STONE SALES

A permit is required to collect stone on State Forest land. Rates for stone are set by Bureau policy.

A permit is valid for collection of **loose stone ONLY**. Loose stone is stone that rests on, and is taken from, a surface or slope on State Forest land, that does not lie in a mechanically excavated pit and is collectable by hand. This does not include cut stone that was used for foundations to include old barn, home, and other foundations. Collecting foundation stone is prohibited.

See the reverse side of this pamphlet for requirements.

AREAS CLOSED TO STONE COLLECTION

- Collection of any foundation stone to include old cabin, home, and barn foundations is prohibited.

- Collection of any river rock, stream cobble, bank stone, or other rock material from a stream, stream channel, stream bed, stream bank, or other stream feature is prohibited.

- Collection of rock within the riparian buffer of 100 feet from the stream bank edge is prohibited.

- Collection of stone from areas that contain rattlesnake dens, rattlesnake basking areas, woodrat habitat, wetlands, or any other ecologically sensitive area is prohibited.

- Stone collection in Natural Area and in Wild Plant sanctuaries is prohibited.

- Collection of bridge abutment stone, culvert headwall and tail wall stone, deer fence base stone, or road or stockpiled stone is prohibited.

For more information

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In the event of an emergency, contact a state forest employee or dial 911.

If you become lost: stop, stay calm, stay put, & dial 911. The further you walk the longer it will take to find you.
Hand collection of stone is the only method of collection permitted on State Forest land.

- Permit must be displayed on the windshield of your vehicle while collecting stone, and shown to State Forest personnel upon request.
- Stone collected under this permit is intended for non-commercial use only. The re-sale of any stone is strictly prohibited and punishable by law.
- Loose stone is sold at $5.30 (tax included) per ton, with a minimum charge of $10.60. Check or Money Order Only
- Permits issued are required to be for a minimum of 2 tons, and a maximum of 10 tons.
- The maximum allowable cumulative tonnage of all permits issued to any one person in a given calendar year is 10 tons.
- Term of the permit shall not exceed 30 days, regardless of tonnage purchased.
- Specific location for collection must be established before permit is issued and properly noted on the permit. No more than 1 location is permitted on any one permit.
- No cutting of trees or disturbing other vegetation.
- Keep the roadway clear: park far enough off to the side to enable traffic to pass, and throw any unwanted stones off the road.
- Fires of any type are not permitted. Keep the roadway clear. Park far enough off to the side to enable traffic to pass, and throw any unwanted stones off the road.
- No fires or disturbing other vegetation. It is unsafe to collect mountain stone during rite deer season.
- The Commonwealth shall not be liable for any accident, injury, or damage.fire sales are prohibited on State Forest land. Stone collected and shown to State Forest personnel upon request. Stone collected during this permit is strictly prohibited for non-commercial use only.
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