# British Columbia Forest and Range Evaluation Program (FREP)

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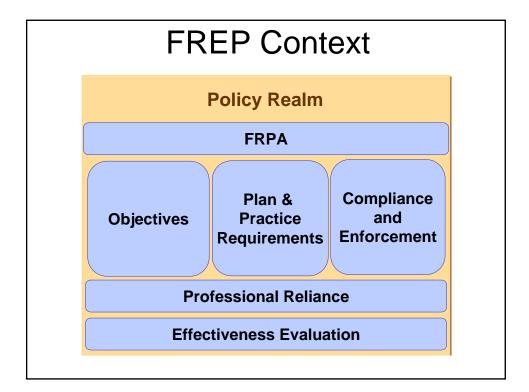


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#### Overview of British Columbia



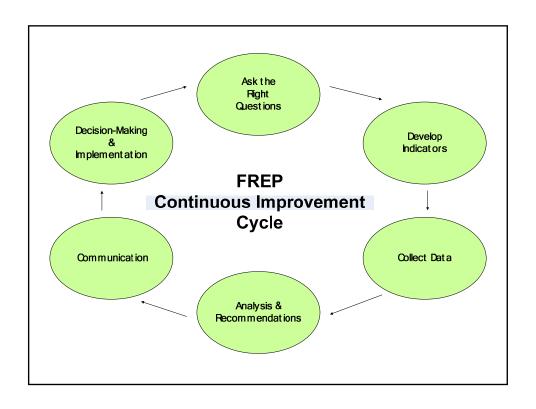


#### **FREP Purpose & Objectives:**

- Determine if forest and range policies and practices are achieving government's objectives
- Assess the effectiveness of legislation
- Identify implementation issues
- Identify continuous improvement opportunities

#### **FREP Mission**

To be a world leader in resource stewardship monitoring and effectiveness evaluations; providing the science-based information needed for decision-making and continuous improvement of British Columbia's forest and range practices, policies and legislation.



### **Biodiversity Question**



Is stand-level retention providing the range of habitat with the structural attributes understood as necessary for maintaining the species dependent on wildlife trees and CWD?



## **Cultural Heritage Question**

"Are cultural heritage resources being conserved, and where necessary protected for First Nations cultural and traditional activities as a result of forest practices?"





#### **Process Indicators**

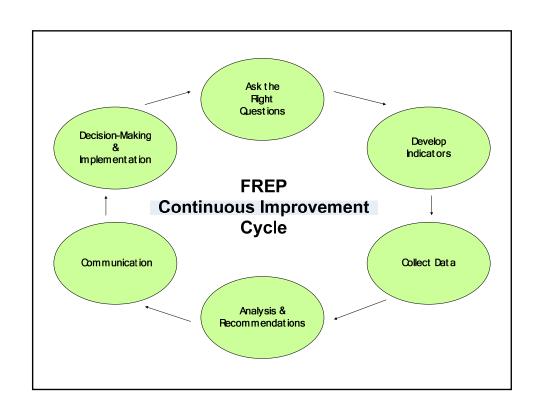


- Forest management planning participation
- Communication of cultural heritage information
- Capacity
- Plans incorporate conservation or protection

#### **Outcome Indicators**

- Site specific
  - Cultural trails
  - Sacred or spiritual sites
- Landscape scale
  - Cultural cedar management
  - Wildlife and fisheries management in FN territories





# FREP Quality Management





























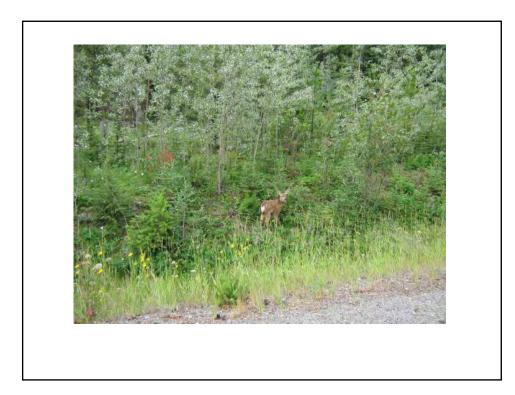






















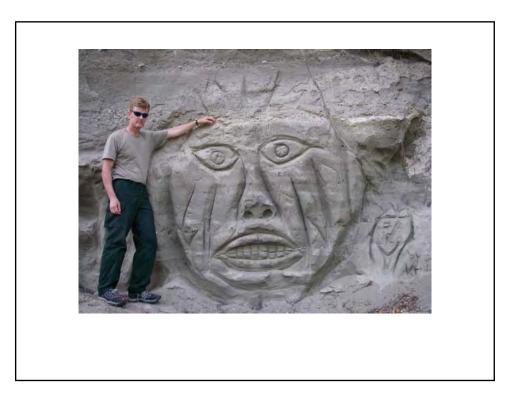


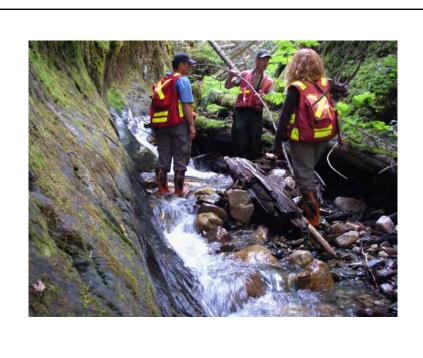


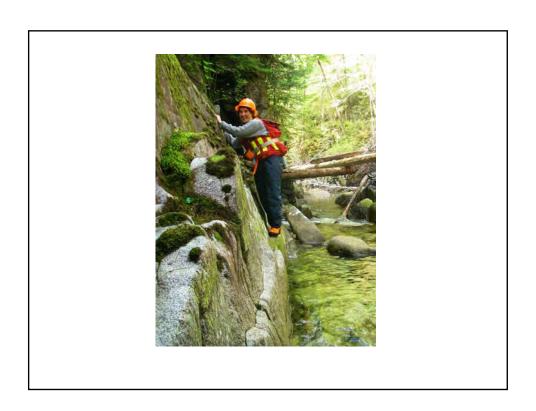










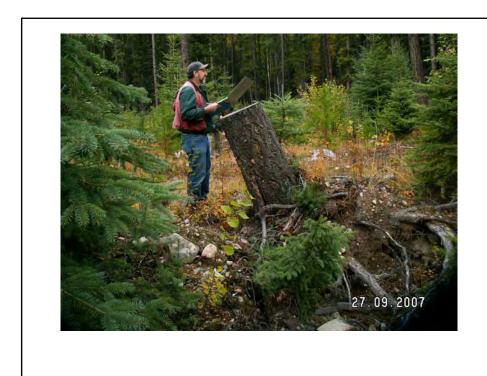
























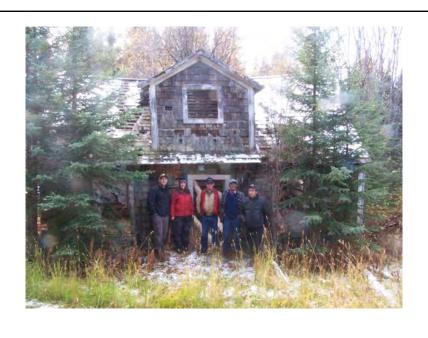












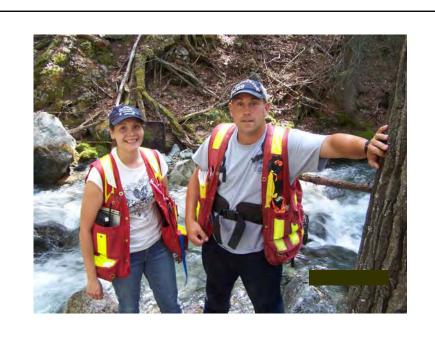


















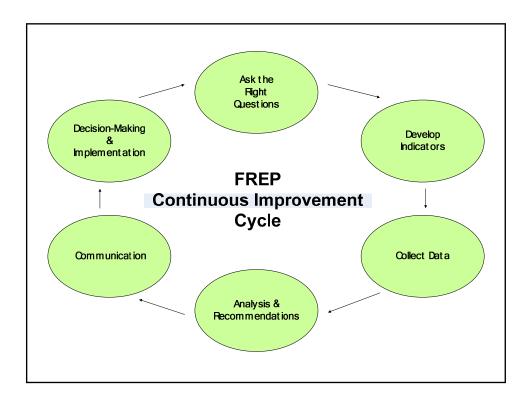


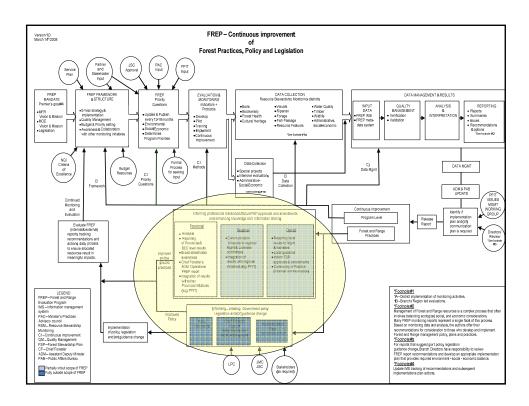


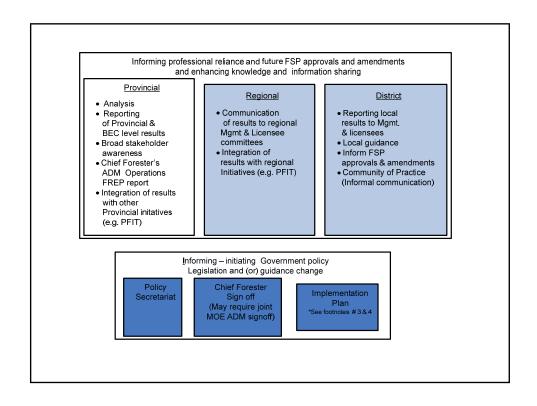




## Communication – Information Sharing









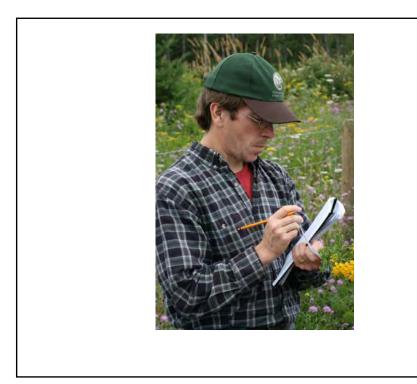




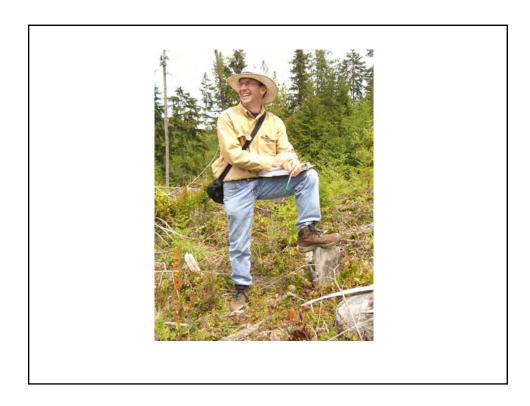












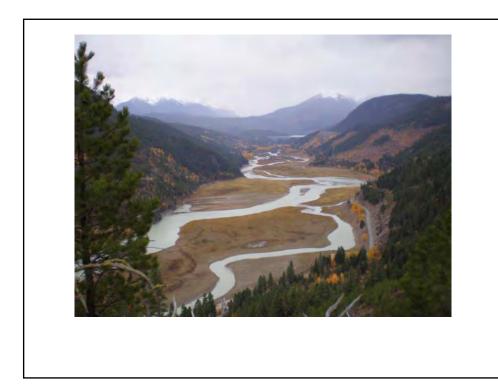




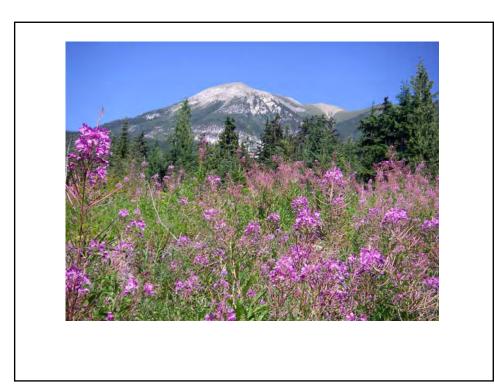








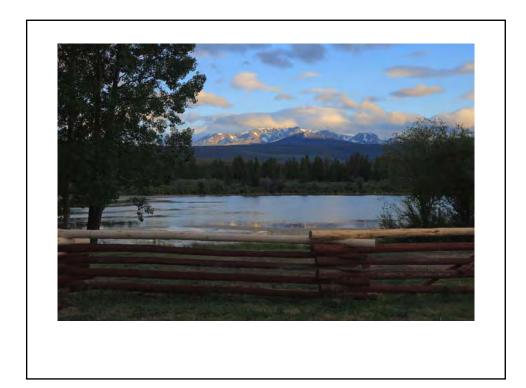


















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