The Arkansas Forestry Association...

- Serves as the respected voice of forestry in Arkansas
- Is a credible information source on forestry issues
- Advocates on the local, state and national levels with regulators and lawmakers
- Defends your right to practice forest management
- Represents the entire forestry community—from landowners and timber harvesters to banks and chemical suppliers
- Administers prominent national programs in Arkansas—Tree Farm, Project Learning Tree and Log A Load For Kids
- Works cooperatively with natural resource agencies and organizations to promote forest management
- Provides numerous opportunities for continuing education and networking
- Administers a witness reward program to protect members’ land and property from arson, theft, dumping and vandalism
- Supports an Education Foundation that promotes forestry to landowners, educators, students and the public

Advocacy
Communication
Networking

The Arkansas Forestry Association advocates for the sustainable use and sound stewardship of Arkansas’s forests and related resources to benefit the state’s forestry community and all Arkansans, today and in the future.

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Membership Application

You may also apply online at www.arkforests.org

Name: ____________________________

Organization: ________________________

Address: _____________________________

City/ST/ZIP: _________________________

County: ______________________________

Business Phone: ______________________

Home Phone: __________________________

Cell Phone: ___________________________

Fax: _________________________________

Email: _______________________________

Website: ______________________________

Referred By: __________________________

Category: _____________________________

Amount Due: __________________________

Payment: Check to “AFA” or Visa/Master Card/AmEx

Card #: ______________________________

Exp. Date: ___________ CVV: ___________

Billing ZIP Code: ______________________

Return completed form to: 1213 West 4th St
Little Rock, AR 72201

Annual Dues

Friend of Forestry $50

Forest Landowners
Up to 160 acres $65
160 - 500 acres $85
500 - 1,000 acres $125
1,000 - 3,000 acres $225
3,000 - 5,000 acres $425
5,000 - 7,000 acres $650
7,000+ acres $650 + $0.03/acre for each acre above 7,000

Students $10

Lifetime $1,300

Hunting Clubs $2 per member, $40 minimum

Forestry Consultants $210 for one forester/technician, + $50 for each additional forester/technician

Logging Contractors & Wood Dealers
Up to 25,000 tons $80
25,000 - 75,000 tons $240
75,000+ tons $240 + $0.0017/ton for each ton over 75,000

Sustaining Members
Individual $165
Corporate $780

Suppliers & Vendors
– Sales volume to industry in Arkansas
Up to $1 million $345
$1 million - 5 million $950
$5 million - 10 million $1,380
$10 million+ $1,900

Secondary Manufacturers $0.035/MBF on lumber consumed

Banks
Deposits up to $20,000,000 $165
Deposits $20,000,000+ $425

Forest Product Companies Contact AFA

Membership Benefits

Advocacy
AFA ensures that regulators and lawmakers stay informed about forestry issues. The Executive Vice President and Government Affairs Committee maintain a high profile with local, state and federal officials. Members receive regular updates on political endorsements, legislation and policy issues. The Forest Express Political Action Committee makes contributions to state-level candidates who support forestry.

Communication
Members receive a printed newsletter, a weekly e-newsletter and weekly email Legislative Updates from the Executive Vice President while the legislature is in session.

Networking
The annual meeting, regional membership meetings, committee involvement, landowner workshops and other special events offer unique opportunities for education and networking.

Committees
Active, member-driven committees include Forest Practices, Forest Protection, Wildlife and Biodiversity, Government Affairs, Landowner Education, Taxation, Membership, Communications, Tree Farm, Project Learning Tree and Log A Load For Kids.

Insurance
Members can apply for hunting lease, timberland liability and a variety of other forestry-related policies that provide affordable coverage from Outdoor Underwriters.

Outreach
AFA sponsors tours for elected officials and the media. We also work with conservation organizations to provide events and information to help family forest owners practice sustainable forestry.