

# PRIVATE FORESTS PUBLIC BENEFITS



## FOREST STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM

This program connects private forest owners with the information and tools they need to manage their forests.

The program also:

**HELPS MANAGE + SUSTAIN**

**24** MILLION ACRES



## LANDOWNERS WITH MANAGEMENT PLANS ARE

Proper management provides a variety of positive outcomes:

**KEEPING FORESTS MANAGED, HEALTHY, AND INTACT FOR PRESENT AND FUTURE GENERATIONS**

**3x** MORE LIKELY TO **MANAGE** THEIR LANDS



### WELL-MANAGED FORESTS PROVIDE:

**↑ RECREATION OPPORTUNITIES**

**↑ WATERSHED PROTECTION**

**↑ WILDLIFE HABITAT**

**↑ LOCAL JOBS**

**↑ TIMBER REVENUE**

THIS PROGRAM **SERVES 450,000** FAMILY FOREST LANDOWNERS ANNUALLY, THROUGH **TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE + EDUCATION.**

