

WOODLANDS PARTNERSHIP of NORTHWEST MASSACHUSETTS

A Mission of Natural Resource-Based Economic Development, Forest Conservation, & Municipal Financial Sustainability

MEETING NOTICE

The **Education, Outreach, & Research Committee**
of the **Woodlands Partnership of Northwest Massachusetts**
will meet on February 17, 2025 at 3:00-4:00 p.m.

This is a virtual meeting. Members of the public are welcome to attend.
Please RSVP to Kate Conlin to request a Zoom link at any time: kconlin@newenglandforestry.org.

Agenda

1. Call to order and welcome
2. Approval of January 30, 2025 minutes
3. Public comment
4. Promotion of Collins Center study on Emergency Services
5. [Educational series planning](#) and next steps
6. Event planning of Brian Donahue's *Slow Wood* in conjunction with his Log Lunch on September 19, 2025
7. Cultural Mapping workshop planning
8. Request to read over the [adopted 2023 plan](#) and send bullet points for inclusion in a memo to the Executive Committee for addendum/revision, to be voted on/shared at the Annual Meeting in June
9. Agent update: one-pager annual report; PILOT reform; priorities for funding to communicate to fundraising consultant to inform 3-year plan
10. Scheduling next Committee meetings March-June 2025
11. Adjourn

Education, Outreach, & Research Committee members: Hank Art — *Williamstown* (Chair); Hannah Poplawski — *Rowe* (notetaker); Greg Cox — *Hawley*; Rick Peltier — *UMass Amherst, Public Health & Health Sciences Faculty*; Rhonda Anderson — *Ohketeau Cultural Center*