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Capacity Forest Management Ltd.

Working with First Nations

Corby Lamb-President
Capacity Forest Management Ltd.

- 41 years in the BC Forest Industry.
- Responsible for management of 750,000m3 of Annual Cut (AAC) on the Central Coast and Haida Gwaii.
- Developed many FN relationships which are still in place today.
- Representative at the Central Coast Land Use Table (Great Bear Rainforest).
- Represented the Coastal Forest Industry on the Coast Information Management Team which was responsible for the development of Eco System Based Management (EBM) on the North and Central Coasts.
- Represented licensee as an alternate on the Bill 28 discussions which led to 20% of the Provincial harvest being re allocated to FNs, BCTS and Community Forests.
- Left Industry in 2003 to form Capacity Forest Management Ltd.
- Sit as a Director and Advisor to several FN Corporate Boards.
- Represent FN Licensees on high level Coastal and Provincial Forest Issues Forums.
- Involved in Forest Certification over the course of career due to the areas in which we operated.

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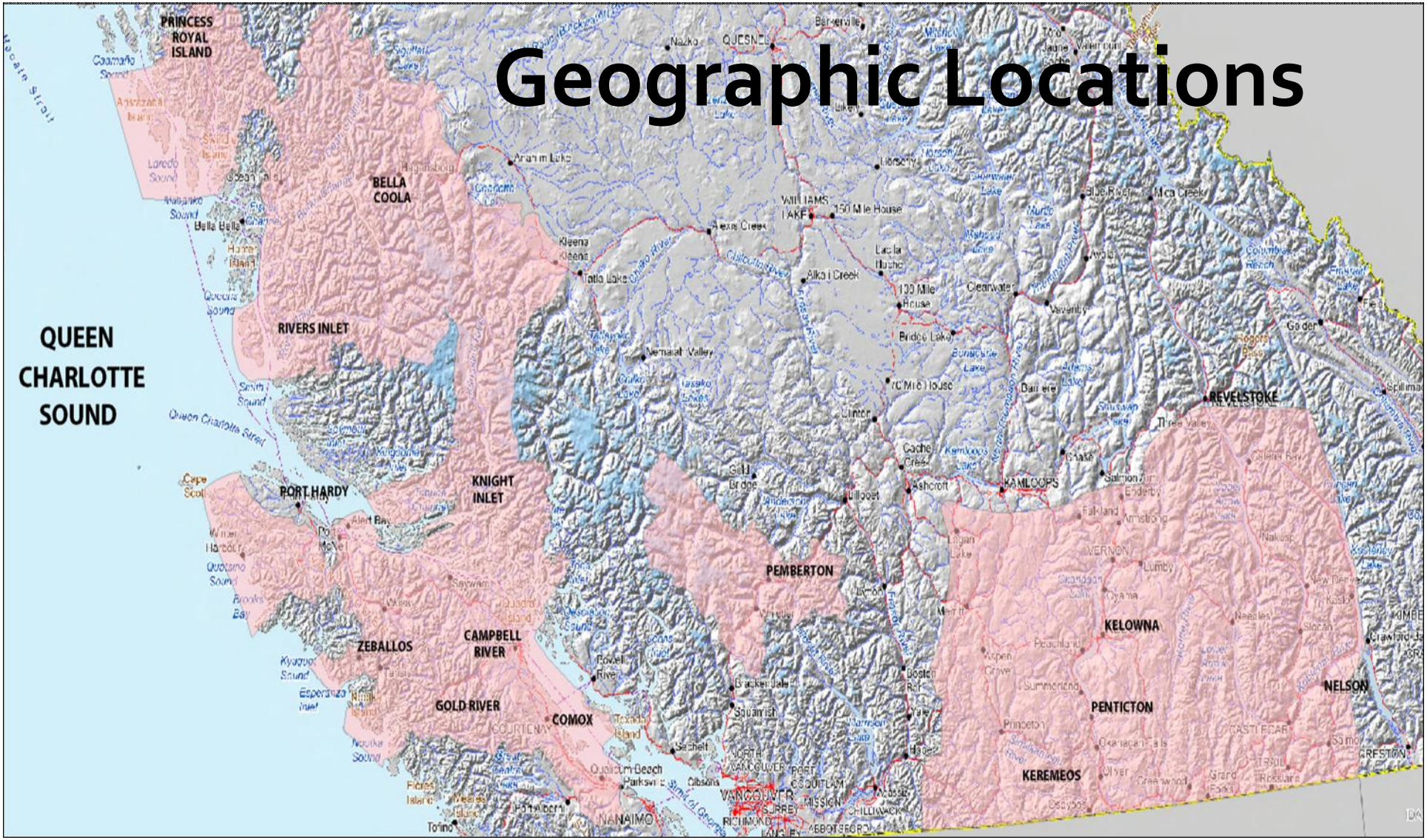

Capacity Forest Management Ltd.

- 100 % First Nation Client base.
- Approx 5 million cubic meters in over 40 licenses including Woodlots, Community Forests NRFLs and Replaceable Licenses.
- Relationships are the key to our success along with developing profitable opportunities.
- We are involved in the communities we work in .
- We employ FN workers in our work if there are available people in the community.
- Trust and Transparency are the cornerstones of our company.

Services

- Through Associates we:

1. Set up Corporate Structure.
2. Provide full scope Accounting.
3. Financial Reporting to Audit for INAC.
4. Brokerage and Financing of Operations.

- In House Services:

1. Safe Company Certification.
2. Liaison with Government.
3. Stumpage Management.
4. Engineering and Forestry.
5. GIS Mapping Services.
6. Harvest Supervision
7. Silviculture to Free to Grow.
8. Results reporting and monitoring.
9. SFI Certification of Licenses.

Capacity Forest Management Ltd.

- Our structure creates economy of scale for our Clients.
- Business and Politics are separated through corporate structure.
- Clients control 100% of their business's with our advice and experience.
- 100% of the profits return to the Client.
- Profits are usually used for benefits that improve culture and community life.
- Certification is key to all FN Economic Development.
- SFI Certification enhances our ability to manage sustainably , gain market access and provides connection to strategic plans.

Ryan Clark, RPF – Forestry Manager

- Background And Experience
- Collaboration Amongst Communities
- How SFI Was Chosen
- Lessons Learned Thus Far

Collaboration Amongst Communities

- Differences
- Similarities
- Objectives

How SFI Was Chosen

- Market Demand
- Competitive Advantage In Difficult Times
- Pride In Ownership Over Resources

Lessons Learned Thus Far

- Challenges
- Benefits
- Continual Improvement

Questions?

Thank you