## MRLA MONTANA RECLAIMED LUMBER CO QUALITY ANTIQUE LUMBER PRODUCTS

## HAND-HEWN RAFTERS, TRIM & FASCIA

To hew a log is to transform the naturally round log into a timber, with either two or four roughly flat surfaces to yield two-sided or four-sided hand-hewn, respectively. Before sawmills and lumberyards were common, craftsmen used hand tools, such as broad axes and adzes, along with hard work and skill to turn logs into timbers. This arduous work left signature "adze marks" on the beams, which not only add unique character and authenticity to the product, but also a nod to the lost art of hewing by hand. Because this material was crafted by hand from locally available logs, the dimensions and species vary.

## **RAFTER, TRIM, & FASCIA SPECS**

hardwood species	oak, elm, beech, hickory, ash, maple
softwood species	hemlock, pine
available sizes	± 6" x 6", 6" x 8", 8" x 8", 8" x 10", 10" x 10", 10" x 12", 12" x 12"+
options	2-sided hand-hewn, 4-sided hand-hewn, custom milled

\*custom options available—give us a call



**GRAB & GO/RETAIL OUTLET**