Ties to the Land: Your Family Forest Heritage

You are encouraged to become a member of the Panola-Tallahatchie Forestry Association. Its purpose is to promote, develop, and protect the forest and natural resources for the best interest of present and future generations. This organization also acts as the local “Voice of Forestry.” The membership conducts public affairs, communications, and educational programs that promote a better understanding of the environment and forest management. If interested, contact your county extension director about joining.

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Landowner Short Course
Wednesday May 2, 2012
8:30 am – 1:00 pm
Extension Building
294 Hwy 51 South
Batesville

4 cat 1 Continuing Forestry Education credits will be offered for this program.

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Did you Know:
Many landowners are concerned that their land will not receive adequate care due to the lack of interest from the younger generation.
Some current landowners have concerns with handing land over to family members with substance abuse or other problems.
Some landowners face the inability or unwillingness to deal with the reality that their land will someday be owned by the next generation.
40% of forest landowners don’t have a written will or other estate planning preparations.
If you are interested in learning more about the Ties to the Land program, then you will benefit from this two session workshop.

Individuals who require special accommodations to participate should contact the Panola County Extension Office to make their request prior to the program. Contact should be timely to ensure appropriate accommodation.
Description

Land as an asset for future generations is one of the major objectives of many forest landowners. Proper planning is required to ensure an efficient transfer of land and timber to the next generation, and can protect your treasured family forest from misuse or loss. This course is designed for landowners and their potential heirs - for example, spouses, siblings, parents and children. Because this is an interactive course, participants who attend by themselves are less likely to receive the fullest benefit of the information.

Where

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Batesville, MS

When

May 2, 2012
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Cost

Registration is $50 per couple. The fee covers reference materials and refreshments, including lunch. Seating is limited to the first 30 couples that pre-register. Register by April 25.

AGENDA

- Steps to Succession Planning
- Values & Goals for Family Forest
- Determine Heirs’ Interest
- Legal & Business Consideration
- Financial Impacts of Ownership Transfers

Presenters:

Extension Foresters, Landowners, Attorneys, and CPA’s

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