

# The Family Forest

## Community Guidelines



[The Family Forest](#) is a community created by the [American Forest Foundation](#) for forest landowners and those who support them to share advice and resources, ask questions, and celebrate accomplishments. Please follow these cultural guidelines to help us create a comfortable and constructive space for all members.

### We encourage members to:

- **Create posts with a clear purpose:**  
Please use clear subject lines and self-explanatory content to communicate with the community. Refrain from posting links only, for example.
- **Be authentic:**  
This is a space for you to be yourself and genuinely connect with others. We encourage you to be vulnerable and support others in doing the same.
- **Be respectful:**  
In order to foster an authentic community, it is important that we foster a community of respect. A good rule of thumb is to only say things online that you would say directly to someone in-person. While you may not always agree with others in this community, please be respectful of their thoughts and opinions.
- **Be considerate:**  
Post content that you think would be valuable to other members and not content that is inappropriate or harmful. Posts related to sales, advertising, conspiracy-theories, misinformation, or personal politics will be removed.

We strive to create a safe space for community members. Managers of The Family Forest and its groups will use their best judgment to determine if a post should be removed and reserves the right to remove anyone from this community who does not adhere to these guidelines. If you have any concerns, please direct them to <mailto:info@forestfoundation.org>.