

## Summary of Public Comments and Responses

Prior to the public consultation period, two teams were created to develop and review the Order for Non-spatial Landscape Biodiversity Objectives in the Mackenzie Forest District. The Landscape Objectives Working Group (LOWG) became the Data Management and Analysis Team (DMAT) and the First Nations team. DMAT meetings were held with the forest licensees and Forest Stewardship staff from the Mackenzie Forest District. The First Nations team meetings progressed until site specific information became available and then meetings were held with affected First Nations. Comments received were addresses wherever possible.

### **Public Comments**

No comments were received on this plan from the general public. A copy was emailed to a staff member of one of the licensees who requested a copy.

### **Government Agencies**

The Ministry of Forests and Range were involved in the development of this document and any changes requested were done in consideration of the Data Management and Analysis Team review.

The Regional Stewardship Forester was concerned about the enforcement of this document. A subsequent review by the Attorney General revised some of the wording and formatting of the document to cover these concerns.

### **Forest Tenure Holders**

All the forest tenure holders were involved in the development of this document and any changes requested were done in consideration of the Data Management and Analysis Team review.

### **First Nations**

Two First Nations had questions regarding the impact of this Legal Order on work they are in the process of doing. In both cases, this Legal Order will provide clarity and simplicity to what they are doing so no adjustments were made to the document.