



Lodging: [The Lodge at Wakulla Springs](#), 550 Wakulla Park Drive, Crawfordville, FL

Meeting: [Wakulla Environmental Institute](#)

Objective: Discussion of hurricane Michael impacts and recovery; challenges that state forestry agencies are facing, and how Southern Research Station scientists may be able to address these needs through current research activities, science syntheses, or other collaborative efforts.

**Monday May 13<sup>th</sup> Optional Group Dinner**

6pm, Edward Ball Dining Room at Wakulla Springs Lodge

**Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup>**

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| 9:00am  | Welcome to WEI                         | Bob Ballard,<br>Executive Director   |
| 9:15am  | Introductions                          | Stephanie Laseter  |
| 9:30am  | Opening Comments                       | <b>Rob Doudrick</b> - SRS<br>Station Director<br><b>Jim Karels</b> - Florida<br>State Forester<br><b>Chuck Williams</b> -<br>Georgia State<br>Forester |
| 9:45am  | FIA Analysis                           | Topic Leads: Robert<br>Lee, Mark Brown,<br>Sam Lambert   |
| BREAK   |  |  |
| 10:30am | Markets and Economic<br>Sustainability | Topic Lead: Karen<br>Abt   |
| 11:30am | Forest Operations                      | Topic Leads: Dana<br>Mitchell, and<br>Matthew Smidt  |
| LUNCH   |  |  |
| 1:30pm  | Fire Risks                             | Topic lead: Scott<br>Goodrick  |
| 2:30pm  | Chipola EFR<br>and FL A&M              | Johnny Grace   |
| 3:30pm  | Closing Comments                       |  |
| 4pm     | Adjourn Meeting                        |  |



Directions to WEI:

WEI is about 3 miles south of Crawfordville.

From Tallahassee: take Hwy 319 south to Crawfordville. Continue on through Crawfordville on 319 until you get to the River of Life church. Go past the church about 500 yards. Turn left on Preservation Way at the WEI entrance. The facility is 2/3rds of a mile down. Park underneath the solar panels.

Lunch: Subway tray, chips, drinks and cookie. Please bring \$7 for lunch.