NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION OF APPROVAL
for
Eligible Forest Land Under Section 480-a of the Real Property Tax Law

OWNER:

MAILING ADDRESS:

CITY: STATE: ZIP CODE:

TELEPHONE: HOME: ( ) OFFICE: ( )

COUNTY(S):

TOWN(S):

Municipal Code | ID Code | Roll Year | Total Acreage:

Roll ID: Acreage to be committed:

Tax Map Number: Taxable Status Date / /

Deed (Liber Page):

How are property lines marked?

The Owner may wish to consult with the assessor for some of the above information. See instructions on back

I (we) hereby apply for certification under Section 480-a of the Real Property Tax Law. I (we) attest that I (we) am (are) the sole owner(s) or responsible officer(s) of the corporation owning said property and that the eligible portion of the property is free of any encumbrance that would prevent the performance of silvicultural operations in accordance with the approved management plan. I (we) also agree to provide any additional information necessary to complete this application including two (2) copies of the management plan prepared in accordance with 6 NYCRR Part 199. B. To the best of my knowledge, the information provided as a part of this application is true and accurate.

I (we) hereby grant permission to NYS Department of Environmental Conservation employees, agents or representatives, to enter and inspect the above property for the purpose of determining eligibility.

SIGNED

On this ________________ day of ________________ 20 __ before me the undersigned personally appeared, ______________________ personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument, the individual(s), or the person upon behalf of which the individual(s) acted, executed the instrument.

State of New York

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 County of

 ) ss:

Notary Public
INSTRUCTIONS

1. NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS - Enter the names of all owners and the mailing addresses of the owner designated to receive all correspondence. If the owner is a private organization, or other organization, the designated responsible officer’s name should also be included.

2. COUNTY AND TOWN(S) - Enter all counties and towns in which the eligible portion of the property is located.

3. MUNICIPAL CODE AND TAX MAP NUMBER - Enter these numbers if applicable.

4. ROLL YEAR - Enter the year of the most recently completed assessment roll.

5. ROLL I.D. - Enter the assessment roll identification number.

6. I.D. CODE - Enter the type of assessment roll identification. If book, page, line, enter 1. If account number, enter 2. If tax map number, enter 3.

7. ACREAGE - Enter acreage breakdown for each town and/or county.

8. BOUNDARY LINES - Tracts without easily identifiable boundaries will not qualify for certification under the law.

SIGNATURE - All owners or the designated responsible officer must sign this form.

NOTARIZATION - Applications which are not notarized will be returned.

Send application form, location map and two copies of the management plan, including three type maps, to:
Regional Forester, Department of Environmental Conservation
at the address listed below which has jurisdiction for the county in which the tract is located.

ADDRESS
SUNY Campus, 50 Circle Road, Stony Brook, NY 11790-2356
21 South Putt Corners Rd., New Paltz, NY 12561-1696
Stony Kill Environmental Education Center, 79 Farmstead Lane
Wappingers Falls, NY 12590
1130 North Westcott Rd., Schenectady, NY 12306-2014
65561 State Hwy 10, Suite 1, Stamford, NY 12167-9503
1115 SR 86, PO Box 296, Ray Brook, NY 12977-0296
232 Golf Course Rd, PO Box 220, Warrensburg, NY 12885
701 South Main St., Northville, NY 12134
7327 State Hwy 812, Lowville, NY 13367
6739 US Hwy 11, Potsdam, NY 13676
225 North Main St., Herkimer, NY 13350-0089
1285 Fisher Avenue, Cortland, NY 13045-1090
2715 State Hwy 80, Sherburne, NY 13460-4507
7291 Coon Road, Bath, NY 14810-9728
6274 East Avon-Lima Rd., Avon, NY 14414-9519
182 East Union Street, Allegany, NY 14706-1328
270 Michigan Ave. Buffalo, NY 14203-2999

COUNTIES
Nassau, Suffolk
Orange, Rockland, Sullivan, Ulster
Duchess, Putnam, Westchester
Albany, Columbia, Rensselaer, Schenectady Delaware,
Montgomery, Otsego, Schoharie, Greene Clinton, Essex,
Franklin
Saratoga, Warren, Washington
Fulton, Hamilton
Jefferson, Lewis
St. Lawrence
Herkimer, Oneida
Cayuga, Cortland, Onondaga, Oswego, Tioga, Tompkins
Broome, Chenango, Madison
Chemung, Steuben, Schuyler, Seneca, Yates
Genesee, Orleans, Wayne, Monroe, Livingston, Ontario
Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua
Erie, Niagara, Wyoming