

STREAMSIDE MANAGEMENT ZONE (SMZ) PLAN

Landowner's Name: _____

Address: _____

Location: _____

(Attach a map indicating the location of streamside management zone, waterways, planned stream crossings, roads, main skid trails, and landings)

Area in streamside management zone (SMZ): _____ acres.

Width of SMZ (each side of stream): Range (min. – max. width) _____ feet;
Average Width: _____ feet.

Boundary of SMZ is marked with: _____ (color) _____ (paint or flagging).

Predominant tree species: _____

Current stocking density (basal area): Range (min. – max.): _____ sq. ft. / acre;
Average: _____ sq. ft./acre.

Average stocking to be retained: _____ sq. ft./acre. (Normally > 60 sq. ft. in trees > 6 in. DBH.)

Trees to be harvested are marked with: _____ color paint at eye level and on base.

Type of harvest within SMZ: _____
(Thinning, Selection, Shelterwood, Clearcut)

Regeneration will be from: _____
(Advanced reproduction, Seed, Sprouts, Planted seedlings, or N/A)

This SMZ Plan is used in conjunction with the Standard Erosion and Sediment Control Plan for this operation. All limitations for harvesting timber within a SMZ, as described in Specifications for Streamside Management Zone (SMZ), of the *2015 Maryland Erosion and Sediment Control Standards and Specifications for Forest Harvest Operations*, will be followed. Additional comments may be attached.

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Prepared by: _____
(MD Licensed Professional Forester) - Printed Name - Signature - Date

Agreed to by: _____
(Landowner) - Printed Name - Signature - Date

Approved by: _____
(Soil Conservation Dist.) - Printed Name - Signature - Date