

Clark W. Seely CF

Mr. Seely is a professional forester and currently president of Seely Management Consulting, Inc. He has over 39 years of experience in forestry, natural resource management and organizational leadership. His consulting practice and expertise focuses on natural resource policy and organizational management. The company was created in 2010 following his retirement from the Oregon Department of Forestry (ODF) as the Associate State Forester, after 35 years of public service. During his ODF career, for five years from 1994 to 1999, he was the Director of Fire Protection and Management, responsible for the agency's protection of approximately 16 million acres of forest and wild lands with a protected value at risk of \$60 billion and administration of the Oregon Smoke Management Plan for approximately 26 million acres of forest land across the state. He is also currently adjunct faculty with the Natural Resource Policy and Administration Master's Program at the University of Florida, School of Forest Resources and Conservation.

Mr. Seely has been a member of the Society of American Foresters (SAF) since 1977, was elected Fellow in 1996, and became a Certified Forester® in 1997. He was the 2012 recipient of the Society of American Foresters' *John A. Beale Memorial Award*, recognizing his long-term leadership, dedication and contributions to the forestry profession. He is currently the SAF National Vice-President, and will be President in 2016.

Mr. Seely graduated with honors from the Oregon State University College of Forestry with a Bachelor of Science degree in Forest Management. He is a graduate of the Covey Executive Excellence Program. He currently resides in New Smyrna Beach, Florida.