

Find enclosed an application packet for Conservation Use or Forest Land Conservation Use

When completing the application:

- Include a daytime phone number (M-F 8:30 am – 5:00 pm) on the application card.
- The minimum acreage requirement for **Conservation Use is 10 acres.**
- The minimum acreage requirement for **Forest Land Conservation Use is 200.01 acres.**
- Include the number of acres in timber and agricultural land.
- Initial each point, and sign the application. **Signatures must be notarized.**
- Complete the enclosed application forms **answering all questions.**
- Include any supporting documentation you have concerning the use of the property, such as how many trees are planted, the age of the trees, or when they were last harvested. If available, a timber management plan is preferred.
- In the case of agricultural land, include any information supporting the sale of hay or agricultural products, or costs incurred for production.
- Include a check in the amount of **\$12.00** for the recording fee per application for **Conservation Use** payable to **“Clerk of Superior Court.”** This will be returned if the application is denied or if you decide to withdraw the application.
- Include a check in the amount of **\$18.00** for the recording fee per application for **Forest Land Conservation Use** payable to **“Clerk of Superior Court.”** This will be returned if the application is denied or if you decide to withdraw the application.

Once completed, return the application packet to our office and we will schedule an appointment to review the information and inspect the property. The resulting information, along with staff recommendation, will be forwarded to the Board of Assessors for their consideration.

If you have any questions please call Scott Rountree at (706) 821-2321