

# INSPECTION

## NDMNR- Approved Forest Management Plan Inspection Algonquin Park Forest 2021-2031 Forest Management Plan

The Ontario **Ministry of Northern Development, Mines, Natural Resources and Forestry (NDMNR)**, **Algonquin Forestry Authority (AFA)** and the **Algonquin Park Local Citizens' Committee (LCC)** would like to advise you that the 2021 – 2031 Forest Management Plan (FMP) for the **Algonquin Park Forest** has been approved by the NDMNR Regional Director and is available for inspection.

### The Planning Process

The FMP takes approximately three years to complete. During this time, five formal opportunities for public and First Nation and Métis community involvement are provided. The fourth opportunity (Stage Four) for this FMP occurred on March 12, 2021 to May 11, 2021 when the public and First Nation and Métis communities were invited to review and comment on the draft FMP.

This **'Stage Five'** notice is to advise you that the NDMNR-approved FMP, including the supplementary documentation, and FMP summary are available electronically for inspection for the 10-year duration of the FMP through the office of the Algonquin Forestry Authority and on the Natural Resources Information Portal at <https://nrip.mnr.gov.on.ca/s/fmp-online>.

Interested and affected persons and organizations can arrange a remote meeting with NDMNR staff with the Pembroke District Office to discuss the approved FMP.

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The approved FMP will be available for the 10-year period of the FMP at the same locations listed above.

### Stay Involved

Further information on how to get involved in forest management planning and to better understand the stages of public consultation please visit:

<https://www.ontario.ca/document/participate-forest-management-ontario/how-get-involved-forest-management>

Ministry of Northern Development, Mines, Natural Resources and Forestry (NDMNR) is collecting your personal information and comments under the authority provided by the Forest Management Planning Manual, 2020 approved by regulation under Section 68 of the *Crown Forest Sustainability Act*, 1994. Any personal information you provide (home and/or email address, name, telephone number, etc.) may be used and shared between NDMNR and/or the sustainable forest licensee to contact you regarding comments submitted. Your comments will become part of the public consultation process and may be shared with the general public. Your personal information may also be used by the NDMNR to send you further information related to this forest management planning exercise. If you have questions about the use of your personal information, please contact Shari MacDonald, NDMNR, Regional Information Manager, by e-mail: [shari.macdonald@ontario.ca](mailto:shari.macdonald@ontario.ca).

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