Marko Bey

Non-Profit Entrepreneur Ecological Forestry and Wildland Fire Contracting Professional Forest Restoration and Ecosystem Management Practitioner

Non-Profit Management

Program Development
Funding Acquisition
Grant Development & Management
Agreement Management
Fiscal Planning & Management
Board Management
Strategic Planning
Community & Partnership Engagement
Public & Media Relations
Human Resources

Forestry & Wildland Fire Contracting

Contract Procurement & Acquisition Service Contract Management Timber Sale Contract Management Wildland Fire Contract Management RFP Solicitation Development Technical Proposal Development Workforce Management Operations Leadership Personnel Management Compliance and Safety

Forest Restoration & Ecosystem Management

Forest Plan Writing
Burn Plan Development
Riparian Revegetation
Project Preparation (pre-sale)
-ICO tree & veg marking,
unit layout
Habitat Restoration planning
Prescribed Fire Experience
Tree Faller and Climber

Professional Experience

Executive Director, Founder, Lomakatsi Restoration Project (1995-Present)

Lomakatsi is a non-profit, grassroots organization that develops and implements forest and watershed restoration initiatives, programs, and projects in Oregon and northern California. Lomakatsi's mission is to "restore ecosystems and the sustainability of communities, cultures and economies". For the past 24 years, our team of foresters, ecologists, eco-cultural experts, forest workers, and fire professionals have worked to restore dry forest ecosystems, create fire adapted communities, and provide economic opportunities by creating jobs and sending logs to local mills. Lomakatsi has provided leadership in establishing restoration agreements covering hundreds of thousands of acres across Oregon and Northern California. These partnerships and initiatives infuse millions of dollars per year into local communities, supporting hundreds of jobs and creating resilient ecosystems.

President/CEO, Founder, Lomakatsi Ecological Services Inc. (2006-Present)

Lomakatsi Ecological Services (LES) Inc., is the for-profit subsidiary that is wholly owned by Lomakatsi the non-profit. LES provides prescribed fire, wildland fire suppression and restoration forestry services, working across Oregon and California on public, private, and tribal lands.

Forest Worker, Inspector & Workforce Manager (1988-1995)

Worked as lead laborer, inspector, agency liaison, and workforce manager for forestry and reforestation contract service providers in Oregon and California. Projects on Forest Service and BLM administered lands across 6 Western States as a member of the mobile reforestation workforce. Projects involved high production tree planting, riparian revegetation, pre-commercial thinning, cone collection, and associated service work. Companies: Flowing Sap Reforestation; Oxygen Limited Inc.; Mountain Reforestation; Pacific Oasis Forestry

Current Professional Memberships

- Southern Oregon Forest Restoration Collaborative, Board President (Vice President, 2016-2019, Board member 2010-2016) https://www.sofrc.org/
- Northwest Forest Workers Center, Board Vice President (Board President, 2006-2018/ Board Member, 2003-2006) https://nwforestworkers.org/