



AGRICULTURE & FORESTRY *HALL* FAME

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Randy was born and raised in Parkersburg and graduated from WVU with a degree in Forestry. He spent two decades as a forester in land management in GA, NC, and VA. In 1999, he returned to West Virginia when

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he was appointed Director of the Division of Forestry. He was an active member of the National Association of State Foresters and served two consecutive terms as the group’s President. Randy made an effort to spend time in the field with his foresters and was a vocal advocate for best management practices. Randy retired in 2017 after 18 years with the state. He passed away in 2024.