

Recognized since 2001 as one of “Canada’s 50 Best Managed Companies”, Hayes is the leading forest services provider in British Columbia. With the broadest service offering in the industry, Hayes has been known for innovation and integrity since 1922. Based in Duncan, British Columbia, Hayes continues to be privately held by the Hayes family.

Our vision is to be the preferred forest services provider in British Columbia.

Our Services

Hayes Forest Services Limited

Hayes provides a full range of forest services, including all phases of conventional and helicopter logging, fire-fighting, forestry and engineering and timberland management. With the broadest service offering in the industry, there is very little we can’t do for our customers.

We manage a broad base of operations throughout British Columbia. Our forest services include forestry and engineering, falling, ground and high lead yarding, helicopter yarding, loading, hauling, dryland sorting, scaling, booming, road construction and maintenance and timberland management.

Hayes Helicopter Services Limited

Through our subsidiary, Hayes Helicopter Services Limited, Hayes owns and operates a fleet of three Sikorsky S-61N “Shortsky” and four Bell 206 helicopters for helicopter logging, fire-fighting and construction work. Our helicopter operations are fully accredited by Transport Canada. We use our helicopters to complement our full range of forest services.

Helicopter Component & Airframe Overhaul

Hayes operates a Transport Canada and European Aviation Safety Agency approved Helicopter Component & Airframe Overhaul facility for the specialized maintenance of S-61N and Bell 206 series helicopters. We overhaul and repair all components, airframes and airframe systems for each aircraft type, and repair and maintain Sikorsky S-61N engines in our new Engine Overhaul Facility. We service our own helicopters and various customers from around the world. Hayes is one of only a handful of facilities worldwide with the expertise to repair and overhaul Sikorsky S-61N helicopters.

Heavy Equipment Repair & Overhaul

Hayes operates a Heavy Equipment Repair & Overhaul facility which specializes in the overhaul and maintenance of all makes and models of heavy equipment for the forest, trucking, road building and construction industries. This facility provides services for Hayes' fleet of heavy equipment and for third parties, including other contractors, equipment dealers and owners. Hayes operates a quality fleet of 750 vehicles, manages an inventory of over 1,800 stationary pieces of equipment and 12,000 parts/supplies.

Our Certifications

The Environment

Hayes is one of the few private forest service providers to have achieved our own independent ISO 14001:1996 Certification. This means that our Environmental Management Systems (EMS) have been audited by Deloitte Touche and judged to comply with the International Standards Organization environmental management best practices.

Quality

Hayes is one of the few private forest service providers to have achieved our own independent ISO 9001:2000 Certification. This means that our Quality Management Systems (QMS) for Forestry & Engineering, Helicopter Component & Airframe Overhaul and Heavy Equipment Repair & Overhaul have been audited by Deloitte Touche and judged to comply with the International Standards Organization quality management best practices.

Our People

Hayes employs both salaried and USW hourly employees. We have over 75 different jobs at Hayes, ranging from conventional ground crews to aircraft mechanics to IT programmers.

Our employees live all over Vancouver Island, travelling to the job site from as far away as Victoria, Port Renfrew, Campbell River and Zeballos. Due to the diversity of the work, many of our helicopter logging staff are from the Lower Mainland, and the Northern and Interior regions of BC.

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Our Senior Management Team

Donald P. Hayes, President

Harold F. Hayes, Senior Vice-President

Jeffrey D.P. Hayes, Vice-President, Safety & Certification

Mary G. Robinson, CGA, Vice-President, Business Performance

Glen Golbeck, Vice-President, Operations

Our History

Hayes is a name that has been long-associated with the forest industry. In 1922, Douglas Hayes developed the legendary Hayes logging truck with the revolving bunk system, a design innovation that became the industry norm and is still widely used today.

In 1957, the next Hayes generation commenced contract logging. Hayes continues to be privately owned by the third generation of the Hayes family. The family is directly involved in the day-to-day operations of the Company and includes Donald P. Hayes, President & CEO; Harold F. Hayes, Senior Vice-President; and Jeffrey D. P. Hayes, Vice-President, Safety & Certification.

Hayes has expanded rapidly through the acquisition of several well-known local companies and also through the development of in-house helicopter logging, forestry and engineering and other services.

Today, Hayes is the largest private forest services provider in British Columbia and enjoys a leadership reputation in the industry.

Hayes is committed to being the preferred forest services provider and maintaining and growing our position in the forest industry for many years to come.

For further information, please visit www.hayes.bc.ca.

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