



Franklin County
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District



Forestry Best Management Practices (BMP's) and Skidder Bridge Workshop
November 17, 2021
7:30 AM to 3:30 PM

Agenda

7:30 AM – Meet at Forest Site in Wilmington, NY

- Coffee & Registration, Welcome, Introductions, Overview of Workshop Agenda and Overview of Master Logger Program

8:00 to 10:30-

Station #1 (1 hour) - *(Rebecca Smith, Environmental Analyst 1, Division of Environmental Permits NYS DEC Region 5 and Ted Wright, Master Logger Certification Program & The Trust to Conserve Northeast Forestlands)*

Temporary Bridge Crossing –

- permitting requirements (temporary crossing for logging, wetlands, permanent roads, etc.) – Rebecca Smith
- planning, placement, etc. Learn about installing, using, and closing out a stream crossing using a temporary bridge–Ted Wright

Station #2 (1 hour)- *(EJ Prescott, Mike Everhart; SWCD, Deb Boyce, Northwoods Forest Consultants, LLC)*

- Erosion & Sediment Control Products for Timber Harvest Operations and Forestry BMP's and harvest closeout

10:30 – 11:00 PM – Head to the bridge building location (Ward Pine Mill - 702 Glen Road Jay, NY)

Station #3 (1 hour) - *(Kaleigh Zappia – Assistant Engineer, Division of Environmental Remediation)*

NYSDEC Spill Response and Prevention –

- Reporting, containing, and cleaning up spills. Information will cover preventing spills as well as disposing of contaminated materials.

Lunch 12:00-1:00 PM – Lunch - provided onsite

1:00 – 3:00 PM – *(Dennis Flynn Environmental Conservation & Forestry CTE Instructor, WSWHE BOCES)*

- Constructing a Portable Skidder Bridge

3:15 - 3:30 PM - Skidder Bridge & ESC Supply Raffle to a logger in attendance.

3:30 PM - Wrap up & depart

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