



## **CHILLICOTHE WOODLANDS PULPWOOD SPECIFICATIONS**

### **HARDWOOD PULPWOOD:**

All species of hardwood are accepted except osage orange.

### **PINE PULPWOOD:**

All species of pine and spruce will be accepted. No cedar or juniper will be accepted.

### **PULPWOOD MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:**

1. Pulpwood may range from 12 to 25 feet in length, and wood must be 4 to 24 inches in diameter. Do not mix short pulpwood (12 to 16 feet) and long pulpwood in the same rick.
  - Satellite Woodyard locations required lengths of 13-22 feet with loads made up of primarily long lengths of 21-22 feet (21-22 feet are the desired lengths). No solid loads of short pulpwood will be accepted.
2. Limbs, knots and shattered ends must be trimmed flush with the stick and small branches removed. Forks and crotches must be completely removed.
3. We must be able to cut the crook out of a stick so that it will go through a 24" cylinder.
4. Pulpwood must not have sap rot or heart rot more than 50%. Dead or burned wood will not be accepted.
5. Pulpwood may not contain metal or plastic of any kind.
6. Pine pulpwood will not be accepted with Southern Pine Beetle damage. No dead pine accepted.

### **LOADING OF TRUCKS:**

Trucks must be loaded so that all wood is at least 12 inches from the bulkhead ("headache rack"). Tractor-trailers hauling two ricks must have the ricks completely separated by at least 12 inches. If a truck is considered unsafe to unload for any reason, including wood above the standards, it will not be unloaded. There must be 11 feet of clearance between standards, and 10 inches unobstructed clearance between the wood and the trailer frame.

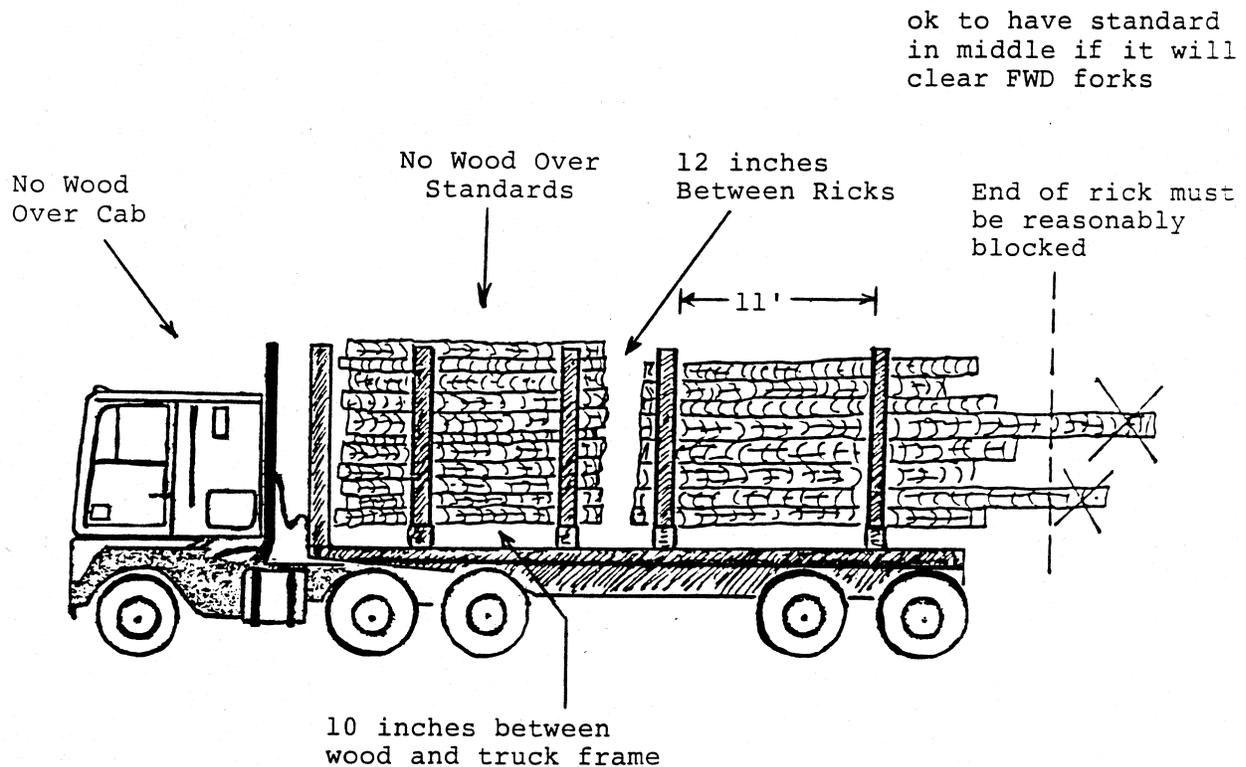
Make sure that all hoses and electrical lines are protected from this area. It is all right to have a standard in the middle, as long as it is in such a position that it does not hit the FWD forks during unloading.

VIOLATIONS:

Any truck containing pulpwood not meeting these guidelines and any truck not meeting the safety guidelines **will not be unloaded. These loads will be refused and the entire load will be sent back.**

Do not mix hardwood and pine in the same rick.

Pixelle reserves the right to randomly inspect any or all loads and to take appropriate action on non-compliance with specifications, including warnings, deductions, rejection of load or contract suspension.



For the safety of the truck driver, hard hats and safety glasses must be worn at all times while on the Woodyard. HiViz hardhat or outer clothing is required. Please deposit all trash in trash cans to help cut down on chip pile contamination. Thank you for your cooperation.

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