



Free Workshop for Landowners

February 25, 2012

9am—4:30pm (registration 9:00-9:30)



Managing Young Forest Habitat

Young forest habitat is home to many species of wildlife, from game species like ruffed grouse and eastern cottontail, to common songbirds like indigo buntings and northern cardinals, to species of greatest conservation need like golden-winged warbler, American woodcock, and snowshoe hare. In this free workshop hosted by the PA Game Commission, you will learn more about these species, how you can manage your land for young forest habitat, and where you can find funding for habitat improvements. The workshop includes an optional tour of young forest habitat in the afternoon.

Speakers

- Lisa Williams, PGC Upland Game Bird Biologist
- Dr. Marja Bakermans, IUP Assistant Professor
- Mike Wolf, Appalachian Forest Consultants
- Joel Elder, USDA NRCS District Conservationist
- Russ Gibbs, DCNR Service Forester
- Tammy Colt, PGC Wildlife Diversity Biologist



Registration is FREE!

Contact Tammy Colt at tcolt@pa.gov or **814-233-2281** to register.

Registration deadline is **February 15**.

Location:

**Somerset Historical Center
10649 Somerset Pike
Somerset, PA 15501**

Lunch will be on your own. There are several local eateries in close proximity to the Historical Center.