

## **THE NATURE CONSERVANCY, INC.**

A Washington Post Expose:

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2007/06/26/AR2007062600803.html>

Here is TNC wrecking a certified Adirondack trout stream:

<http://www.northcountrypublicradio.org/news/story/17348/20110322/nature-conservancy-loggers-accused-of-damaging-adirondack-trout-stream>

Here is TNC partnership with Plum Creek Timber, logging Montana forests so aggressively a judge stopped the cutting. Plum Creek Timber clearcuts forests so aggressively they have been called the “Darth Vader” of the timber industry by Slade Gorton, ex “Timber” Senator from Washington State.

<http://forestpolicy.com/2016/02/25/tnc-terminated-logging-agreement-with-plum-creek-following-illegal-logging/>  
<http://flatheadbeacon.com/2016/02/29/nature-conservancy-ends-logging-on-swan-valley-legacy-lands/>

TNC Chairman of the Board, Roger Milliken Jr. was a timber industry lobbyist:

<http://www.mainebiz.biz/article/20081229/CURRENTEDITION/312299998/maine-timber-exec-takes-reins-at-the-nature-conservancy-%7C-roger-milliken-brings-a-multifaceted-perspective-to-the-top-spot-at-the-nature-conservancy>

President of TNC, Mark Tercek, who makes about \$500,000 each year was previously a director at Goldman Sachs:

<http://readersupportednews.org/pm-section/27-27/23829-coverup-the-nature-conservancy-goes-corporate>

Here is TNC tied to BP:

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2010/05/23/AR2010052302164.html>

TNC drilling on a protected reserve:

<https://www.nytimes.com/2014/08/04/science/group-earns-oil-income-despite-pledge-on-drilling.html>

In NY State they are “Bedfellows” with timber industry pushing for tax breaks to facilitate more forest cutting:

[www.maforests.org/StrangeBedfellows.pdf](http://www.maforests.org/StrangeBedfellows.pdf)

In Massachusetts, TNC argued in favor of a 400% increase in logging, most of it clearcutting, on state public forests.

[www.maforests.org/Report.pdf](http://www.maforests.org/Report.pdf) p. 36 and 37

Some of the corporations on TNC’s “Business Council”: Dow Chemical, Duke Energy, Monsanto, BP, Chevron

[www.nature.org/about-us/working-with-companies/businesscouncil/index.htm?redirect=https-301](http://www.nature.org/about-us/working-with-companies/businesscouncil/index.htm?redirect=https-301)

Here are more articles about the sad “Green Inc.” phenomena:

<https://www.counterpunch.org/2018/01/17/the-collaboration-trap/>  
<https://www.thenation.com/article/wrong-kind-green/>  
<https://wildernesswatch.wordpress.com/2014/12/11/so-called-conservation-groups-betray-wilderness/>  
<http://maforests.org/Collaborators.pdf>

And here is some more information about timber industry propaganda:

<https://vault.sierraclub.org/sierra/200009/timber.asp>  
[http://www.maforests.org/Timberspeak-Timber\\_Industry\\_Propaganda.pdf](http://www.maforests.org/Timberspeak-Timber_Industry_Propaganda.pdf)