

Pulp and paper companies agree to guiding principles

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should be brought more deeply into the process. So we would bring in a stakeholder committee made up of people like outfitters, trappers, Indian bands, naturalists, local anglers and hunters, the local chamber of commerce—people who have a stake in the management of the resources in a community.”

These groups would be involved in writing the plan before it goes to the province for approval, says Rotherham.

He admits that the guidelines in part are an attempt to shore up the poor environmental image people associate with pulp and paper companies.

“Yes, it is a reaction (to bad publicity),” he says. “But you know, a lot of people believe that companies are monoliths, that the people that work for them aren’t really part of society. Well, this obviously isn’t true.”

Rotherham says that pulp and paper workers, like the rest of society, have been influenced by the growing concern for the environment that has affected all of society.

“I think what we’re seeing is the effects of a general societal change manifesting itself among the companies,” he says. “We’re just doing things differently because, during this period of time, people want them done differently.”

In addition to increased pub-

lic involvement, the companies plan to spend a projected \$5 billion between 1990-1994 on environmental protection measures, and to submit to independent audits of mills to ensure that the guidelines are being followed.

“The thrust of the principles is that we will meet or exceed government standards for forest management, and that we will encourage public awareness of forest management standards and practices,” says Rotherham.

The guidelines also conform to the principles set out for forest management by the United Nations Earth Summit, being held in Brazil this week, says Rotherham.

“We want to do the whole job better, and we’re spending a lot of money to do it better,” he says.

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