REGION 1: FY2023 - FY2024
PREVAILING RATES FOR SUB-PRACTICES : NCFS FOREST DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

FDP PRACTICE	D4-New Bern			D7-Elizabeth City			D8-Whiteville			D13-Fairfield		
	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI
Site Preparation												
Burning	40	50	70	40	50	70	40	50	70	40	50	70
Chopping	130	150	165	130	150	165	130	150	165	130	150	165
KG or V- Blade Shear	180		205	180		205	180		205	180		205
KG & Pile	270		290	270		290	270		290	270		290
Rake & Pile	130		150	130		150	130		150	130		150
Bedding, Single	80		90	80		90	80		90	80		90
Bedding, Double or Savannah	90		105	80		105	90		105	80		105
V-Blade, Bedding	100	120	140	100	120	140	100	120	140	100	120	140
Chemical, Control - Site Prep	90	105	140	90	105	140	90	105	140	90	105	140
Other - SP, ARF Approval for (H) rate	50	100	200	50	100	200	50	100	200	50	100	200
Tree Planting												
Hand Planting												
Hardwood & Wetland Spp (60%)	160		190	160		190	160		190	160		190
Pine, Loblolly	85	95	105	85	95	105	85	95	105	85	95	105
Pine, Longleaf (60%)	100	115		100	115		100	115		100	115	
Pine, Shortleaf (60%)	65	85	100	65	85	100	65	85	100	65	85	100
Containerized Pine (Lob 40%)	140		165	140		165	140		165	140		165
Containerized Pine (LL/SL 60%)	140		165	140		165	140		165	140		165
Machine Plant Pine (Short/ LL 60%)	70	90	135	70	90	135	70	90	135	70	90	135
Machine Plant, Chem. (Short /LL 60%)	100	140	150	100	140	150	100	140	150	100	140	150
Machine Plant, Hwd (60%)	90		130	90		130	90		130	90		130
Labor Only		60			60			60			60	
Other - TP, ARF Approval for (H) rate	100	150	200	100	150	200	100	150	200	100	150	200
Release of Seedlings												
Chemical, Control - Release	65	75	90	65	75	90	65	75	90	65	75	90
Mechanical Control - Release	45	55	75	45	65	75	45	55	70	45	55	70
	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI
Forest Stand Improvement (FSI)												
Understory Release	80	100	120	80	100	120	80	100	120	80	100	120
Release of Seedlings	55	65	115	55	65	115	55	65	115	55	65	115
Cull-tree Removal	80	100	120	80	100	120	80	100	120	80	100	120
Crop Tree Crown Release	100	150	200	100	150	200	100	150	200	100	150	200
Non-Commercial Thinning	80	120	200	80	120	200	80	120	200	80	120	200

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FDP PRACTICE	D3-Rockingham			D5-Rocky Mount			D6-Fayetteville			D10-Lexington			D11-Hillsborough		
	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI
Site Preparation															
Burning	45		65	45		65	45		65	45		65	45		65
Chopping	130	150	165	130	150	165	130	150	165	130	150	165	130	150	165
KG or V- Blade Shear	150		180	150		180	150		180	150		180	150		180
KG & Pile	275		300	275		300	275		300	275		300	275		300
Rake & Pile	200		225	200		225	200		225	200		225	200		225
Bedding, Single	80		90	80		90	80		90	80		90	80		90
Bedding, Double	90		105	90		105	90		105	90		105	90		105
V-Blade, Bedding	135		155	135		155	135		155	135		155	135		155
Chemical, Control -Site Prep	80		135	80		135	80		135	80		135	80		135
Other - SP, ARF Approval for (H) rate	50	100	200	50	100	200	50	100	200	50	100	200	50	100	200
Tree Planting															
Hand Planting															
Hardwood & Wetland Spp (60%)	150		190	150		190	150		190	150		190	150		190
Pine (Loblolly)	85	95	105	85	95	105	85	95	105	85	95	105	85	95	105
Pine, Shortleaf/White Pine, LL (60%)	85	95	105	85	95	105	85	95	105	85	95	105	85	95	105
Containerized Pine (Lob 40%)	140		165	140		165	140		165	140		165	140		165
Containerized Pine (LL/SL 60%)	140		165	140		165	140		165	140		165	140		165
Machine Plant Pine (Short/ LL 60%)	90		130	90		130	90		130	90		125	90		130
Machine Plant, Chem. (Short /LL 60%)	100		150	100		150	100		150	100		150	100		150
Machine Plant, Scalp (Short /LL 60%)	100		140	100		140	100		140	100		140	100		140
Machine Plant, Hwd (60%)	90		130	90		130	90		130	90		130	90		130
Labor Only		60			60			60			60			60	
Other - TP, ARF Approval for (H) rate	100	150	200	100	150	200	100	150	200	100	150	200	100	150	200
Release of Seedlings															
Chemical, Control - Release	85		115	85		115	85		115	85		115	85		115
Mechanical Control - Release	80		115	70		90	70		90	70		90	70		90
	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI
Forest Stand Improvement (FSI)															
Understory Release	80	100	120	80	100	120	80	100	120	80	100	120	80	100	120
Release of Seedlings	55	65	115	55	65	115	55	65	115	55	65	115	55	65	115
Cull-tree Removal	80	100	120	80	100	120	80	100	120	80	100	120	80	100	120
Crop Tree Crown Release	100	150	200	100	150	200	100	150	200	100	150	200	100	150	200
Non-Commercial Thinning	80	120	200	80	120	200	80	120	200	80	120	200	80	120	200

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PREVAILING RATES FOR SUB-PRACTICES : NCFS FOREST DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

FDP PRACTICE	D1-Asheville			D2-Lenoir			D9-Sylva			D12-Mount Holly		
	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI
Site Preparation												
Burning	65	85	105	65	85	105	65	85	105	65	85	105
Chopping	155	185	205	155	185	205	155	185	205	155	185	205
KG or V- Blade Shear	170		200	170		200	170		200	170		200
KG & Pile	320	360	385	320	360	385	320	360	385	320	360	385
Rake & Pile		150			150			150			150	
Bedding	25	35	40	25	35	40	25	35	40	25	35	40
Chemical, Control - Site Prep	100	140	170	100	140	170	100	140	170	100	140	170
Other - SP, ARF Approval for (H) rate	50	100	200	50	100	200	50	100	200	50	100	200
Tree Planting												
Hand Planting												
Hardwood & Wetland Spp (60%)	210	260	290	210	260	290	210	260	290	210	260	290
Pine Loblolly (40%)	100	115	125	100	115	125	100	115	125	100	115	125
Pine White/Shortleaf/Longleaf (60%)	100	115	125	100	115	125	100	115	125	100	115	125
Containerized Pine (Lob 40%)	135		165	135		165	135		165	135		165
Containerized Pine (LL/SL 60%)	140		165	140		165	140		165	140		165
Machine Plant Pine (Short/ LL 60%)	75	90	110	75	90	110	75	90	110	75	90	115
Machine Plant, Chem. (Short /LL 60%)	110	135	150	110	135	150	110	130	150	110	130	150
Machine Plant, Hardwood (60%)	200	250	280	200	250	280	200	250	280	200	250	280
V-Blade Planting	75	85	110	75	85	110	80	90	110	75	85	110
Labor Only		60			60			60			60	
Other - TP, ARF Approval for (H) rate	100	150	200	100	150	200	100	150	200	100	150	200
Release of Seedlings												
Chemical Control - Release	100	125	150	100	125	150	100	125	150	100	125	150
Mechanical Control - Release	50	100	110	50	100	110	50	100	110	50	100	110
	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI	LOW	MED	HI
Forest Stand Improvement (FSI)												
Understory Release	100		150	100		150	100		150	100		150
Release of Seedlings	80	100	160	80	100	160	80	100	160	80	100	160
Cull-tree Removal	80	100	120	80	100	120	80	100	120	80	100	120
Crop Tree Crown Release		150	250		150	250		150	250		150	250
Non-Commercial Thinning		150	250		150	250		150	250		150	250

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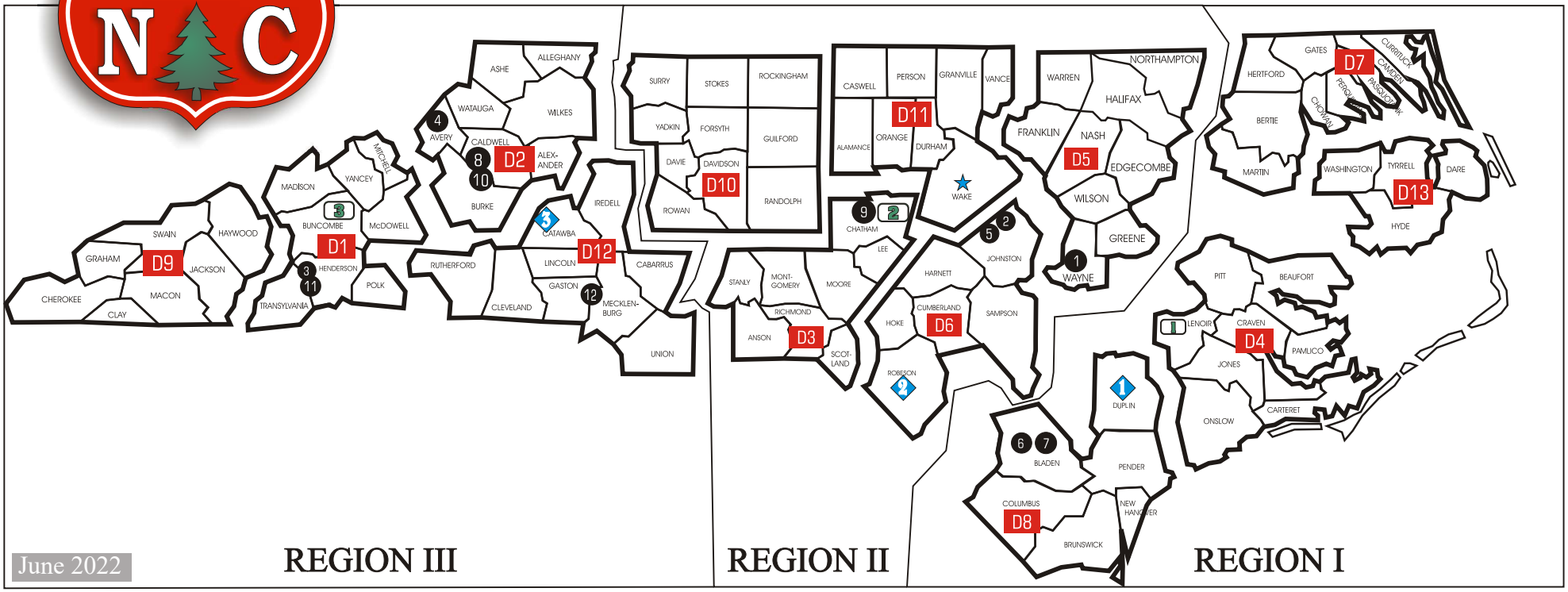

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