

# Cortes Forestry General Partnership

## FIREWOOD FREE USE PERMIT APPLICATION

### Community Forest License K4G CAR Main October 27, 2019

This free use permit is intended for Cortes Island residents to access wood waste within the permitted area of the 2019 CAR Main Road right of way for domestic use firewood. All wood waste within the harvested areas and right-of-way area is available for removal. This permit grants permission to collect domestic use firewood only. Fill in and sign the form below and keep in the vehicle when collecting firewood. No other areas in the Community Forest are open for firewood collection at this time.

Do not cut any logs painted in pink with “Not Firewood” or “Not FW”.

Do not cut any logs in the 2 Cedar Log Piles painted with “Not Firewood” or “Not FW” in pink paint letters.

Removing specialty wood products other than cord wood is strictly prohibited by law.

The sale of firewood obtained under this permit is strictly prohibited by law. Please be courteous to other firewood cutters and abide by the conditions listed below:

-Wear personal protective equipment, including chainsaw pants or chaps, ear protection, eye protection, sturdy boots and a hard hat. Please be conscious of your own safety and the safety of those around you. Be sure to secure your load before driving away, and drive slowly and cautiously with your headlights on while on bush roads.

-Do not block roadways. Park off to the side leaving a clear path for other vehicles. Do not leave debris on the road surfaces.

-Do not fall and standing live or dead timber. Do not cut any windfall. Do not pull logs out from beyond the timber edge. Firewood cutting is restricted to wood waste within the cleared areas only. Please be aware of potential hazards, such as logs that may shift or roll.

-Do not block ditches or culverts with wood and debris.

-This permit is intended for domestic use only. It is against the law to sell any wood obtained from this area without prior consent from the CFGP.

-Please respect the neighbouring community and only operate within reasonable daylight hours.

**-Persons engaged in firewood cutting in this designated area will assume all risk of loss, injury and liability, and save harmless to the Crown and the CFGP from all and any claims.**

**Community Forest #:**

**K4G**

**Licensee:**

**Cortes Forestry General**

**Partnership**

**DATE: October 27, 2019**

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RESIDUE AND WASTE SURVEYS COMPLETE: NO

-Fill out and sign the permit application on the following page and carry the permit application with you when are CAR Main Logging Road.

FREE USE PERMIT APPLICATION

**Name:**

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**Address:**

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**SUBJECT REF:** Authority to remove firewood from designated firewood logs scaled at roadside along CAR Main on or after October 27, 2019. Follow the link below for a map of the road.

<http://www.cortesforestrypartnership.com/wp-content/uploads/Cortes-Carrington-Road-Instruction-Map-20180730-draft.pdf>

Permission is granted to remove firewood within Community Forest K4G, Green Mountain operating areas as per map. This firewood is for personal use only or donation only. **and cannot be sold**. This permit is valid until \_\_\_\_\_. A maximum of 2 pickup loads can be removed. This firewood will be transported in a \_\_\_\_\_ (make) \_\_\_\_\_ truck, BC licence # \_\_\_\_\_.

Cutting of any trees other than those designated by this permit is in violation with Section 52 of the *Forest Practices and Range Act*, constitutes a trespass and will be dealt with accordingly.

**Please read carefully, as you are giving up the right to pursue legal action.**

Persons engaged in firewood cutting in this designated area will assume all risk of loss or injury and save harmless the Crown and the CFGP from all and any claims.

**THIS PERMIT MUST BE CARRIED WHEN TRANSPORTING FIREWOOD.**