**North Dakota Forestry Council**

**Remote Meeting Agenda**

**Thursday - March 3, 2022**

**Zoom**

 Pre-meeting 8:30 a.m. Coffee time on ***Wonder***

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://ndsu.zoom.us/j/91777132148?pwd=TkhtYmJhNGpkOUZBNE0rMlNBaWZWdz09>

Join Wonder for Coffee and Breaks

<https://app.wonder.me?spaceId=c4b17fde-ab09-47e8-9893-aadc68e86d51>

**9:00 Welcome**

*Tom Claeys, North Dakota State Forester*

**9:10 USDA Forest Service Reports**

*Tim Garcia, USDA FS State & Private Forestry*

**9:25 Forestry Lesson: “Forestry Friday”**

*Liz Smith, Forest Stewardship Manager*

 *Peter Gag, Forest Health Manager*

**9:45 Emerald Ash Borer – After 20 Years of Anticipation, Now What?**

*Charles Elhard, Plant Protection Officer, ND Department of Agriculture*

**10:05 Discussion and Break – *Wonder***

**10:15 Anatomy of a Successful Community Forestry Grant Project**

*Gerri Makay, Community Forestry Manager*

 **10:35 Turtle Mountain Region Forest Resources**

Cody Clemenson, Forest Stewardship Specialist

**Landscape Forest Stewardship Planning**

 *Liz Smith, Forest Stewardship Manager*

**10:55 Forest Conversion**

*Kevin Kading, ND Game & Fish*

 **11:05 Discussion and break – *Wonder***

**11:15   North Dakota State Forester’s Report (Budgets, Legislative Session, etc.)**

*Tom Claeys, North Dakota State Forester*

 **11:30    Lightning Round Program Updates**

 **Forest Health** *Pete Gag, Forest Health Manager*

 **Community Forestry** *Gerri Makay, Community Forestry Manager*

 **Forest Stewardship** *Liz Smith, Forest Stewardship Manager*

**Fire Management – Fire, Fuels, Future** *Lezlee Johnson, Forestry & Fire Mgt Team Leader*

 **11:50 Business Meeting**

Committees and committee guidelines

**Noon End of Meeting** *(****Wonder*** *open for any continued discussions)*

*Updated 2/28/2022*