

December 2014 Grey County Up-Dates

1. By Law Enforcement Officers Monthly Report.

We have received 199 applications for Permits this year and I have completed 231 site visits. The breakdown of this month's site visits are as follows, Chatsworth 4, West Grey 4, Grey Highlands 3, Georgian Bluffs 1, Southgate 1 and Blue Mountains 1.

Last 10 years total permits issued by year 2014(199) 2013(217) 2012 (213) 2011(176) 2010(203) 2009(157) 2008(146) 2007(167) 2006(333) 2005(322) Again this year prices for both hardwoods and pines are strong and should remain strong as long as the Canadian dollar is low.

2. Forest Management Technician's Report.

Bester Forest products has finished Lily Oak hardwood cut, good job well done and the cedar at Dornoch Krug tract should be cut this winter.

Tenders for all Grey County forests to be harvested in 2015 will be closing on January 8th, we will then know our revenue for this year.