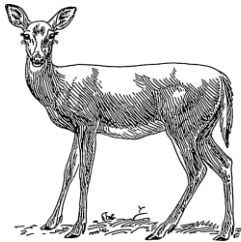


Conference Description

This all-day conference for owners of large or small tracts of land...

- is a one stop/first stop for individuals, families, and managers to learn about woods, wildlife, and other natural resources.
- provides multiple links to information, sources of assistance and a broader community of landowners and professionals.
- will explore a myriad of forest issues relevant to woodland owners.

Great way to get a status update of the state of forestry in the region and connect with resource professionals.



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Organizers

Black Family Land Trust
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North Carolina Cooperative Extension
North Carolina Forest Service
North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission
Virginia Cooperative Extension
Virginia Department of Forestry
Virginia Dept. of Wildlife Resources
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Got Woods?

Landowner Woods & Wildlife Conference

Bringing out the Best in Your Property

**Sept 20, 2025
8:30 AM – 4:00 PM**

Northampton County
Cultural Center
9536 NC-305
Jackson, NC 27845

WILDLIFE?

Directions

**Northampton County
Cultural Center
9536 NC-305
Jackson, NC 27845**

From Roanoke Rapids

Take US-158 E to Weldon (3.2 miles).
Take US-301 N and NC-186 E to
Pleasant Grove Road (9.2 miles).
Turn right onto Pleasant Grove Road
to NC-305 S (5.1 miles).
Slight right onto NC-305 S to
Northampton County Cultural
Center (0.4 miles).



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Program (Subject to change)

Mill Tour

Roseburg Forest Products Tour

- spend the morning learning about the regions newest greenfield wood-using mill.
- Transportation and PPE provided.

Afternoon Sessions

a) Forest Health Matters

- Courtney Johnson, NC State University

b) Heirs Property

- Ebonie Alexander, Black Family Land Trust

c) Wood Products Markets

- Bryan Hulka, NC Forest Service

d) What Agency Resources are Available?

- Keith Money, NC Forest Service
- Brent Bowen, VA Department of Forestry

a) What's Up with Wildlife

- Katie Martin, VA Department of Wildlife Resources
- Greg Batts, NC Wildlife Resources Commission

b) Prescribed Burning

- Neil Clark, VA Cooperative Extension

Wrap Up

Registration Please register before September 10, 2025.

\$30/Person; \$60/Couple

Includes lunch and materials. Registration is processed when payment is received. The fee is non-refundable but may be transferred to another person.

*** 2 Ways to Register! ***

By mail: Fill out form below

Online:

<https://forestupdate.frec.vt.edu/online-registration.html>

Click *Online Registration* and select Virginia-North Carolina Woods & Wildlife Conference

Name(s) _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Do you own woodland? Yes____ No____

Land county: _____

Total Acres____ Wooded Acres____

If paying by check, return this form with payment by September 10th to:

Kathie Hollandsworth
228 Cheatham Hall (0324)

Blacksburg, VA 24061

Make checks payable to

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VA-NC Woods & Wildlife