BC **Forest Safety** Council
Unsafe is Unacceptable

FOREST INDUSTRY SAFETY ALERT

Close Call/Serious Incident

Location: Woss BC

Date of Incident: NOV 03/08

Details of Incident: A worker was descending a steep bank approximately 12 feet high when the rock he was using for a hand hold suddenly dislodged causing him to fall forward landing on his arm dislocating his shoulder.

Recommended Preventative Actions: Upon investigation it was noted that there was at least two much safer ways down the bank. The worker should have assessed the risk before choosing his route down and chosen the safest route.

For more information, please call: Steele Creek Pole Corp. (250) 751-2656