

**PRICE COUNTY FORESTRY AND PARKS
ASPEN TWIG GATHERING PERMIT**

Permittee's Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Address: _____ **City:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Fee: \$150.00 - Payable in advance and not refundable.

The above Permittee is hereby authorized and permitted to gather Aspen Twigs, subject to the conditions listed below:

A. Location in which Gathering is Permitted: _____

B. Conservation or Public Health or Safety Provisions:

- (1) **Gathering may only take place in designated areas and only on designated species.**
- (2) **Access and use of equipment off of the existing roads must be approved by the County Forestry and Parks Administrator in advance. No vehicles will be allowed behind gated or bermed trails.**
- (3) **Twigs being gathered on road right-of-ways will require written permission from the municipality of jurisdiction.**
- (4) **Further provisions:** _____

C. This permit is valid from _____, 20___, until August 31, 20___, and gathering authorized under this permit may not be conducted outside of this period.

D. Standard Provisions:

- (1) **The permittee must possess this permit at all times while gathering or transporting the gathered Aspen Twigs.**

- (2) While gathering or transporting the Aspen Twigs, this permit must be presented by the permittee upon request by any county representative.
- (3) The permit holder assumes all responsibility to gather in designated area only and to assure that he/she is on County Forest property.
- (4) The permit holder assumes all responsibility for his/her own protection and agrees to hold County harmless for any accident or injuries that may happen to themselves or others.
- (5) All roads and trails shall be kept open at all times and may not be damaged.
- (6) No skidding equipment may be utilized without written permission from the County.
- (7) No permittee shall transfer this permit or allow the use thereof by any other person.
- (8) Violations of this permit or any conditions of gathering stated herein shall be determined by the County Forestry and Parks Administrator and will result in the revocation of such permit. Violations may also subject the permittee to an assessment for any actual damage caused or prosecution for violation of 26.05 (timber theft) or 943.13 (trespass), Wis. Stats., or other applicable statutes, County Park and Forest ordinances. Section XXIII(B).
- (9) The permittee agrees to comply with the state timber theft, slash, fire, and litter laws. No gathering may be conducted during emergency forest fire bans.
- (10) Existing regeneration and/or residual trees may not be damaged.

I have read, understand, and agree to the conditions of this permit.

Dated: _____ **Signature:** _____
Permittee

Dated: _____ **Signature:** _____
Price County Forestry and Parks Representative