

General Update

January 31, 2018

Harvesting:

Jerry Plummer is logging wood up Swift Creek for Larry Simpson, Canfor and Carrier. Block SC06.

Mickelson logging on blocks W12 and W13 up the Westridge. Just finished W13.

Roads:

No road construction at this time.

Dave Antoniuk is maintaining roads.

Mill Site:

CVH post and rail side is set to start operations March 2018 est.

Sort Yard:

Delivered an bunch of loads into yard this fall and have scaled and sorted wood. Contacting local mills to see if they want any of the loads available. Yard to be cleared out in spring.

Planning/Other:

Reference numbers have been acquired and we are burning piles. Only a few sensitive piles remaining that require a north wind to direct smoke away from Valemount.

We have received 8 resumes for the Wood Supervisor position. Committee is reviewing and will meet soon to discuss and set up interviews.

Greenstar is laying out blocks up Swift Creek and up Westridge.

We have found two fire preparedness plans for that Valemount area completed in 2005 and 2012. We plan to use these as a base and update as needed.

Grants:

Advisian has completed all field work and soil sample tests came up clean. Waiting for final report.

Silviculture:

Will have started inputting logging and silviculture activities into database and into RESULTS. Due march 31, 2018.

We Purchased roughly 250,000 pine A class seedlings worth of seed from PRT nurseries. We have had trouble in the past acquiring A class pine seed and this seed purchased has perfect elevation limits for our operations. Cost \$14,646.