

Forest Stewardship Coordinating Committee

Wednesday, September 19, 2018

Morgan Monroe State Forest, Training Center, Fire Headquarters, 6220 Forest Road Martinsville, IN 46151

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Agenda

9:00 am	Registration, coffee & doughnuts	
9:30 am	Welcome & introduction	John Seifert, State Forester & Director, IDNR – Division of Forestry
9:35 am	Indiana Division of Forestry Strategic Plan 2020-2025 & Background on the 2020 Forest Action Plan	
10:15 am	Indiana Hardwood Strategy	Phil Seng, Vice-president, DJ Case & Associates
11:00 am	Break	
11:15 am	Habitat Conservation Plan & Environmental Assessment	Scott Haulton, Forestry Wildlife Specialist, IDNR – Division of Forestry
11:50 am	Indiana Statewide Forest Action Plan 2020 Process	Brenda Huter, Stewardship Coordinator, IDNR – Division of Forestry
12:30 pm	Lunch (provided by the Division of Forestry)	
1:00 pm	Statewide Forest Action Plan 2020 - GIS Updates	Jill Flachskam, GIS Specialist, IDNR – Division of Forestry
1:45 pm	Discussion session: review and changes to Indiana forestry issues list	Brenda Huter, Stewardship Coordinator, IDNR – Division of Forestry
2:45 pm	Roundtable reports	All Attendees
3:45 pm	Adjourn	

2010 Indiana Forest Action Plan

- 1.) Conserve, manage and protect existing forests, especially large forest patches***
- 2.) Restore and connect forests, especially in riparian areas***
- 3.) Expand Best Management Practices, with special attention to invasive species***
- 4.) Coordinate education, training, and technical assistance, especially to develop strategic partnerships with land-use decision makers***
- 5.) Maintain and expand markets for Indiana hardwoods, especially those that are sustainably certified and for local use***

Indiana Forest Action Plan: <http://www.in.gov/dnr/forestry/5436.htm>

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