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Forestry Equipment Safety Checklist

A safety checklist for forestry equipment covering chainsaws, skidders, winches, and protective gear used in woodlot work.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

ITEM	OK	FIX	N/A
Saws and tools inspected	☐	☐	☐
Skidder or tractor ROPS and guards	☐	☐	☐
Winch cable and hooks checked	☐	☐	☐
Chokers and chains inspected	☐	☐	☐
Hard hat, chaps, and boots worn	☐	☐	☐
Fuel and first aid supplies ready	☐	☐	☐
Communication plan in place	☐	☐	☐
Hazard trees and lines identified	☐	☐	☐
Emergency plan reviewed	☐	☐	☐

NOTES / REPAIRS NEEDED

TIP Never work alone in the woods without a check-in plan, and consider training from your extension forester.

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