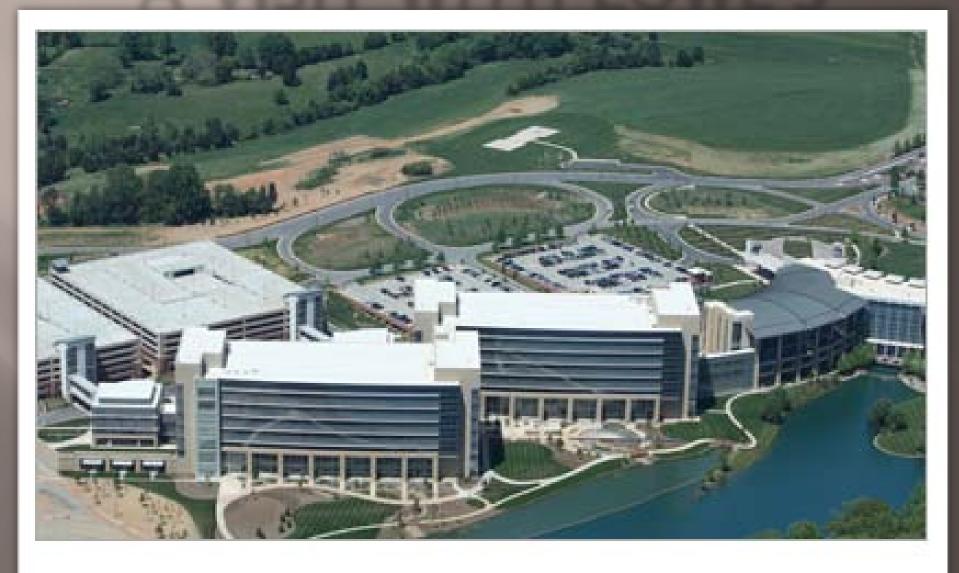
A VISIT WITH LOWE'S



Why Lowe's?





How Lumber Is Sold to J.Q. Public



Some Opportunity for Branding



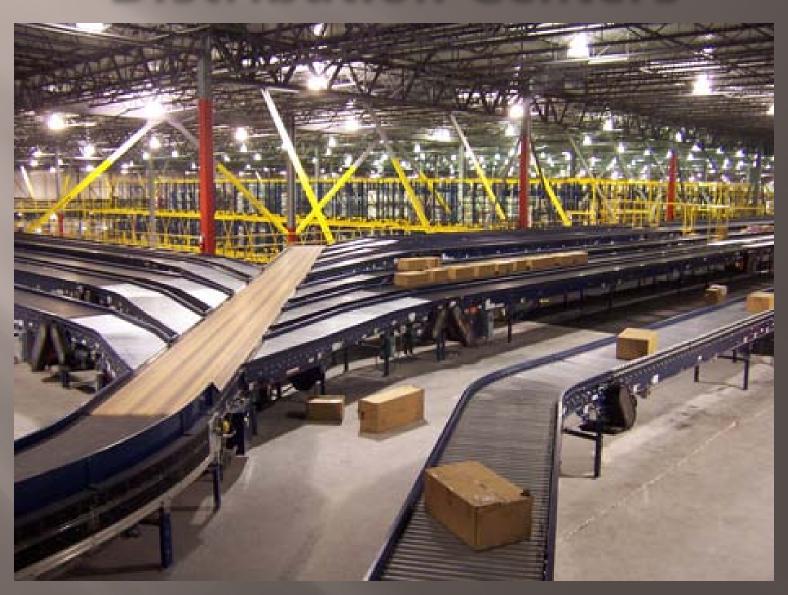
Certified Lumber



Consignment Model



Distribution Centers



What Did We Learn?

Lumber

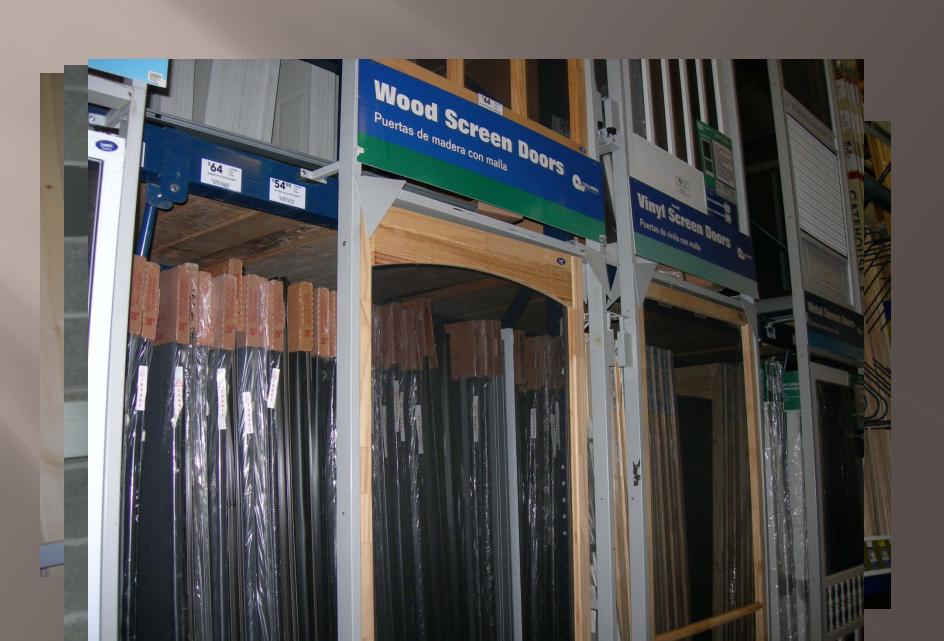
- Unfamiliarity with Indian Forest Products
- "Cheap, Straight, & Pretty"
- Opportunity not just for tribes with mills
 - Idaho Forest Group presentation

Interest Not in Lumber

- Social diversity
- Environmental Stewardship

Huge Variety of Products





And Services



Empowering Veterans to restore our Communities, Environment and Economy



Veterans Green Jobs

- Transition pathways for military veterans to become civilian leaders in economic sectors that protect and restore our energy, environmental and economic security.
- Rapid training and deployment systems to place veterans in jobs to improve energy efficiency, green retrofitting, renewable energy, and environmental conservation and restoration.

Veteran Green Jobs Corps E.g., Partnership—SW Conservation Corps



People & Generations



Promotional Opportunities



Doing Business

- Capacity to deliver
- Certification marginal value
- Cooperative Sales Mechanism
- Many Opportunities besides lumber
 - Native Plants
 - Nursery Stock
 - Bark, Mulch, Compost
 - Doors, Windows, Lattices, etc.
 - Installation Services
 - Promotional Opportunities

Interest?

- Identify participants & team
 - Commitments
 - Cooperation & Collaboration
- Pull together specific proposal
- Present to Corporate Leadership