

The Forest Products Commission (FPC) is committed to meaningful and constructive engagement with our stakeholders.

The FPC's Stakeholder Engagement Strategy sets out our engagement goals, commitments and a reporting framework to inform on our performance.

Our engagement goals are:

1. Stakeholder confidence – stakeholders trust us to deliver sustainable forestry in Western Australia.
2. Stakeholder inclusivity – a diverse range of stakeholder interests are represented through appropriate and equitable participation opportunities.
3. Stakeholder value – stakeholders value and directly benefit from the stakeholder engagement process.

The FPC commits to:

1. Meet statutory requirements by operating in accordance with relevant legislation, and applicable codes and standards.
2. Establish a process for engagement, allowing time for discussion and consideration.
3. Encourage stakeholder participation and provide opportunities for meaningful stakeholder engagement.
4. Engage with a wide range of stakeholders and understand their needs, expectations and interests.
5. Identify relevant stakeholders and keep them informed about our activities.
6. Create opportunities for stakeholders to provide feedback.

We will keep stakeholders informed on our achievements in stakeholder engagement and raise awareness of the Western Australian forestry industry and our operations via multiple channels, including:

- maintaining the flow of information on our external website and via social media;
- providing accurate and prompt information to the media;
- community outreach and public education initiatives; and
- reporting on stakeholder engagement measurables via our external website and in the FPC Annual Report.

Stakeholder engagement is an essential part of our business and our strategy for effective engagement will provide the following benefits:

1. Shares experiences – stakeholders have opportunities to engage and have their needs and interests heard.
2. Manages conflict – reducing conflict and outrage before it emerges.
3. Tailors solutions – helping to find solutions to complex problems.
4. Collective strength – improving decision-making through information sharing and education.
5. Improves trust – building stronger stakeholder networks based on trust and transparency.



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