



## KEY ACHIEVEMENTS

- ForestFit™ standard and scheme achieved national endorsement by JASANZ.
- Secured 5 year Victorian Government Forest & Fire Services Agreements for harvesting contracting businesses
- Working to ensure industry continuity following establishment of the Great Koala National Park in NSW.
- Selected as a lead industry partner for a project under the \$10 million federally funded Forest Worker Training Program.

## MEMBER BENEFITS



# AFCA

Australian Forest Contractors Association

# A MESSAGE FROM OUR CHAIR

Dear colleagues,

GMT Logging has been a member of AFCA for over 10 years and in that time I can honestly say we have derived great value from our membership. I know by renewing our membership each year, the work AFCA does to represent our interests to forest owners, industry suppliers, regulators and all levels of Government will continue. As will the many benefits offered as part of your membership.

Personally, I find it very rewarding to get involved in shaping our industry by attending AFCA functions, regional meetings, and events. Sure, I probably do this more than most, but when I do it is just like a reunion, catching up with so many of the inspirational people who are fellow forest service providers. Even better, many more new friendships are formed and networks created. I also get to mingle with our fantastic & supportive sponsors, who are always ready to offer information on new products or innovations from anywhere they have found it.

AFCA also sees me finding myself in some fantastic parts of the country, witnessing first-hand the struggles and triumphs you all experience in carrying out the wide variety of work we undertake. From steep country, to flat and boggy; harvesting, haulage, planting, pruning, roadbuilding; we are a diverse, flexible, and innovative lot!

I guess my message to you this year is to stay connected with AFCA and make the time to join us whenever you can, as you will not regret it. Stay safe and I hope to see you soon.

Sincerely,



Adan Taylor  
Chair, AFCA Board of Directors

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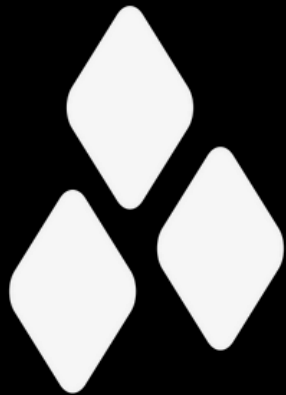
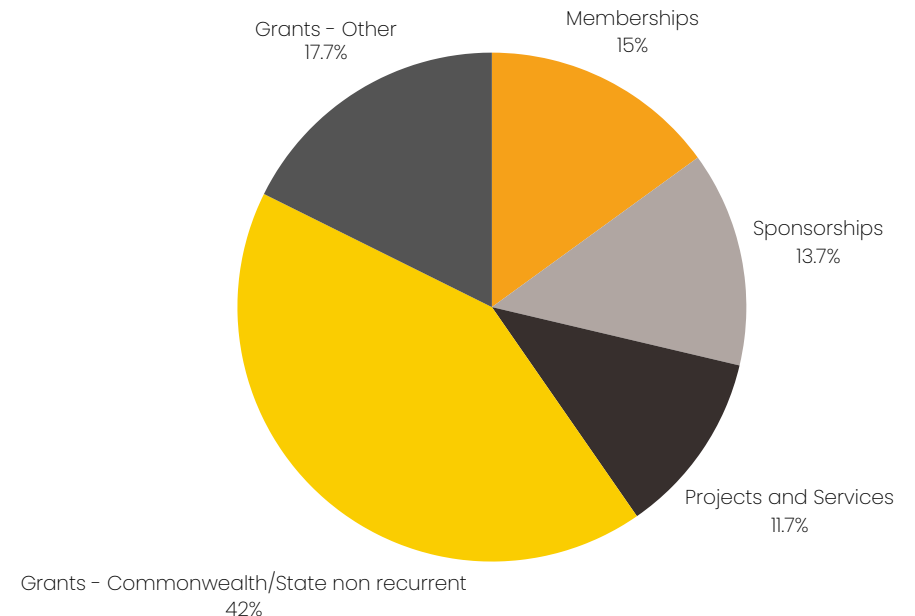
# ABOUT AFCA

AFCA's diverse membership includes all forest services such as, harvesting, haulage, civil works, silviculture and minor forest products. We keep members, the supply chain and government informed on the latest advancements and best practices for a sustainable and thriving industry.

For almost 25 years, AFCA has worked to enhance business outcomes for forest services and ensure the long-term sustainability of our working forests. We provide value through industry collaboration, government advocacy, and impactful services.

AFCA actively engages with government, industry stakeholders, and the community to shape policies that drive positive change. Our advocacy efforts create an environment that supports member success and industry growth.

## Average annual revenue



AFCA is a lean member organisation governed by a volunteer Board of Directors who are supported by our General Manager, Tim Lester and a Business Administrator.

Tim brings more than two decades of experience in government and industry, focusing on natural resource management, sustainable agriculture, biosecurity, and rural innovation.

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Joining AFCA as a member gives you a voice in industry and government initiatives that affect your business.

Our strong partnerships create a powerful network that fosters innovation, sustainability and long-term success.

Membership offers valuable insights, networking opportunities and a seat at the table shaping the industry's future.



## WORKING FOR YOU

### More control over your business

- Development of the ForestFit™ Standard and Certification scheme to provide forest contracting businesses a way to reduce duplication in audits and assessments, which means less downtime.
- Commitment of 9 leading growers to the Australian Forest Industries ForestFit™ Memorandum of Understanding to ensure your investments in business practice and performance are recognised.

### Safety first

- National Professional Freight Task Management program rollout to improve safety for truck drivers.

### Skills for success

- First AFCA Masterclass series ran to support current and emerging business leaders improve critical skills for business success.

### Recognising achievements

- Over 200 contractors inducted into the industry Hall Of Fame since 2002.

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# MEMBER FEES

Join us in our mission to support and promote a viable forest industry and a sustainable future. Contact us today should you have any queries regarding membership and how AFCA can help elevate your business and amplify your influence within the forest industry.

## Harvest and/or Haulage

Production tonnes per annum

Less than 100K	\$1445
Between 100K-250k	\$2550
Between 250-500k	\$3970
More than 500k	\$5550

## Subcontractor

Sole provider subcontracting to forest services businesses. \$1025

## Supporter

Supply chain (eg) forest growers, managers, mills, processors, education and research institutions, other supporting organisations. \$1445

## Silviculture

Establishing, growing and/or ensuring health, and quality of forests. \$1445

## Civil & Other Forest Products

Construct, manage or maintain infrastructure forestry projects or produce industry related products. \$1445

## Individual Supporter

Individuals either active or retired who support forest products industries. \$355

NB: All amounts are ex GST



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