Following is your Free Use Permit which allows you to cut dead and down wood for firewood in the
100 Mile House Natural Resource District. Please fill in the blanks, sign the Permit, and carry it with you when cutting
firewood. Cutting of firewood without this Permit could result in confiscation of the wood and charges under the Forest

FREE USE PERMIT FOR FIREWOOD

I

(NAME OF PERMITTEE and ADDRESS)

hereby agree to the following conditions:

1. The firewood is for personal use and not for resale or use in commercial operations;
2. The maximum volume to be cut under the permit is 10 cords or 35m³;
3. Ensure that the firewood is cut from vacant Crown land;*
4. All material over 15 cm (6") in diameter, that is to be removed from the site, will be cut into firewood length
   (less than 1m) on site;
5. Cut stumps as low as possible to the ground;
6. Clear all falling and bucking debris from roads, roadside ditches and streams, and lop all branches from felled trees and
   scatter them close to the ground;
7. NOT to cut any trees marked for the preservation of wildlife;
8. NOT to cut dead standing Douglas Fir trees over 65 cm (25.6 inches) in diameter at a 30 cm (1 foot) stump height.
   These are to be left for wildlife and birds;
9. NOT to cut any live, green trees (coniferous or deciduous) or remove any Forest Company's log decks for firewood.
   Doing so is an infraction against the Forest and Range Practices Act and subject to penalty charges;
10. NOT to cut firewood from woodlots without the owner's permission;*
11. NOT to cut firewood from First Nations Woodlands Licence areas without First Nations permission;*
12. NOT to cut firewood from Community Forest Agreement areas without the community's permission;*
13. NOT to cut any trees within a Forest Companies flagged harvest boundary. The flagging is typically orange in colour
    and may be labelled “block boundary”;
14. NOT to clear or construct any access trails;
15. NOT to drag logs or timber over or along any public highway, except as authorized by a permit from the Ministry of
    Transportation and Infrastructure.

I will assume responsibility for any damage, injury claim, or expense that the Crown faces as a result, directly or
indirectly, of the activities carried out in connection with this permit.

This permit is not valid until it is signed by the Applicant and is valid for 1 year from the date of issuance.

DATE

PERMITTEE SIGNATURE

Pat Byrne, District Manager,
100 Mile House Natural Resource District

*Areas where firewood cutting is not allowed are shown on the “Free Use Permit for Firewood Reference Map” located at the
100 Mile House Natural Resource District Office or online at www.for.gov.bc.ca/dmh/