Potato Creek Trail Association North Central: Forest Landowners Association, Inc. Joint Woods Walk

Salvage Timber Harvest

Saturday February 9, 2013 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM



Wolfinger Property, Smethport, PA

Leaders: Sandy (Harold) Wolfinger, Tim Pierson

Register by calling before Thursday, February 7: Penn State Cooperative Extension of McKean County 814-887-5613

Directions: Travel 1.2 miles on Route 446 North from Route 6 in Smethport to the Potato Creek Trail System trailhead on the left at the black gate. Parking as directed.

What is being shared: Sandy (Harold) Wolfinger will share information about the Salvage Timber Harvests taking place on the surrounding property due to the extensive blow-down of valuable trees from the 2012 wind storm. We will sharing salvage harvest layout, timber contract, meeting landowner objectives, handling Ash component with EAB concerns, forest management decisions for the future sustainability of the forest, road construction considerations and more.

*****SPECIAL NOTE: Be prepared with appropriate winter clothing and footwear for a winter walk. Part of walk will include walking uphill in an actual timber harvesting operation.

****Weather Conditions: May require moving walk to an alternate date.

Cost: Free

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