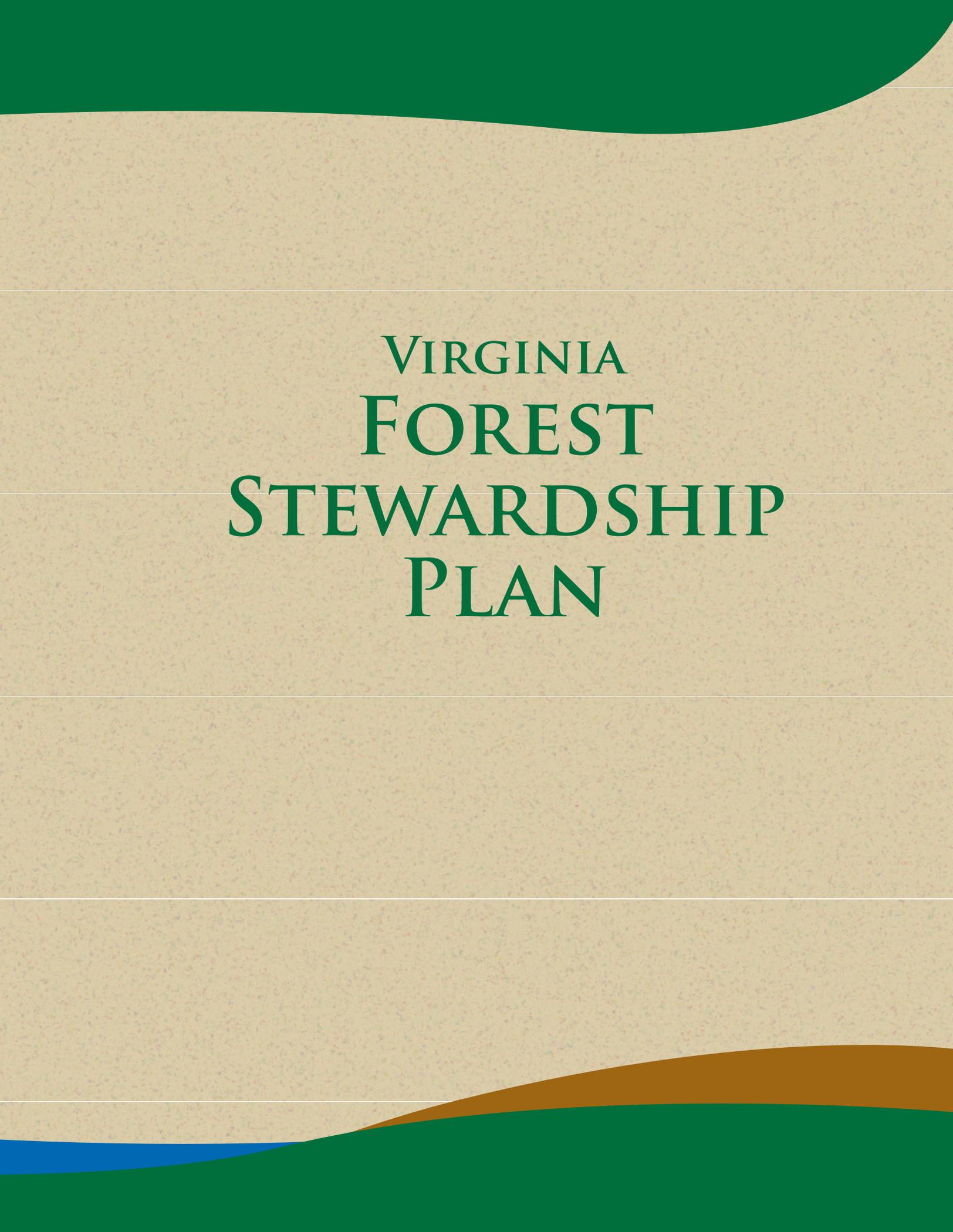




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***Congratulations on
Becoming One of a Very Special Group of Virginians...
A Forest Stewardship Landowner!***

When people hear the word “stewardship,” all kinds of thoughts and ideas come to mind. Yet, stewardship can be summed up in just six words: Your Land; Your Plan; Your Legacy! It’s truly that simple.

Working with a VDOF or consulting forester, you walk the land and discuss your goals and objectives. The forester takes those notes and prepares a customized blueprint – a stewardship plan – for you to follow. By implementing the recommendations, your goals can be realized. Whether you want to see more wildlife, grow bigger and better timber or help the environment, you will have made your land better than it was when you started, thereby leaving an enduring legacy for your family and friends.

Having a stewardship plan puts you into a very special group of Virginians, and I commend you for taking this important step toward enhancing your land. I invite you to use your blueprint as a roadmap to success. While, at times, you might find the journey to be long and somewhat arduous, you’ll be most pleased “when you arrive!” The result is sure to engender a spirit of pride, but remember that you won’t be alone. Your VDOF forester is just a phone call or email away should you have any questions or need to make some changes along the way.

Thank you for helping to ensure a healthy and vibrant forest for generations to come!

Your State Forester