

**2016 EQIP
FUNDING**

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY INCENTIVES PROGRAM

**APPLICATION
DEADLINE
07.17.2015**

VOLUNTARY | TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE | FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

EQIP FUNDING IS AVAILABLE FOR A VARIETY OF FOREST STEWARDSHIP PROJECTS, INCLUDING:

Develop a forest management plan
Pre-commercial thinning
Tree and shrub planting
Invasive species removal
Snag, downed log & habitat pile creation
Erosion control
Fuels reduction & slash abatement

Forest road & landing decommissioning
Fish passage projects
Bird nest boxes
Hedgerow planting
Improving pollinator habitat
Pruning
And many more!

**THE CURRENT DEADLINE TO APPLY FOR 2016 EQIP FUNDING IS
FRIDAY, JULY 17, 2015**



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NCF field staff are qualified to help you with forest management plans and habitat restoration projects. Contact NCF's Kirk Hanson, Director of Northwest Certified Forestry (NCF), at 360-316-9317 or kirk@nnrg.org.

Contact your local NRCS office for application assistance. In Skagit County, the local office is the Mount Vernon Service Center, located at 2021 E College Way, Mount Vernon, WA 98273, Phone: 360-428-7684 x 131

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