



What: Joint WI SAF-South/GLTPA meeting

When: July 31, 2024 9:00 am to 3:30 pm

Where: Waushara WWII Veterans Memorial  
440 W. Main St.  
Wautoma, WI 54982



(Facilities sponsored by Domtar)

Cost – NO Charge – This is a free event thanks to the Corporate Sponsors

## **Managing Your Timber During Challenging Market Conditions**



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# Agenda

9:00 am – 9:20 am – Registration

9:20 am to 9:30 am - Introductions, anti-trust statement, housekeeping

9:30 am to 10:00 am - Market Conditions – Past, Present and Future  
Henry Schienebeck – Executive Director GLTPA

10:00 am – 10:30 pm – Updates on EUDR (European Union Deforestation Regulation)  
Rebecca Barnard – SAPPI Forest Certification Manager – SAF President

10:30 am to 11:15 am - Silvicultural Implications During Poor Market Conditions  
Brad Hutnik – WDNR Silvicultural Specialist

11:15 am – 11:45 noon - Challenging Pulpwood Market Impacts on Wildlife  
Matt Esser, WDNR DMAP Coordinator

11:45 am to 12:45 pm- LUNCH sponsored by Ahlstrom



12:45 pm to 1:15 pm – *“Understanding Timber Sale Contracts”*  
Kassie Lang, WDNR Attorney

1:15 pm to 2:00 pm - Industry Perspective  
Ben Knaack – Manager Fiber Procurement - Tigerton Lumber  
Pete Johnson – Manager Fiber Procurement – Welter Forest Products  
Troy Delaet – Manager Wood Procurement – Domtar Nekoosa

2:00 pm to 2:20 pm - A Logger’s Perspective – Aaron Burmeister  
GLTPA Board Member and Wisconsin Master Logger

2:20 pm to 2:40 pm – A Landowner’s and Consulting Forester’s Perspective  
Buzz Vahradian – WWOA Chapter Chair and Consulting Forester

2:40 pm to 3:00 pm – SAF and GLTPA updates and business meetings

3:00 pm to 3:30 pm – Wrap up and cleanup

3:30 pm to 5:00 pm – Social gathering (venue tbd)

CE credits: SFI: 4 hrs. CE Credits (Recording fee paid to FISTA required)  
(FISTA registration materials available at the door)  
WDNR Cooperating Forester: 5.0 CE credits  
SAF CE credits tbd

**REGISTRATION: Pre-Registration is Required!** Seating is limited!

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