

Greg B Taylor, RPF, ASCT

Experience

2006 to Present Taiga Consulting Fort St. John B.C.

Owner

- Consulting services in safety (plans, audits), silviculture and environmental management.
 - Currently providing gap analysis audits and safety program development services to the Fort St. John Division of Canadian Forest Products to assist them and their contractors in meeting the Safe Companies certification program
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1997 to 2005 Canadian Forest Products Ltd. Fort St John, B.C.

Silviculture Superintendent

- **Compliance Manager for the Fort St John Division**- managed and tracked investigations of incidents involving non compliance to regulatory standards including Occupational Health and Safety Regulations.
 - **Safety Committee Chairman for the Fort St John Division** including managing the formation of a committee specific to the Woodlands operation.
 - **EMS Manager for the Peace Region**
 - Overall responsibility for Emergency Response Plans
 - Participated in internal environmental and emergency response audits of other divisions within the company
 - Responsible for internal audits of safety, regulatory compliance and environmental management in the Peace
 - Coordinated third party audits of the Peace Region to maintain both CSA and ISO Forest Management certifications.
 - Responsible for all planning, staff supervision, safety and operational activity required for reforestation, to free growing condition, of an annual harvest area of approx. 2200ha.
 - Under an experimental pilot project for deregulation designed and implemented the silviculture component of a Sustainable Forest Management Plan including the introduction of a new system for the assessment of reforestation results on a landscape level.
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1994 to 1997 Canadian Forest Products Ltd. Fort St John, B.C.

Area Forester

- Responsible for operational planning, harvesting and silviculture in an operating area of the Fort St John Division
- Managed a \$200,000 camp upgrade to meet Occupational Health and Safety standards.
- Responsible for the operation, including safety practices, of a remote bush camp serving harvesting and silviculture operations in an area accessible only by air for personnel and by rail for supplies and log transport.
- Provided assistance and training within the division on areas/operations with concerns regarding soil stability and earth movement.
- Participated in internal audits of other divisions within the company

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1990 to 1994

Canadian Forest Products Ltd.

Fort St John, B.C.

Silviculture Forester

- Responsible for all planning, staff supervision, safety and operational activity required for reforestation, to free growing condition, of an annual harvest area of approx. 2200ha.
- Assisted as required with road layout, cut block layout, harvest supervision and camp management.

Experience

1987-1990

Peace Wood Products Ltd.

Taylor, B.C.

Silviculture Forester

- Responsible for all planning, staff supervision, safety and operational activity required for reforestation, to free growing condition, of an annual harvest area of approx. 1100ha.
- Assisted as required with road layout, cut block layout, harvest supervision and camp management.

1983-1987

Associated Engineering Ltd

Vancouver, B.C.

Engineering Technologist

- Managed all safety plans and operations for crews of up to 25 people working in remote bush locations.
- Survey and design of roads including cost estimation, staff supervision and coordination of projects with the public and government agencies
- Responsible for the management and supervision of survey crews collecting preliminary topographical information in remote locations throughout British Columbia.

Education

1983

University of British Columbia

Vancouver, B.C.

Bachelor of Science in Forestry - Forest Management Major

1973

British Columbia Institute of Technology

Burnaby, B.C.

Diploma of Technology - Civil and Structural Engineering

Professional Associations/Certifications

Association of British Columbia Forest Professionals

Registered Professional Forester

Membership No. 2314

Applied Science Technologists & Technicians of British Columbia

Applied Science Technologist - Civil

Membership No. 01580

Safe Companies

External Auditor

References - Available on request.
