



The Washington State Sustainable Forestry Initiative Implementation Committee ([WA SIC](#)) is honored to recognize the **2020 Exceptional Logging Contractor** for their outstanding commitment to the Timber Industry and the [Sustainable Forestry Initiative®](#):

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T&B Logging, Colville, WA

T & B Logging had its start in the mid 1990's. Laurin Tanner is a native of NE Washington and has been in the industry since 1982 building the business by creating trust with both small landowners and his employees. With 7 pieces of equipment and 5 employees, T&B Logging delivers 6,000 mbf per year to the local mills, managing the required permits to delivering the logs. While the majority of tracts operated on are smaller, T&B has provided operations for large tract landowners as well. Laurin focuses on regular safety meetings and long term employment knowing that it is key to a successful business operation.

Laurin has been a Master Logger since 2001. His training and commitment to conservation and natural resource utilization supports the Sustainable Forestry Initiative and the Master Logger Program by combining professionalism with efficiency and production. The greatest value in his day-to-day operations is the recognition of the role that protecting resources improves the quality of riparian habitat and good stewardship of the land.

T&B Logging will be presented with a plaque to recognizing their contribution to the timber industry. We would like to thank the Sustainable Forestry Initiative for its commitment to insuring a sustainable future. Thank you to the [Washington Contract Loggers Association](#) for implementing and maintaining the Master Logger Program through training and continuing education of Logging Professionals in Washington State.