



## **TimberMart-South**

### **PRIVATE LANDOWNER REFERENCES**

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The following internet links provide timber-related information for new private forest landowners.

### **South-wide Resources**

Forest Landowners Association <http://www.forestlandowners.com/>

- Magazine for private forest landowners: directory of markets for wood: hunting lease liability insurance and more.

Association of Consulting Foresters of America <http://www.acf-foresters.org>

- Contact information for professional foresters who practice consulting forestry: forest inventory: forest management and assistance with timber sales/regeneration.

Southern Regional Extension Forestry <http://www.sref.info/>

- Master Tree Farmer courses: links to other resources.

American Loggers Council [www.americanloggers.org](http://www.americanloggers.org)

- Contact information for state logging associations plus best practices for loggers and statements regarding policy issues.

### **Alabama**

Alabama State Forester- Rick Oates phone: 334.240.9304; e-mail: [rick.oates@forestry.alabama.gov](mailto:rick.oates@forestry.alabama.gov)

Alabama Forestry Commission- phone: 334.240.9300; website: <http://www.forestry.alabama.gov/>

Alabama Forestry Association- phone: 334.265.8733; website: <http://www.alaforestry.org/>

Alabama Forest Owners Association- phone: 205.987.8811; website: <http://www.afoa.org/>

Alabama Loggers Council- phone: 334.265.8733; website: <http://www.alaforestry.org/>

### **Arkansas**

Arkansas State Forester- Joe Fox phone: 501.296.1941; e-mail: [joe.fox@arkansas.gov](mailto:joe.fox@arkansas.gov)

Arkansas Forestry Commission- phone: 501.296.1940; website: <http://forestry.arkansas.gov>

Arkansas Forestry Association- phone: 501.374.2441; website: <http://www.arkforests.org/>

Arkansas Timber Producers Association- phone: 501.224.2232; website: [www.arkloggers.com](http://www.arkloggers.com)

## **Florida**

Florida State Forester- Jim Karels phone: 850.681.5800; e-mail: [jim.karels@freshfromflorida.com](mailto:jim.karels@freshfromflorida.com)

Florida Forest Service- phone: 850.681.5800; website: <http://www.freshfromflorida.com/Divisions-Offices/Florida-Forest-Service>

Florida Forestry Association- phone: 850.222.5646; website: <http://floridaforest.org/>

Southeastern Wood Producers Association- phone: 904.845.7133; website: [www.swpa.ag](http://www.swpa.ag)

## **Georgia**

Georgia State Forester- Chuck Williams phone: 478-751-3500; e-mail: [cwilliams@gfc.state.ga.us](mailto:cwilliams@gfc.state.ga.us)

Georgia Forestry Commission- phone: 478.751.3500; website: <http://www.gfc.state.ga.us/>

Georgia Forestry Association- phone: 478.992.8110; website: <http://www.gfagrow.org/>

Southeastern Wood Producers Association- phone: 904.845.7133; website: [www.swpa.ag](http://www.swpa.ag)

## **Kentucky**

Kentucky State Forester- James Wright phone: 502.564.4496; email: [james.wright@ky.gov](mailto:james.wright@ky.gov)

Kentucky Division of Forestry- phone: 502.564.4496; website: <http://forestry.ky.gov/>

Kentucky Forest Industries Association- phone: 502.695.3979; website: <http://www.kfia.org/>

## **Louisiana**

Louisiana State Forester- Wade Dubea phone: 225.925.4500; e-mail: [wdubea@ldaf.state.la.us](mailto:wdubea@ldaf.state.la.us)

Louisiana Dept of Agriculture & Forestry- phone: 225.922.1234; website: <http://www.ldaf.state.la.us/>

Louisiana Forestry Association- phone: 318.443.2558; website: <http://www.laforestry.com/>

Louisiana Logging Council- phone: 318.443.2558; website: <http://laforestry.com/Programs/LouisianaLoggingCouncil.aspx>

## **Maryland**

Maryland State Forester- Donald VanHassent phone: 410.260.8531; email: [donald.vanhassent@maryland.gov](mailto:donald.vanhassent@maryland.gov)

Maryland Forest Service- phone: 410.260.8531; website: <http://www.dnr.state.md.us/Forests/>

Maryland Forests Association- phone: 410.823.1789; website: <http://www.mdforests.org/>

## **Mississippi**

Mississippi State Forester- Charlie W. Morgan phone: 601.359.1386; e-mail: [cmorgan@mfc.state.ms.us](mailto:cmorgan@mfc.state.ms.us)

Mississippi Forestry Commission- phone: 601.359.1386; website: <http://www.mfc.ms.gov/>

Mississippi Forestry Association- phone: 601.354.4936; website: <http://www.msforestry.net>

Mississippi Loggers Association- phone: 601.776.5754; website: <http://www.msloggers.org>

## **North Carolina**

North Carolina State Forester- David Lane phone: 919.857.4854; email: [david.lane@ncagr.gov](mailto:david.lane@ncagr.gov)

North Carolina Forest Service- phone: 919.857.4801; website: <http://ncforestservice.gov/index.htm>

North Carolina Forestry Association- phone: 919.834.3943; website: <http://www.ncforestry.org/>

North Carolina Professional Loggers Association- phone: 828-421-8444; website: [www.ncloggers.com](http://www.ncloggers.com)

## **Oklahoma**

Oklahoma State Forester- George Geissler phone: 405.522.6158; email: [george.geissler@ag.ok.gov](mailto:george.geissler@ag.ok.gov)

Oklahoma Forestry Service- phone: 405.522.6158; website: <http://www.forestry.ok.gov/>

Oklahoma Forestry Association- phone: 580.326.0200; website: <http://oklahomaforestry.org/>

## **South Carolina**

South Carolina State Forester- Henry E. "Gene" Kodama phone: 803.896.8800; e-mail: [kodama@forestry.state.sc.us](mailto:kodama@forestry.state.sc.us)

South Carolina Forestry Commission- phone: 803.896.8800; website: <http://www.state.sc.us/forest/>

South Carolina Forestry Association- phone: 803.798.4170; website: <http://www.scforestry.org/>

South Carolina Timber Producers Association- phone: 803.371.2240; website: <http://scloggers.com/>

## **Tennessee**

Tennessee State Forester- Jere Jeter phone: 615.837.5435; email: [jere.jeter@tn.gov](mailto:jere.jeter@tn.gov) :

Tennessee Division of Forestry- phone: 615.837.5103; website: <https://www.tn.gov/agriculture/topic/ag-eac-forestry>

Tennessee Forestry Association- phone: 615.883.3832; website: <http://www.tnforestry.com/>

## **Texas**

Texas State Forester- Tom Boggus phone: 979.458.6600; e-mail: [tboggus@tfs.tamu.edu](mailto:tboggus@tfs.tamu.edu)

Texas Forest Service- phone: 979.458.6600; website: <http://texasforests.tamu.edu/>

Texas Forestry Association- phone: 936.632.8733; website: <http://texasforestry.org/>

Texas Logging Council- phone: 936.632.8733; website: <http://www.texasforestry.org/programs/council/>

## **Virginia**

Virginia State Forester- Bettina Ring phone: 434.220.9047; e-mail: [bettina.ring@dof.virginia.gov](mailto:bettina.ring@dof.virginia.gov)

Virginia Department of Forestry- phone: 434.977.6555; website: <http://www.dof.virginia.gov/>

Virginia Forestry Association- phone: 804.278.8733; website: <http://www.veforestry.org/>

Virginia Forest Products Association- phone: 804.737.5625; website: <http://www.vfpa.net/>

Virginia Loggers Association- phone: 804.677.4290; website: <http://www.valoggers.org/>

## **West Virginia**

West Virginia State Forester- C. Randall Dye phone: 304.558.2788 x51766; email: [C.Randy.Dye@wv.gov](mailto:C.Randy.Dye@wv.gov)

West Virginia Division of Forestry- phone: 304.558.2788; website: <http://www.wvforestry.com/>

West Virginia Forestry Association- phone: 304.372.1955; website: <http://www.wvfa.org/>