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**SUBJECT: Approved 2016/2017 Annual Work Schedule
Algonquin Park Forest Management Unit**

Dear Sir/Madam:

The 2016/2017 Annual Work Schedule for the Algonquin Park Forest Management Unit is approved as of March 14, 2016. On the reverse is a copy of the public inspection notice that will be appearing in several newspapers in communities that surround Algonquin Provincial Park.

Please feel free to contact any of the offices listed in the public notice to discuss Algonquin Park forestry operations for the coming year. Ontario Parks staff and staff of the Algonquin Forestry Authority would be pleased to go over any details with you.

Yours truly,

David Coulas
Park Superintendent
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INSPECTION

Inspection of Approved 2016 - 2017 Annual Work Schedule Algonquin Park Forest

The **Algonquin Park Office** of the Ontario **Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry (MNRF)** has reviewed and approved the Algonquin Forestry Authority (AFA) April 1, 2016 – March 31, 2017 annual work schedule (AWS) for the **Algonquin Park Forest**.

Availability

The AWS will be available for public inspection at the AFA Offices in Huntsville and Pembroke and the MNRF public website at ontario.ca/forestplans beginning **March 14, 2016** and throughout the one-year duration. Ontario Government Information Centres at 400 Pembroke Street East in Pembroke, 447 McKeown Avenue in North Bay and 207 Main Street West in Huntsville provide access to the Internet.

Scheduled Forest Management Operations

The AWS describes forest management activities such as road construction, maintenance and decommissioning, forestry aggregate pits, harvest, site preparation, tree planting and tending that are scheduled to occur during the year. Beyond Park access points, all forest access roads are closed to the general public.

Tree Planting and Fuelwood

The AFA is responsible for tree planting on the Algonquin Park Forest. Please contact the Area Forester, AFA Pembroke Office (see address below) for information regarding tree planting job opportunities or for obtaining fuelwood.

More Information

For more information on the AWS or to arrange an appointment with MNRF staff to discuss the AWS or to request an AWS operations summary map, please contact:

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