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UNIVERSITY™  
EXTENSION SERVICE**

Would you like to know more about...

...when to thin your pine trees?

...how to thin your pines?

...which trees should be removed?

...how to prevent bark beetle attack?

...how to enhance wildlife habitat?

...how to make financial decisions  
about timber and habitat?

...federal and state landowner assis-  
tance programs?

Then attend our “Are My Pines  
Ready To Thin?” workshop.

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

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**3.0 CLE credits**, Cat 1 to professional loggers

**2.0 CFE credits**, Category 2 to foresters for MSBORF Registration only.



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# Are My Pines Ready To Thin?



## Extension Forestry Workshop

**Thursday, October 11**

**8:30 am – 2:00 pm**

**Extension Building**

**#1 French's Ally**

**Senatobia**

# Are My Pines Ready To Thin? Workshop

A workshop for private non-industrial forest landowners, loggers, and foresters.

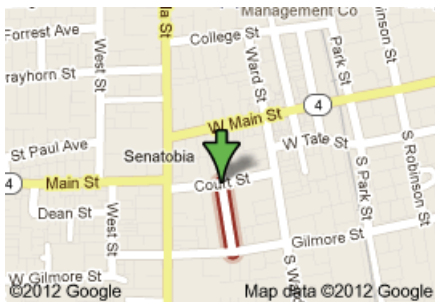
## DESCRIPTION

This workshop provides a field experience to determine when a pine stand is ready for a thinning. Participants will have a "hands-on" experience measuring trees and making calculations to evaluate the stand for thinning.

## WHERE

Extension Building  
#1 French's Alley

**Please wear appropriate footwear and clothing for the field exercise portion.**



## WHEN

October 11, 2012  
8:30 am to 2:00 pm.

## COST

Registration is **\$20 per person**. The fee covers reference materials and refreshments, including lunch. Space is limited. **Register by October 5th.**

## PROGRAM AGENDA

- 8:30 – 9:00 am: Registration
- 9:00 – 10:00 am: **Pine thinning:** Forest Health, Timber Quality, and Wildlife Habitat
- 10:00 – Noon: **Field Exercise:** Sample plots & tree measurements
- Noon – 12:45 pm: **Lunch**
- 12:45 – 1:30 pm: **Evaluating Data**
- 1:30 – 2:00 pm: **Questions & Evaluations**
- 2:00 pm **Adjourn**

## Presentations by:

Extension Forestry Faculty  
Mississippi State University

## For more information:

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**REGISTRATION: Are My Pines Ready To Thin? Workshop October 11, 2012**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_  
Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Total # attending (Registration is \$20 per person due by October 5th ; make check payable to Tate/Desoto Forestry Association)

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