



## Moving Forward - Pulling It All Together

Liming, tree planting, lichens, blueberries, lakes and streams. How do we pull all these elements together and know when to do what and where?

The answer is the 5-Year Operations Plan. This plan will identify the interventions that will be applied to specific areas within a five-year period. The plan will be used to determine specific requirements for liming, tree planting, understory plants, and labour.

The Operations Plan will need to consider a large number factors, including property access; traffic volumes due to road re-construction in summer; plant availability from various sources; aerial liming; and more.

VETAC has considerable experience in coordinating multiple considerations in the development of operations plans. As such, VETAC will oversee the development of the 5-Year Operations Plan.

The 5-Year Plan will also identify research requirements to measure progress of local ecological recovery.

In addition to the 5-Year Operations Plan, the actions, responsibilities and timelines for various elements of this ecological recovery plan are outlined in the tables that follow.