

# NYSAF Annual Meeting

## " EAB - Planning for an Ash Free Future "

Doubletree Hotel, East Syracuse, NY  
January 26 to 28, 2011

Day	Time	Session	Session	Session
Wednesday 1/26/11	2:00pm - 6:00pm	NYSAF Executive Committee Meeting		
		Exhibitor Setup		
Thursday 1/27/11	8:00am - 5:00pm	Registration		
		Exhibitor Setup		
	8:00am - 9:00am	Breakfast Buffet		
	9:15am - 9:30am	Opening Remarks - Andrew Hayes, Chair NYSAF - Bruce Breitmeyer, Chair-elect NYSAF		
	9:30am - 10:30am	<b>Keynote - "EAB: How Do I Prepare for a Devastating Pest"</b> David Sivyver, Forestry Services Manager, City of Milwaukee		
	10:30am - 12:00pm	<b>General Updates:</b> ESFPA - Eric Carlson, Executive Director NYS DEC - Rob Davies, Director Division of Lands and Forests NYS Ag & Markets - Pat Hooker, Commissioner Wood Products Council - Phil Giltner, Executive Assistant to Commissioner Ag & Markets SUNY ESF - Dr. Neil Murphy Jr., President Paul Smiths College - Joe Orefice, Instructor Forestry Faculty		
	12:00pm - 1:30pm	Lunch Buffet and Awards Banquet Speaker: Roger Dziengeski, President SAF		
	1:30pm - 3:00pm	<b>General Session 1</b> <b>EAB Overview</b> <b>Current NYS Situation</b> (Jerry Carlson, DEC Forest Health) <b>EAB Research</b> (Dr. Melissa Fierke, SUNY ESF) <b>Multi-State Efforts to Battle EAB</b> (Nate Seigert, USFS)  Moderator - Melissa Fierke		
	3:00pm - 3:30pm	Break		
	3:30pm - 5:00pm	<b>Concurrent 2</b> <b>EAB Early Detection and Community Preparedness</b> (Mark Whitmore, Forest Entomologist Cornell University)  <b>NY Plant Health and Pest Detection System</b> (Kevin King, Director Div of Plant Industry)  Moderator - TBD	<b>Concurrent 3</b> <b>Threatened &amp; Endangered Species DEC Regulation Part 182</b> (TBD DEC Wildlife)  <b>Strategic Plan for State Forest Management</b> (Justin Perry, DEC Forester)  Moderator - Sloane Crawford	<b>Concurrent 4</b> <b>Graduate Student Presentations</b> SUNY ESF, Cornell University, etc.   Moderator - Chris Nowak
	5:00pm - 6:15pm	Poster Reception with hors d'oeuvres and cash bar		
Friday 1/28/2011	8:00am - 12:00pm	Registration		
	7:00am - 8:00am	Breakfast Buffet		
	8:00am - 9:30am	NYSAF Business Meeting		
	9:30am - 9:45am	Break		
	9:45am - 12:00pm	<b>Concurrent 4</b> <b>EAB: (NY Ag and Markets)</b> Regulations National Perspective Long-term Plans Treatment Standards Log Exports  Moderator - TBD	<b>Concurrent 5</b> <b>Gas Leasing:</b> <b>A Critique of Perceived &amp; Real Hydrologic Problems with Gas Extraction</b> (Prof Don Siegel, Syracuse Univ)  <b>Right-of-Ways and You, the Valuation Process</b> (Sue Keister, Susan J. Keister LLC)  <b>Gas Industry and Forester Interactions</b> (TBA)  Moderator - Bob O'Brien	
	12:00pm - 1:00pm	Lunch Buffet		
	12:00pm - 12:15pm	Final Bids Due on Silent Auction		
	1:00pm - 4:00pm	<b>Concurrent 6</b> <b>Tree Farm Updates and Inspectors Training</b>   Moderator - Mike Burns	<b>Concurrent 7</b> <b>Forests &amp; Climate Change, and Forest Certification: Climate Change</b> (Dr. Robert Malmshemer SUNY ESF)  <b>Misconceptions, shortfalls and fixes for silviculture - A Personal View From a Decade of FSC Certifications</b> (Dr. Christopher Nowak SUNY ESF)  TBD Moderator - Steve Satterfield	