

Forest and Woodlot Management in Hawai'i

Hawai'i Forest Industry Association

2005 Symposium

Dates: Saturday January 22nd and Sunday January 23rd, 2005

Location: King Kamehameha's Kona Beach Hotel, Kona, Hawai'i

Goal: To bring to Hawaii's forest and woodlot owners some of the accumulated knowledge about forest management, silviculture, harvest planning, and well-established contracting procedures used successfully by forest owners through Appalachia and the Eastern United States. The goals of these forest managers often go far beyond the current crop to reflect long term grade and profit maximization strategies.

Target Audience: Landowners with forested land and woodlots.

Keynote Speaker: Ralph Beckwith, owner, Beckwith Lumber Co., West Virginia.

Topic: *How we manage our woodlands for economic return today and to keep our company in business tomorrow.*

Other Topics:

- Silviculture for Hawaiian forests
- Koa thinning, fertilization, and stand management
- Koa wilt: a new, deadly disease
- What forest landowners should know about property and income taxes
- Grant information for Hawai'i forest landowners

Examples of forest management in Hawai'i:

- Green certification for Kamehameha Schools' Keauhou Ranch
- Regeneration of a young koa stands from old pasture koa at Palani Ranch
- Management of the Kona Hema forest, The Nature Conservancy - Hawai'i
- Koa logging and regeneration at Humu'ula, Department of Hawaiian Home Lands
- Koa forest management in the Kapāpala Forest Reserve, Division of Forestry and Wildlife

Field Trip Sunday January 23rd, 2005, to Kamehameha Schools' Hōnaunau Forest, Kona, to see how management plans for both native and non-native forests are being applied on the ground.

Co-sponsored by:

Forest Land Enhancement Program (FLEP), USDA, Forest Service
State of Hawai'i Department of Land and Natural Resources, Division of Forestry and Wildlife
County of Hawai'i, Department of Research and Development
University of Hawai'i at Mānoa College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources
Kamehameha Schools

Yes, Please Register Me for iForest and Woodlot Management in Hawaii

NOTE: Registrations received after January 12, 2005 are considered "late"

- **Early Registration: \$ 75**
- **Late Registration: \$100 (postmarked after 1/12/05)**

I will be Attending (please check all that apply)

Saturday's Symposium

Sunday's Tour

Vegetarian Meals Requested

YES, I have a 4x4 vehicle which can be used for the trip; it holds _____ people, including the driver.

I am unable to attend, but would like to purchase the proceedings: \$25

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