



Turtle Mountain Landscape Forest Stewardship Plan

Working Group

7-29-2022 9:00 AM via Teams



Working Group Members Present:

Liz Smith – Committee Chair, NDFS
Cody Clemenson, NDFS
Jodi Delozier, NDSU Extension
Kevin Kading, ND Game & Fish

Also Present:

Meg Gag, NDFS
Noah Schaeffer, NDFS
Mitch Thompson, NDFS
Peter Gag, NDFS

1. TMR-LFSP

- Liz has been in discussions with MN DNR staff. They have done a lot a landscape level planning in-house and may be able to provide assistance to NDFS. Hope to have an update on this by next WG meeting. We would not have to go through the RFP process if we got his route.

2. August 4, 2022 TMR Forest Tour

- 63 guests registered plus 14 agency staff.
- 6 vans will each have a driver and group facilitator. Suburban will be chase vehicle with PA system.
- WG and guests reviewed the Tour route.
- Still finalizing lunch plans; due to numbers may have a pot-luck. Cody is working with JJ.
- Meet at Bottineau NDFS Field Office on 8/3 at 2:00 p.m. for run-through.
 - Inventory 1st aid kits, fire extinguishers, trash bags and purchase more if necessary.
- Handouts will be provided at check-in. Will bring 80 of each plus NDFS will bring folders and pens/pencils.
- Name tags (may use tree cookies) will assign guests to a van that they will stay with all day.
- Tour will still happen in the rain as long as gravel roads are suitable.

Action Items:

Liz – Send out final definitions of terms.

Cody – Finalize lunch plans. Check Bottineau & Bismarck for name tags, pens/pencils, folders.

Next Meeting:

September 2, 2022 9:00 AM via Teams

Notes Prepared by Liz Smith