

State Forestry Agency

BMPs Manual/Guidelines

Most Recent Year Published

Does the state require forestry BMP implementation?

If so, what is the legislation/regulation that requires BMP implementation in the state?

Does the state monitor forestry BMP implementation?

State BMP Implementation Rate

Most Recent Year Monitoring Collected

West Virginia Division of Forestry<http://www.wvforestry.com/DOFbmpManual2018.pdf>

2018

Yes, our state has general BMP requirements for forestry activities

Yes

97.17

2018

Name of agency/organization that provides support to the forestry agency for forest water quality protection activities in your state:*BMP Publication and/or Revision*

WVDOD (lead); WVDEP, Nature Conservancy, WVU (committee)

Logger Training

WVDOD (lead); WV Forestry Assoc., WVU, SFI of WV (partner)

Logger Certification

WVDOD

Forester Certification/Registration

WV Board of Registration for Foresters

Landowner Financial Assistance

WVDOD, USDA NRCS

Landowner Technical Assistance

WVDOD

Agency Training

WVDOD

Law Enforcement

WVDOD (lead), WVDEP (partner)

Compliance Monitoring

WVDOD

BMP Effectiveness Evaluation or Research

WVDOD (lead), WVU (partner)

*Watershed Planning**Land Use Planning*