

Bluesource – Hawk Mountain Improved Forest Management Project

ACR 375

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and The Nature Conservancy**



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F. ENVIRONMENTAL AND COMMUNITY IMPACTS

F1. NET POSITIVE IMPACTS

The below identify Sustainable Development Goals to which the project aligns and positively contributes:

Sustainable Development Goal	Target	Project Action
6. Clean Water and Sanitation	6.6 By 2020, protect and restore water-related ecosystems, including mountains, forests, wetlands, rivers, aquifers, and lakes.	The goal of the project proponent in committing to protecting water-related ecosystems is documented in the Forest Management Plan and the implementation of Best Management Practices when conducting forest management activities on the property. The watershed protection goals of the project proponent can be found detailed in the “Primary Goals & Objectives” and “Water Resources” section of the Forest Management Plan.
13. Climate Action	<p>13.1 Strengthen resilience and adaptive capacity to climate-related hazards and natural disasters in all countries.</p> <p>13.2 Integrate climate change measures into national policies, strategies, and planning.</p>	<p>The goal of the project proponent in committing to sustainable forest management practices will be to continually sequester and prevent intensive forest management as described in both Section B6 and in Section E of this GHG Plan, respectively.</p> <p>The climate-related goals of the project proponent can also be found in their Forest Stewardship Plans in the “Goals & Objectives” and “Forest Carbon Considerations” sections.</p>
15. Life on Land	15.1 By 2020, ensure the conservation, restoration and sustainable use of terrestrial and inland freshwater ecosystems and their services, in particular forests, wetlands, mountains, and drylands,	The conservation goals of the project proponent can be found detailed in the “Primary Goals & Objectives” section, the “Forest Ecosystem Health” section, “Forest Health Monitoring” section, “Species Composition and Diversity”

	<p>in line with obligations under international agreements.</p> <p>15.2. By 2020, promote the implementation of sustainable management of all types of forests, halt deforestation, restore degraded forests and substantially increase afforestation and reforestation globally.</p> <p>15.a. Mobilize and significantly increase financial resources from all sources to conserve and sustainably use biodiversity and ecosystems.</p>	<p>section, and the “High Conservation Value Areas” section of the Forest Management Plan.</p>
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