



**Carbon Credit Alternatives for Forest Landowners  
&  
Fire Suppression and Prevention Activities on Oklahoma's Forested Lands**

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The sponsoring agencies are proud to present this opportunity to forest landowners and natural resource professionals to gather and discuss carbon credit opportunities and fire suppression and prevention to help meet the diverse needs of today's forest landowners. Plan on attending this meeting to be held at the Oklahoma Forest Resources Center located in Idabel Oklahoma. The meeting will be held on April 17, 2010. A registration fee of \$10.00 will be collected at the door to cover the break and lunch expenses. We ask that you R.S.V.P. to (580) 286-5175 or responded by email at [OSUFRC@wildblue.net](mailto:OSUFRC@wildblue.net) by April 14<sup>th</sup> so we can have an accurate count for lunch. The Oklahoma Forest Resources Center is located 2 miles east of Idabel, OK on HWY 3. For more detailed directions please call (580) 286-5175

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| <b>8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.</b>   | <b>Registration - Coffee &amp; Doughnuts</b>  |
| <b>9:00 a.m. – 9:10 a.m.</b>   | <b>Welcome - Bob Heinemann - OSU</b>  |
| <b>9:10 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.</b>   | <b>George Geissler – Oklahoma Forestry Services –<br/>Topic: Carbon Markets Overview</b>  |
| <b>9:45 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.</b>  | <b>Stacy Hansen – Director of the Carbon Program,<br/>Oklahoma Conservation Commission – Topic:<br/>Oklahoma's Carbon Market</b>                    |
| <b>10:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.</b> | <b>Break</b>  |
| <b>10:45 a.m. -11:30 a.m.</b>  | <b>Craig McKinley – State Extension forester, OSU<br/>Extension - Topic: Forest Management for Carbon</b>   |
| <b>11:30a.m. – 12:00 p.m.</b>  | <b>Sarah Pope, Director, Oklahoma Carbon Initiative,<br/>Oklahoma Association of Conservation Districts -<br/>Topic: Oklahoma Carbon Initiative</b> |
| <b>12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.</b>  | <b>Lunch Cratered by Roma's Italian Restaurant -<br/>(12:30 – 1:00 pm OK-OSAF Business Meeting)</b>   |

**1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Fire Use and Prevention Panel**

**Topic: Discuss and share information on the types of fire use activities being performed in the local area and recognize the fire prevention plans and resources available for the up-coming fire season.**

**Mission: To bring together leaders, officials, foresters, and local landowners with hopes of recognizing the different types of on-going fire use activities and prevention resources available to Southeast Oklahoma, Southwest Arkansas, and Northeast Texas and perhaps bring out any issues or concerns as related to fire danger and management in our forest and private lands.**

- **Panelist:**
- **Kris Wilson- Assistant Fire Management Officer, USDA Forest Service.**
- **Andy James- Area Forester, Oklahoma Forestry Services.**
- **Scott LeForce- Fire Chief, Broken Bow Fire Department.**
- **Chad McElvany- Division Forester, Molpus Timberlands Management, LLC – Oklahoma Timber, LLC.**
- **John Wainscott- Mid-Rotation Production Forester, Weyerhaeuser Company – AO Timberlands.**

