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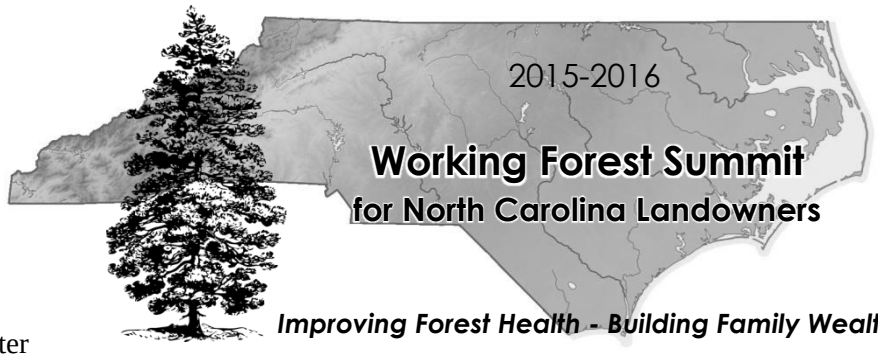

Wednesday, March 16, 2016
Sampson County Agri-Exposition Center
414 Warsaw Rd, Clinton NC 28328

7:30am	***Registration***
	Moderator – Sandy Maddox – Director, Lois G Britt Agribusiness Center, University of Mount Olive
8:00am	**Welcome and Recognition of NC Tobacco Trust Fund Commission**
8:15am	***Market Trends: Current Conditions, Future Markets*** Dennis Hazel, NC State University Extension Forestry Specialist
8:45am	***The Taxing Business of Forestry: Estate Planning, Present Use Value Taxation, and Conservation Planning Tools*** Mark Megalos, NC State University Extension Forestry Specialist
9:45am	**BREAK** Visit with Sponsors and Partners
10:15am	***Growing for Value and Selling for Profit: Species, Grades and Quality Considerations To Meet Market Needs*** Rick Hamilton, NC State University Extension Forestry Specialist, Emeritus
11:15am	***Question/Answer for Speakers*** Request to Complete Evaluations
11:30am	**Lunch -** Visit with Sponsors and Partners
	Moderator - Stephen Whitfield, Executive Director, NCWoodlands
12:30pm	***Wildlife Management and Prescribed Burn*** Terry Sharpe, 2014 North Carolina Prescribed Fire Council Prescribed Burner of the Year
1:15pm	***Forestry Cost Share Program Opportunities*** Bill Powell, Forest Management Staff Forester, NC Forest Service
2:00pm	**BREAK** Visit with Sponsors and Partners
2:15pm	**Forest Landowner Panel** ***Woodland Management: My Perspective*** Jess Hall – Cumberland County Forest Landowner ***Steps to Become an Active Landowner*** Wanda Campbell Clay – Bladen County Forest Landowner ***Using Available Resources to Manage your Timber*** Clark Wooten – Sampson County Landowner
3:00pm	***Wrap-Up & Adjourn*** –Sandy Maddox and Stephen Whitfield

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