



NORTHEAST-MIDWEST
**STATE FORESTERS
ALLIANCE**

Public Land Management Committee Meeting Agenda

October 1-3, 2024 | Concord, NH | The Centennial Hotel

Click [HERE](#) to join the meeting *Note: All times are EDT*

Monday | September 30 - Travel Day

12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Registration open at Centennial Hotel - State issued work ID required to receive government rate

5:00 p.m.

Dinner - on your own (Capital Craft Brewery)

Tuesday | October 1

7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

Breakfast - provided by hotel

8:30 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

Welcome & Introductions - Barbara Lucas & Will Guinn

8:45 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.

NH Overview - Patrick Hackly, NHDFL Director/NH State Forester

9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

State Reports (3 minutes each with 2 minutes for questions)

10:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Break

10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

State Reports - Cont'd

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Business Meeting

- NMSFA Report & Work Plan - Ian MacFarlane
- USDA Forest Service Region 9 Report

12:00 p.m. - 12:45 p.m.

Lunch - provided by hotel

12:45 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.

Connecticut Lakes Headwaters CE Carbon Credit and Timber Harvests, Conflict or Compatible? – Margaret Machinist, NHDFL Regional Forester

1:45 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.

Trails for People and Wildlife – Jim Oehler NHTFG Habitat Biologist

2:45 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Break

3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Forest Health Update – Kyle Lombard, NHDFL Forest Health Specialist

4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

State Reports - Cont'd

4:45 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Field Tour Info – Will Guinn

5:00 p.m.

Adjourn

6:00 p.m.

Meet in lobby to walk to dinner (reservation at Cheers?)



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Wednesday | October 2

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| 6:30 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. | Breakfast - provided by hotel |
| 7:30 a.m. | Depart for Field Tour |
| 8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. | Tour of NH State Forest Nursery |
| 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. | Review recent timber harvest at Blackwater Flood Control Area and discuss management license with USACE |
| 12:00 p.m. - 12:45 p.m. | Lunch under Pavilion at Bear Brook State Park (provided) |
| 12:45 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. | Tour Bear Brook State Park – multiple stops including recent timber harvests, low-density white pine management study areas, & discuss partnerships with F&G and Parks |
| 5:00 p.m. | Return to Hotel |
| 6:00 p.m. | Meet in lobby to walk to dinner (reservation at Hermanos?) |

Thursday | October 3

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| 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. | Breakfast - provided by hotel |
| 9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. | Business Meeting - Cont'd <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2024 Leadership Election• Working Group Reports• Emerging Issues Discussion |
| 10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. | Break |
| 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. | From Forest to Dorm – Kevin Evans, Dartmouth College Forester |
| 12:00 p.m. - 12:45 p.m. | Lunch - provided by hotel |
| 12:45 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. | Working Group Breakouts |
| 2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. | Break |



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Thursday | October 3 - Cont'd

2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Post Pandemic Recreational Pressure on the White Mountain National Forest –
Stanley Carte, USFS Recreation and Wilderness Program Manager

3:30 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

Wrap up – Will Guinn & Barbara Lucas

4:00 p.m.

Adjourn

5:00 p.m.

Dinner - on your own (NH Pizza Co.?)