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The Birds and the Bees:
Strategies for Managing Multiple Resources

Fall Meeting: October 6-7, 2016

Treetops Resort, Gaylord



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AGENDA

Thursday October 6, 2016

Time	Topic	Speaker	Organization
8:00-9:00	<i>Registration & Coffee</i>		
9:00-9:30	21 st Century Forest Management: Balancing Complex Expectations	Gary Roloff, Ph.D.	MSU Department of Fisheries and Wildlife
9:30-10:15	Strategies for Managing Your Land for Wild Turkeys	Ryan Boyer	NWTF
10:15-10:25	<i>Networking Break</i>		
10:25-11:10	Grouse Basics and Forestry Practices	Bruce Wojcik	RGS & AWS
11:10-11:55	Habitat Goals for a Sustainable Pheasant Population and the MPRI Design	Mike Parker	DNR Wildlife
11:55-12:30	Effects of Deer Browsing on Bird Habitat Following Forest Management Practices	Patrick J. Ruzs, Ph.D.	Michigan Wildlife Conservancy
12:30-1:15	<i>Lunch</i>		
1:15-1:45	<i>Chapter and State Meetings</i>		
1:45-2:15	Context Matters: How Forest Management Impacts Biodiversity at Multiple Spatial Scales	Andrew D. Crosby, MSc.	MSU Department of Fisheries and Wildlife
2:15-2:45	Deer Management, Forest Management, & Cooperatives	Anna Mitterling	MUCC
2:45-3:10	Climate Change Adaptation and Ruffed Grouse Management in Northern Michigan	Joseph Lautenbach	Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians
3:10-3:25	<i>Networking Break</i>		
3:25-3:55	Terrestrial Invasive Species	Sue Tangora	DNR Forestry
3:55-4:30	Climate Change Predictions for Aspen; The Bird Atlas	Maria Janowiak	NIACS
4:30-5:00	Aspen Monitoring Project	Scott Jones	DNR Forestry
5:00-5:10	Closing Remarks	Tricia St Pierre	DNR Forestry
5:10-6:00	<i>Happy Hour – Free Beer in the Aspen Room</i>		
6:00-8:00	<i>Dinner and Awards</i>		

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Friday October 7, 2016

Time	Topic	Speaker	Organization
7:00-8:00	<i>Breakfast</i>		
8:00-8:45	Maintaining and promoting compositional and structural diversity in the Lake State for forest resilience	Yvette Dickinson, Ph.D.	FRES @ MTU
8:45-9:15	Species Vulnerability to Climate Change	Chris Hoving	DNR Wildlife
9:15-10:05	What is going on with pollinators, and what can we do to help?	Dr. Meghan Milbrath	MSU Entomology, MI Pollinator Initiative
10:05-10:20	<i>Networking Break</i>		
10:20-10:50	Habitat for Pollinators: Current Efforts in Conservation and Restoration	Logan Rowe	MSU Entomology
10:50-11:20	Integrating Disturbance Ecology Patterns into Forest Management in Northern Michigan	Dr. Greg Corace	USFWS-Seney NWR
11:20-12:00	Structural Retention in Michigan Clearcuts: do the birds care?	Gary Roloff, Ph.D.	MSU Department of Fisheries and Wildlife
12:00-1:00	<i>HORS D'OEUVRES</i>		

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