, etc.)
_____ Cutting fuelwood for personal use
_____ Protecting historic sites (stonewalls, old foundations, etc.)
_____ Working in the forest. Describe the time, experience and equipment you have to work in your forest:
  Becoming/staying a certified Tree Farm
  Enrolling/maintaining current use property tax assessment
  Developing an estate plan
  Protecting from development
  Considering a conservation easement or other permanent land protection
  Developing or maintaining access roads

Other values: ________________________________________________________________
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Comments on the most important values that you place on your land.

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Comments on your goals and objectives for the property

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What would you like your land to be and look like in twenty years?

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What activities have you conducted on your land to achieve your goals?

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What factors have limited you from achieving your goals?

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What assistance do you need to help you reach your goals?

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