

You are invited to attend:



DIVERSIFYING INCOME OPPORTUNITIES ON SMALL WOODLANDS

Small woodland owners in the Pacific Northwest manage some of the most biologically rich forests in the world. By understanding the unique markets and tools available, woodland owners can translate that biological diversity into diverse income opportunities.

This one-day workshop will introduce landowners to a series of strategies and tools for maximizing the economic potential of conservation-based forest management. Speakers from organizations and agencies in the Northwest that specialize in small woodland management will provide thorough overviews of each strategy.

Topics will include:

- FSC Certification and Markets
- Carbon Credit Markets
- Small-scale Wood Processing and Value-added Sales
- Current Use Taxation & Transfer of Development Rights
- Conservation Easements
- Financial & Technical Assistance Programs for Woodland Owners
- Non-timber Forest Products

DATE: Saturday, April 18th, 2009 from 8:30—4:00

LOCATION: Satsop Development Park, Satsop, WA

COST: Registration is \$25 and includes lunch and refreshments.

INFORMATION & REGISTRATION: Pre-registration is required as space is limited. Registration form is on backside of this flier.

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DIRECTIONS:

50 Enterprise Lane, Elma, WA 98541 [On-line directions](#)

Once you've arrived at the Satsop Development Park, follow signs to the location of the classroom.

Sponsored by:



Presenters:

Kirk Hanson
Northwest Certified Forestry

John Henrikson
Wild Thyme Farm

Jan Strong
Chehalis River Basin Land Trust

Don Collins
NW Research & Harvesters Assoc.

Jennifer Hayes
WA Dept. of Fish & Wildlife

Bill Brown
Grays Harbor County

Bari Williams
Natural Resource Conserv. Service.

Schedule

Morning

- 8:30 - Introductions
- 8:45 - Keynote
- 9:00 - FSC certification & markets
- 10:00 - Carbon credit markets
- 10:45 - Break
- 11:00 - Wood processing and sales
- 12:00 - Lunch

Afternoon

- 1:00 - Non-timber Forest Products
- 2:00 - Reducing tax burdens
- 3:30 - Financial assist. programs
- 4:00 - End