

Department of Professional and Financial Regulation
BOARD OF LICENSURE OF FORESTERS
35 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04330

RECOMMENDATION/REFERENCE

Applicant Name: _____ Reference Name: _____

Applicant is applying for a Forester license based on one of the following (**Please check one**):

- Completed ME internship
- Licensed in another jurisdiction
- Professional Forestry Practice in another jurisdiction

If applicant is applying based on completion of a Maine internship, are you the sponsor? Yes No

In your capacity as a reference, are you acting as a ___ Forester ___ non-forester?

How long have you known this individual? _____ years

Please describe your working relationship with the applicant:

Please provide any items of information relevant to the applicant's practice of forestry:

Do you believe this individual should be licensed as a Forester in Maine? Yes No

Please elaborate: _____

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The licensing rules stipulate an applicant must demonstrate substantial experience or education in each of the categories listed below. **Please evaluate the applicant's experience in each of these areas, using as many sheets of paper as needed.**

Forest Biology - including but not limited to tree growth, species identification, forest ecology, wildlife and fish ecology and habitat manipulation, tree disease and insect problems, silviculture, soils and water relationships, and fire ecology.

Forest Resources Measurement – including but not limited to basic surveying, area determination, sample design and analysis, measurements of trees and forest products, and photo interpretation and mapping.

Forest Resource Management and Harvesting – including but not limited to multiple-use principles, road design and construction, harvest layout, harvesting methods, environmental protection, marketing and utilization standards, stand analysis and prescriptions, forest and wildlife habitat management, recreation management, urban forestry, fire, insect and disease protection and financial management.

Forest Resource Policy and Administration – including but not limited to state environmental and forest practice laws, boundary and trespass laws, contract and sale administration, forest taxation and forest economics.

Reference Signature

License #

Date