

Conference Description

This all day conference:

- is for owners of large or small tracts of land;
- is a one stop/first stop for individuals, families, and managers wanting to learn about woods, wildlife, and other natural resources;
- provides multiple links to information, sources of assistance, and a better understanding of the natural resources around you;
- will explore a myriad of forestry and wildlife issues relevant to owners of woodland.

Is Roanoke too far for you to travel? Good news! This conference is also being offered on February 23 in Culpeper.

Visit <https://forestupdate.frec.vt.edu> for program and registration information.



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Got WOODS?



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Landowners' Woods & Wildlife Conference

February 23, 2019
8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Virginia Western Community College
Roanoke

\$45/person; \$80/couple



Directions

**Whitman Theater
Business Sciences Building
Virginia Western Community College
3099 Colonial Ave SW
Roanoke, VA 24015**

From Interstate I-81 (Exit 143)

Take I-581/220 South to the Colonial Ave. exit (~ 8 miles). Turn left at the stoplight at the end of the exit ramp. VWCC is located on both sides of Colonial Ave. at the 3rd stoplight.

From Route 419 (SW)

Coming from the Salem direction, turn left onto Colonial Ave. Continue straight through the next stoplight. VWCC is located on both sides of Colonial Ave. approximately 2 miles from Rt. 419.

From Route 220 South

Take the Colonial Ave./Wonju St. exit. Turn right at the end of the ramp and continue to the stoplight. Turn left onto Colonial Ave. Continue straight through the next stoplight. VWCC is located on both sides of Colonial Ave in approximately 1 mile.



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*TDD number is (800)828-1120.

PROGRAM

You are NOT required to pre-select sessions



Keynote

Forestry & wildlife working together hand-in-hand. Andy Rosenberger, VA Quail Recovery Initiative

Concurrent Sessions

- a. Making friends with flames: Does your forest need a fire? Adam Coates, Virginia Tech
- b. Non-timber forest products. Bill Worrell, VCE
- c. Getting started with game trail cameras. Kevin Light, New River Valley Wildlife

Afternoon Plenary

Second life for Virginia's forests: Providing wood products to you and the world. Charlie Becker, VDOF

Concurrent Sessions

- a. Creating a conserved land legacy that endures transfer to the next generation. Andrew Fotinos, VDOF
- b. Ticks & tick-borne diseases: Everything you need & want to know. Liz Gleim, Hollins University
- c. Open land management for wildlife. Justin Folks, VA Quail Recovery Initiative

Concurrent Sessions

- a. Timber stand improvement. David Richert, Whole Forest Solutions, Inc.
- b. Virginia's forest health threats: Major insects and diseases to know about. Katlin Mooneyham, VDOF
- c. Young forests for wildlife: Management practices for attracting golden-winged warblers and other wildlife. Chris Peters, NRCS

Capstone

Managing conflicts with wildlife. Dan Lovelace, DGIF

Program subject to change without notice.

Please register no later than February 12th

Register and pay on-line!
Visit <https://forestupdate.frec.vt.edu>

Or send this form and payment to:
Kathie Hollandsworth
228 Cheatham Hall (0324)
Blacksburg, VA 24061
(make checks payable to:
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\$45/person; \$80/couple

Please print

Name(s) of attendee(s):

Street/P.O. _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Are you a woodland owner? Yes _____ No _____

If yes:

Land County _____

Total Acres _____ Wooded Acres _____

There will be a \$25 service charge for returned checks.

**Woods & Wildlife
Conference - Roanoke**