

**OUTSTANDING YOUNG FARM FAMILY
FORESTRY DIVISION**

Note: Please answer questions that pertain to your operation if you are entering the OYFF contest as a Forestry Producer.

1. Briefly describe the reason(s) for having your forest.

2. How long have you owned or managed this forest? # of Acres _____ # of years _____

3. Do you have a forest management plan? Yes ___ No ___ If yes, written or oral? _____

Prepared by _____

4. List forest types, present acres, age and status.

Forest Type	Present Acres	Age	Status
<i>Ex. Planted Pines</i>	<i>20 acres</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>to be thinned by 2000</i>

5. What steps are being taken to improve the production of your forest?

6. Do you use herbicides for controlling undesirable species? Yes ___ No ___ If yes, describe. _____

7. Do you follow state Best Management Practices (BMP) guidelines when harvesting timber?

Yes ___ No ___ Explain _____

8. When is timber harvested?

- (a) at biological maturity
- (b) at economic maturity
- (c) thinned in order to improve the stand

9. Do you clear-cut areas? Yes ___ No ___ If so, explain your reforestation program. (Include site preparation, seedling source, type planting, spacing, # of trees per acre and any other facts you desire.)

10. Do you maintain fire lanes around property? Yes ___ No ___ Last Pine Beetle outbreak was in (year) _____ and was controlled by what method? _____

11. Do you manage for wildlife and recreation? Yes ___ No ___ If so, explain _____

12. Is your management plan designed primarily for that purpose? _____

13. How are hunting rights on your property utilized?

- Hunting Rights Leased
- Fee Hunting
- Personal Enjoyment

Explain _____
